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From the Editors

Welcome to 2023! As we enter a new year, the signs are that by far the best place to be in January is at home watching TV or listening to the radio. And of course at *Radio Times* we have that covered...

To whet your appetite, in this issue we catch up with *Happy Valley* creator Sally Wainwright, who tells us why this will be the last series of her police drama. Vicky McClure tells us about her joy at being reunited on screen with her *This Is England* co-star Johnny Harris in the powerful drama *Without Sin*, which you can see on ITV's new streaming service ITVX.

Chris Packham's terrific new series on wild dogs concludes this week and we ask him about his love of dogs – and also foxes and parrots... And look out for *Inspector Morse* and *Lewis* legend Kevin Whately who crosses the space-time TV cop continuum as he makes a guest appearance in the new episode of *Midsomer Murders*.

On radio, Annie Nightingale recalls the great days of the 1960s when pop stars and comedians rocked the establishment. And, back to the present and future, if you prefer to create your own viewing schedule, we have ten pages devoted to the best programmes and films to watch on the many streaming services.

Unfortunately, 2023 is going to be a challenging year in the publishing world as there has been no let up in the rising cost of print and paper. The price of both is outstripping inflation, which means that from this issue we have had to put up our cover price. However, there has never been a better time to subscribe to *Radio Times* and enjoy the best, most comprehensive guide to TV, streaming, film and radio. For those of you who don't yet subscribe, details of our latest offer are on the card attached to this page.

We hope you enjoy the issue and we wish you a happy and healthy 2023!

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TV **Happy Valley**
Sunday 9.00pm ***BBC1***
Sgt Catherine Cawood (Sarah Lancashire) has a lot on her plate right now, personally and professionally. Her grandson Ryan is kicking off after a run-in with his PE teacher, and the remains of a murder victim are found in a local reservoir...

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TV **Call the Midwife**
Sunday 8.00pm ***BBC1***
Heartbroken Lucille (Leonie Elliott) tries to distract herself from her personal problems by becoming deeply involved in the care of an elderly, isolated man who has failing eyesight.

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TV **The Great Pottery Throw Down**
Sunday 7.45pm ***Channel 4***
An especially emotional instalment – ie not just for judge Keith Brymer Jones, above right – opens the latest series, with 12 new potters challenged to make a birthday tea set.

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TV **Next Level Chef**
Wednesday 9.00pm ***ITV1***
Another year, another new vehicle for Gordon Ramsay. This time there's a quirky, multistorey gimmick as the formidable chef seeks to find the next culinary star.

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TV **The US and the Holocaust**
Monday 10.00pm ***BBC4***
US film-maker Ken Burns tackles this weighty subject in the first of three two-hour episodes. Typically exhaustive, the story starts long before the Second World War, with European refugees arriving in New York...

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Vikings: Valhalla
Available from 12 January ***Netflix***
Leo Suter stars as Harald Sigurdsson in season two of the spin-off from the long-running historical drama *Vikings*. Expect battles both fiery and icy, and a lot of extremely hazardous boating.

THIS WEEK

THE TEN BEST SHOWS TO WATCH, LISTEN TO & STREAM

TV **Jon & Lucy's Odd Couples**
Friday 9.00pm ***Channel 4***
Husband and wife comedians Jon Richardson and Lucy Beaumont preside as celebrity couples compete to see who has the strongest relationship. Funny and painfully relatable...

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STREAMING **Servant** *Available from 13 January* ***AppleTV+***
It was bonkers already, but this drama about a grieving couple and their weird (to put it mildly) nanny is now primed to go fully berserk in this, the fourth and final season.

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Landscape Artist of the Year
Wednesday 8.00pm ***Sky Arts***
Joan Bakewell and Stephen Mangan return with the series that shows the depth of artistic talent in Britain – from keen amateurs to seasoned professionals. They start on the windswept Lancashire coast as the artists attempt to capture Blackpool's North Pier.

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RADIO **The Confessional**
Sunday 7.15pm ***Radio 4***
It's that man Stephen Mangan again. As host of the show in which guests own up to their guilty secrets, he welcomes historian Antonia Fraser (above), who confesses to "borrowing" library books.

FIRST LOOK

WEST COUNTRY PARADISE

A big draw for starring in *Death in Paradise* – come and film on the beaches of Saint Marie! – can also be a drawback, with lead actors on the Caribbean crime drama forced to relocate to Guadeloupe to film for six months of the year.

"It's quite a big ask for a lead actor to be away from home for half the year, every year," says series writer Tony Jordan. "So of course, after two or three years, depending on their own circumstances, it has to come to an end. We've managed those transitions really successfully, I think. But I'm sure that it's meant that some actors have left that character sooner than they would have liked."

But now, one series veteran is getting another chance. Kris Marshall, who played DI Humphrey Goodman in the series from 2014 to 2017, will return to the role five years after he handed in his flip-flops, taking the lead in new BBC1 spin-off *Beyond Paradise*.

Knowing they wanted Humphrey in the UK, Jordan says the team explored locations in Scotland, Wales, Ireland, the Peak District and the Lake District, but eventually placed him and partner Martha (Sally Bretton, right with Marshall) in Devon. "In glorious Devon, I think that *Beyond Paradise* looks 100% as beautiful as *Death in Paradise*," he says. "And you know what? It may rain less, because we film in the rainy season in Guadeloupe.

"Kris loves to be Humphrey Goodman. Now he gets to be all the things that he was, but he can go home at night and be with the kids," Jordan adds. "I think Kris was really happy to go and see what that character would be like in a different situation."

Other changes? Less of a focus on, well, death, with Humphrey solving a variety of non-murderous puzzles during the series.

"It's got the same uplifting escapism as *Death in Paradise*, and a puzzle to work out in every episode," Jordan says.

"The way we differentiate it is, it's not always murder, and the way we do our reveal has changed. We've taken the good stuff, and we've added to it, and made it slightly different." **HUW FULLERTON**

GRAPEVINE

The TV stories that are getting us talking...

SUNSHINE SWITCH
DI Humphrey Goodman (Kris Marshall) on the beach and (top) with his Saint Marie team

SPOT THE SIM-ILARITIES

Sky's adaptation of Nick Hornby's *Funny Girl* marks a St Trinian's reunion for stars **Gemma Arterton** and **Rupert Everett**. Everett (above right) stepped into Alastair Sim's shoes as the headmistress in that 2007 comedy, and he admits he's riffing on his hero again to play the agent of Arterton's character Barbara, a rising comedian in the 1960s.

FOR MAUDIE

Actor Jason Watkins (below) dedicated his Bafta for *The Lost Honour of Christopher Jefferies* to his daughter Maude, who died of sepsis in 2015, aged just two and a half. Now he and his wife Clara Francis are out to break taboos about child bereavement for an ITV documentary. *Jason and Clara: in Memory of Maudie* will follow them as they talk to other parents in a similar position, and undergo therapy together to process their loss.

HERE WE GO AGAIN

Mamma Mia! is the latest West End musical to recruit a star via a TV talent search. Some 11 years since Sir Andrew Lloyd Webber found his Jesus on *Superstar*, ITV is auditioning for two singers to step into the lead roles made famous in the film by Amanda Seyfried and Dominic Cooper. It could only have one title: *I Have a Dream*...

LOVE AND WAR

David Oyelowo's next BBC drama is a deeply personal project for the *Spooks* and *Selma* actor (left). Six-parter *Biafra* explores the legacy of the Nigerian civil war that took place in the late 1960s. Oyelowo's parents married "across the tabooed tribal lines of the conflict", and the war, he says, "shaped my life, much as it has done for millions of Nigerians".

ROBIN PARKER

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TEN QUESTIONS WITH

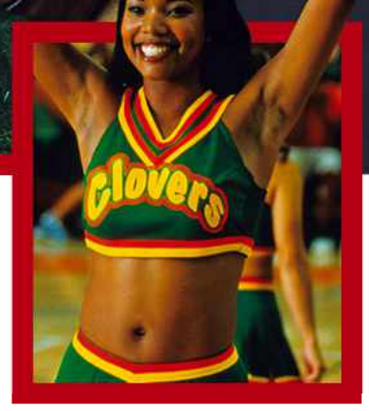
JAKE GYLLENHAAL & GABRIELLE UNION

The stars of Disney's latest animation reveal the secrets of voicing a cartoon kiss

'Considering we weren't even in the same room, it was very organic'
GABRIELLE UNION

Since his breakthrough role in *Donnie Darko*, Jake Gyllenhaal has established himself as an in-demand leading man in thrillers (*Zodiac*, *Nightcrawler*) blockbusters (*Spider-Man: Far from Home*) and acclaimed dramas, including an Oscar-nominated role in *Brokeback Mountain*. Gabrielle Union followed her star-making turn in *Bring It On* with leading roles in romcoms, action comedy *Bad Boys II* and TV's *Being Mary Jane*.

Now, in Disney's animated *Strange World*, Gyllenhaal voices Searcher Clade, the farmer son of a famous explorer, who goes on an adventure with his wife Meridian (Union) and their teenage son.



BREAKTHROUGHS Jake Gyllenhaal above and left with Heath Ledger in *Brokeback Mountain*; Gabrielle Union above and below in *Bring It On*

The most important question first – can you talk us through your kissing technique when voicing animated characters?

GABRIELLE Considering we weren't in the same room, it was very organic.

JAKE [Demonstrating] I think I did a bit of a dip with an imaginary you.

GABRIELLE And I stood firm. We had it all worked out.

At heart, *Strange World* is a film about families. Was that part of the appeal?

JAKE Yes! When I look at the stories my own parents [director Stephen Gyllenhaal and producer/screenwriter Naomi Foner] wanted to tell, and that my sister [actress Maggie] and I love to tell, they're all about family. That's the most important story there is.

Jake, as well as having parents in the industry, you had Paul Newman and Jamie Lee Curtis as godparents. Could you relate to the film's theme of living up to role models?

JAKE Well, my *actual* godparents would be pretty upset about who the press considers to be my godparents. Jamie is a very, very dear friend who has been deemed a celebrity godparent, and so she's taken it on. Paul Newman was someone I did know, but he did not take on godparent status.

Your character's son Ethan is gay, and it's a natural part of the story. What's your message to those people who complain Disney is too "woke"?

JAKE For me, what's beautiful about this film is being part of a story where those subjects are just a given. That's the world I want to live in.

GABRIELLE There's a certain segment of the population who

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EXPLORERS In *Strange World*, Gyllenhaal and Union play Searcher (middle) and Meridian (far right)

are committed to just not understanding. But if we can reach parents who might be struggling to understand how best to love their children, it's a beautiful showcase of how loving and accepting, and just how regular it can be. My child is trans, and her pronouns may have changed, but our issues with her still have more to do with her bringing up food to her bedroom…

Jake, this is the second time you've played Dennis Quaid's son [after 2004's *The Day after Tomorrow*]. Do you call him "Dad"?
JAKE It's the second time I've worked in a movie with Dennis and we've never done scenes together. Is that a record? Hopefully third time's the charm.

Gabrielle, *Time* magazine named you as one of the 100 most influential people in the world in 2020. Does that carry any weight at home?
GABRIELLE Well, I got it with my husband [former basketball pro Dwyane Wade], so not really! And it doesn't impress the kids, because you know, who doesn't read *Time*? Toddlers and teenagers. But we did get the cover blown up, so in order to go to school, they have to walk right past us.

The film industry is changing – but is streaming killing cinema?
JAKE I think the movie theatre experience, in particular, is such a profound one. It's one that changed my life: the experience of being in a space with other people, being told something that has the power to shape your mind… It's something that deserves to be fought for.

What about your own legacy – as actors, do you ever wonder if your work will still be around in hundreds of years?
JAKE I absolutely think that's not true.
GABRIELLE I don't think of it in that way. But every Halloween I see people in *Bring It On* [cheerleader] costumes. And it's been, what, 22 years? So I hope there are at least a couple of my films that people will trot out every so often.
JAKE I'm a big *Bring It On* fan.

Do you have a *Bring It On* costume, Jake?
JAKE Wow. I think this fits nicely with your question about my kissing technique. But the answer is yes. And next time I'll bring it along.

What's next for you? Are you still chasing the Hollywood dream?
GABRIELLE The only thing I'm chasing now is me. It's hard to stay in the moment and enjoy things. I have a lot of people to support, so that keeps you on the hamster wheel. Luckily, for whatever reason, I'm 50 and they're treating me like an ingénue – so I'm not having to chase anything for the first time.
JAKE I feel like I'm not chasing it as much. I feel grateful for all of the things I've been able to do. And that does give me the ability to take stock, in a way I never used to. **PAUL KIRKLEY**

Strange World is now streaming on Disney+. See our review on page 35

WHAT IT'S LIKE…

to be a character in *Star Wars*

Adria Arjona lifts the lid on stepping into a galaxy far, far away in Disney+ series *Andor*

AIMING FOR THE STARS Adria Arjona plays mechanic Bix Caleen in *Andor*

NOTHING'S BIGGER THAN STAR WARS

I'm a big fan so being cast in *Star Wars* is a huge deal for me. At the beginning, I had all of this nervous energy, and you have to put that to the side and get to work. But then you get to set and everything you see and touch just reminds you that you're in *Star Wars*. The sets on *Andor* were enormous! They basically built a real, 360° city. I could run anywhere. There was running water in the buildings! It was crazy.

I COULDN'T TELL ANYONE – NOT EVEN MY MOTHER

Secrecy on *Star Wars* is serious. You desperately want to share what you're living through with the people you love, but there's also a responsibility to conserve the audience experience. The hardest person to keep secrets from was my mother because I know her too well. I thought, "If I tell her, that's telling the whole of Puerto Rico. I can't do that. That's how I get fired."

I PLANNED GETTING A *STAR WARS* TATTOO

I play a character called Bix, who's an old friend of Diego Luna's character Cassian Andor. I have never taken as many selfies in my life as when I tried on the costume! It got me feeling just how badass this character was. I even considered getting her name tattooed on me but then Tony [Gilroy, the showrunner] called and said, "Yeah, maybe don't do that until the trailer comes out" – and I haven't had the opportunity to do it since.

I HAVE A READY-MADE FAN DISGUISE

I did think about how this role could make me more recognisable. I did *Morbius*, a Marvel film, and realised while filming, "Oh man, this is going to change things," but with *Star Wars* you're entering a completely different, massive fanbase.

I'm excited to get to know the fans, but I'm less excited about being recognised all the time. I have naturally curly hair anyway, so I'll just wear my hair curly if I don't want to be recognised; no one will know it's me. That's my secret weapon! **STEPHEN KELLY**

The first series of Andor is now streaming on Disney+

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THE EMPIRE STRIKES BACK

Putin's invasion is part of the long death rattle of imperial Russia, says **Misha Glenny**

PAST AND PRESENT Russian leaders Joseph Stalin, Vladimir Putin and Ivan the Terrible

When we were small my father, an academic and translator of Russian novels, would read me and my siblings fairy tales about a terrifying witch, Baba Yaga, who swept across birch tree forests in a giant pestle and mortar, lived in a cottage that stood on chicken legs and was illuminated by a mysterious glow emanating from within human skulls. After that, he'd pick up a guitar and sing us melancholic folk songs in a strange tongue that we remember to this day.

Such was my earliest encounter with Russian culture. Growing up, we were surrounded by Russian books in their ornate, dimly recognisable Cyrillic script and, every so often, a Russian émigré would pitch up to engage in deep conversations with my father in a language that I didn't understand, but found achingly beautiful.

The language and culture were appealing and frightening in equal measure. As Rodric Braithwaite, British Ambassador in Moscow at the time of the Soviet Union's disintegration, put it to me, "The Russians are fascinating, ingenious, creative, sentimental, warm-hearted, generous, obstinately courageous, endlessly tough, often devious, brutal and ruthless." Now Russia and its history are frightening again and for reasons that continue to affect us all. Russian President Vladmir Putin ostentatiously positioned history at the heart of his decision to invade Ukraine last year. Ukrainians and Russians are one people, he has argued. His motive in launching the assault, he claimed, was to reunite a nation fractured by the end of the Soviet Union and the emergence of an independent Ukraine.

As Putin's war continues into 2023 I have spoken to many historians, ranging from those who are trenchant in their support for Ukraine to those who nursed a cultural sympathy for Russia and the Russians. All are convinced that Putin's actions are a sign of desperation: part of the long death rattle of Russia's colonial empire. Here in Britain, we don't associate colonialism with Russia as much as we do with our own country, France, Spain and Portugal, probably because it was exclusively land based and never a maritime empire.

> 'In two centuries Russia expanded across 11 time zones'

In fact, Russia's imperial expansion over several centuries is quite remarkable. The country started out as a handful of towns in the inhospitable northern forests of Muscovy, which were compelled to pay tribute to the Mongols of the Golden Horde until a series of leaders called Ivan, culminating in the 16th century with the Terrible, finally overcame the remnants of the Mongolian Empire. Within a couple of centuries, it expanded east across a staggering 11 time zones from the Baltic Sea to the Pacific coast, and south down to the Caspian.

The absence of any clearly defined borders to Russia, especially to the west, contributed to bouts of exceptional violence that continued through the Tsars and Joseph Stalin's USSR. The Soviet Union was a predominantly Russian state, but did it eventually nurture such powerful feelings among its peripheral nations – like the Baltic States, Kazakhstan and, of course, Ukraine – that it actually delivered a devastating blow to Russian national identity?

Whatever the answer, I suspect we will find Russia having to reinvent itself again in the coming years, and with Europe confronting a potentially disastrous widening of the conflict it is vital that we investigate the imperatives that drive the Russians. Investigate the deeper forces that have shaped Russia over the past five centuries and it might help to explain why most Russians appear to be supportive of Vladimir Putin and his destructive invasion of Ukraine.

Half a century after my father frightened me, Baba Yaga is back. We need to understand why.

Misha Glenny presents The Invention of Russia, Monday 11am Radio 4

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"In dramatising the *Saga*," explained the drama's producer and adapter Donald Wilson, "we have tried to put ourselves into the mind of John Galsworthy the playwright, and retell his story in purely dramatic form. But with such advantages as the author, bound by the theatre, knowing only the silent cinema and nothing of television, could never have dreamed of."

Such was the series' acclaim that on its BBC1 repeat, it drew audiences of 18 million. **MARK BRAXTON**

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Great to have Catherine back – but make the most of it

CARRY ON, SGT Catherine Cawood (Sarah Lancashire) has troubles by the caseload

PHEW! THE FESTIVITIES are beginning to fade and now we can really start to enjoy ourselves. I'm a big fan of January. Let's hear it for this unheralded month where no one expects you to be full of good cheer. And showing the first episode of series three of Sally Wainwright's *Happy Valley* on terrestrial TV on New Year's Day is genius scheduling, BBC, thank you. A fantastic palate cleanser. I'll be honest, though, I had qualms. Did I want to be back in *Happy Valley* (Sunday BBC1)? Did any of us need to be?

The second series finished in 2016 and seemed to end perfectly. Police Sergeant Catherine Cawood (Sarah Lancashire) gazing at her young grandson Ryan playing on a hillside and wondering… and so were we. Would the boy triumph over his genes? Or was he destined to repeat his father's hideous behaviour? And that's why that final scene was so effective. No silly, neat conclusion tied up with a bow. Just a heap of ambivalence. Uncomfortable, and appropriate.

> 'It's brilliant because of the sharp dialogue and small, domestic details'

But here we are again. Nearly seven years on, Cawood's nemesis Tommy Lee Royce – a rapist who drove her daughter to suicide – is in prison. Royce is Ryan's father and Ryan is now 16. A difficult age whoever you are. He's interested in his father, of course he is. Still, there's a faint sense of calm in the household and plans for the future. Catherine's counting down the days to retirement. A character even suggests "things have been easier recently". I think I can hear alarm bells clanging. But if I have any doubts about a return to the valley, they soon vanish. Within minutes, human remains have been discovered, Sgt Cawood has been horribly patronised by two middle-aged men and the local fridge-thrower has turned their attention to hurling microwaves around instead. See what I mean? We're back in business.

MUCH ATTENTION IS focused on James Norton's powerful performance as evil, manipulative Tommy Lee Royce. His full beard may make him look biblical, but the unnerving snarl and a prominent scar on his forehead indicate that he's still the same old Tommy. Norton has already promised fans that the ending of this series will not disappoint. And in the nicest possible way, I hope that means his character won't be alive at the end of it. But in truth, there are plenty of dramas with evil characters like him – and although Norton's a great actor, he's not why I love this series.

There's certainly grit, the fabulous scenery of the Calder Valley and moral ambivalence aplenty, but Wainwright's work is consistently brilliant because of the sharp, convincing dialogue and the smaller, more domestic details: the family meals with clutter everywhere, the awkward things that go unsaid, the interactions that remind us of stuff that's happened to us. For example, Cawood's hapless colleague Joyce asks an innocent question about her plans for a retirement do, urging her to have one and assuring her that she's "popular in certain circles". That's not good enough for our hero, suddenly thin-skinned. Who doesn't like her, exactly? In which circles is she not popular? We've all been there, haven't we? Oh, all right then, I've been there. I had a do on Zoom in the end, thanks for asking. And we both enjoyed it.

MONSTER James Norton as Tommy Lee Royce

Despite a sense of foreboding, it's not all gloom. As ever, some of the best scenes are between Lancashire and Siobhan Finneran as her sister, Clare. They have a yoga session at the police station, but Catherine finds it causes flatulence among the participants: "They gave up enough methane to melt a polar ice cap." Late joiners can watch the first two series on iPlayer. And if you want to make the most of series three, I urge you to do so.

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‘This series will have the big cathartic showdown that people have waited for’

SALLY WAINWRIGHT

SEEKING JUSTICE
Sarah Lancashire is back as Sergeant Catherine Cawood

IT'S MY VALLEY FINALE

Happy Valley is back after a seven-year hiatus – creator **Sally Wainwright** reveals why this is the very last series

THE RT INTERVIEW BY **AMY RAPHAEL**

Sally Wainwright knows to quit while she's ahead. Fans of *Happy Valley* – and they are everywhere, both here and in the USA – might have hoped the Yorkshire-based crime drama would run for at least four or five seasons, but instead it will end with the third (starting on New Year's Day). Wainwright spoke to Sarah Lancashire, who plays Sergeant Catherine Cawood, and they were in agreement. "We made a definite decision that this was going to be the final season," says Wainwright. "Just because it's been successful, we weren't going to let it drift on until it became a pale shadow of itself."

So, no more Catherine sitting at the back door with her sister Clare, played by the excellent Siobhan Finneran, having a cup of tea and a cigarette. No more of the fractious but fragile Ryan, the grandson Catherine is bringing up because her daughter took her own life after she was raped by Tommy Lee Royce. And no more of the psychopathic Tommy, portrayed to perfection by James Norton, trying to get close to Ryan, despite Catherine's best efforts to stop him.

The third series is just starting and it's easy to feel bereft. Since *Happy Valley* first aired in 2014, Wainwright's beautifully drawn characters have become part of the fabric of our lives.

Of course, we've already had to wait nearly seven years for the latest episodes. What took so long? Talking on the phone from her home outside Oxford, Wainwright laughs. "During a large part of the hiatus I was writing and directing *Gentleman Jack*, which is such an intense project. I had to read and transcribe Anne Lister's diaries and turn them into a dramatic narrative. After season two of *Happy Valley*, I had a pretty clear idea of what I wanted to do next. It involved Ryan being old enough to have some agency in the ▷

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◁ world and to have some more developed opinions about his dad."

It's a shock to see Ryan reappear as a strapping 16-year-old lad with a deep voice, but all the central cast have returned for the final run and the continuity really works – when the family sit around Catherine's dining table in the first episode, it's like seeing old friends. "I'm glad it feels like that," says Wainwright. "There was a conversation about recasting Ryan, but Rhys [Connah] was keen to play the part again and he's great. I think we'd have had a very different show if we'd recast. It wouldn't have had the same feeling because Rhys has a lovely vulnerability about him."

JUST GRAND Catherine Cawood (Sarah Lancashire) and grandson Ryan (Rhys Connah). "Rhys has a lovely vulnerability," says Sally Wainwright

Wainwright sees the world in a very particular way – as it is. Growing up in Sowerby Bridge in West Yorkshire, she wrote strip cartoons and then plays with her sister and, even at the age of seven, was drawn to the dialogue as "the most alive thing". After graduating from York University with a degree in English, she wrote for *The Archers* and *Coronation Street*, a discipline that led *Corrie* alumni such as the late Kay Mellor, Paul Abbott and Wainwright herself to create socio-political drama that is also funny.

'I want to show why Tommy does such terrible things'

Happy Valley is often seen, rather lazily, as "gritty", but that overlooks what Wainwright does so well – humour. She's included it in every drama she's written, from *At Home with the Braithwaites* to *Scott & Bailey* and *Last Tango in Halifax*, but there's something exceptional about the humour in *Happy Valley*, which comes at unexpected moments and really hits home.

OFFENDER Tommy (James Norton, right) is still making waves

She's pleased to hear this, but then confesses to feeling nervous about replicating the huge success of series one and two. "I was really anxious not to write a duff third season. I really don't think it is. There's a very definite climax. A narrative has gone across all three: in season one, Catherine and Tommy came face to face outside Ryan's school, and in season two they almost came face to face in the crematorium, at Tommy's mum's funeral. In season three, there's a very big face-to-face showdown. The kind of cathartic showdown that people have waited for." She laughs. "It's pretty dramatic."

Tommy Lee Royce is, once again, the disrupter in *Happy Valley*, albeit with a different look – this time he's gone full-on Jesus, with long hair, a beard and scars. There has always been an odd kind of chemistry between Tommy and Catherine, which makes it impossible to look away when they're on screen.

"I guess that, from a writer's point of view, the chemistry between them is [created by] presenting each character as they would like to present themselves. So even though Tommy does these terrible things, I always wanted to be fair to him and show why he does them. He's cursed with this psychopathic brain. As Ryan says a couple of times in this season, 'Tommy was born like that, it's not his fault.' And Catherine agrees with him, but she says that's why you have to throw away the key."

In the first series, Tommy beat Catherine up and, of course, the tabloids complained. But Wainwright was in fact very careful about her depiction of violence; it wasn't gratuitous but rather mirrored real life. "I worked on *Happy Valley* with a police adviser called Lisa Farrand. She was pretty cross with some of that criticism because it's the reality of being a cop; she's been badly beaten up twice and nearly killed once. To not reflect it in a drama that is realistic about what it's like to be a female police officer would be a whitewash."

It's not as though Wainwright had no previ-

FAMILY GATHERING Catherine (Sarah Lancashire), Neil (Con O'Neill), Clare (Siobhan Finneran) and Ryan (Rhys Connah)

WAINWRIGHT'S GREATEST HITS

◀ **EARLY 2000s** Amanda Redman and Peter Davison leading the cast of ITV comedy drama *At Home with the Braithwaites*

▼ **2009** Suranne Jones in ITV's *Unforgiven*

▼ **2012–20** Anne Reid and Derek Jacobi in BBC1's *Last Tango in Halifax*

2011–16 Lesley Sharp and Suranne Jones in ITV detective drama *Scott & Bailey*

▲ **2016** Charlie Murphy, Chloe Pirrie and Finn Atkins in BBC1's *To Walk Invisible*

2019–22 Suranne Jones in BBC1's *Gentleman Jack*

ous experience of writing cop dramas; in fact, she was approached by the BBC to write what became *Happy Valley* following the success of *Scott & Bailey*, ITV's police procedural that starred Suranne Jones and Lesley Sharp as detectives. What was her starting point? "I wanted to make it different

'I'm slightly autistic – social interaction is quite painful for me'

from *Scott & Bailey*, so the most obvious thing was to have someone in uniform. I was heavily influenced by *Juliet Bravo* [BBC1 1980–85], which I watched as a teen. *Nurse Jackie* [the US comedy drama] had a profound effect on me and I wanted to create my own Jackie Peyton, by turning her into a police officer. There was also a 2009 documentary called *Shed Your Tears and Walk Away* by Jez Lewis, about the drug and alcohol culture in Hebden Bridge among a certain age group. It's really heartbreaking but brilliant. I got the cast to watch it before we started filming season one. It helped set the tone for what we were trying to achieve."

In recent years, Wainwright started directing as well as writing. To date, she's written, directed and produced more than half a dozen episodes of *Happy Valley* and *Gentleman Jack* and a drama about the Brontë sisters, *To Walk Invisible*. Directing has to be the antidote to writing, surely? "It's the complete opposite. Writing is very lonesome and I love nothing more than being on my own. I'm not a sociable person. I recently decided that I'm slightly autistic and that social interaction is actually quite painful for me. But when I'm directing, because there's so much to talk about, so much intensity and detail, I come alive. It's the only time I feel like I'm good at being sociable."

Her desire to direct grew from the frustration of handing the script over to someone who doesn't always get it in the same way that she does. She also acknowledges that there's still a paucity of female directors because women don't think it's their right to stand behind a camera. "I think it requires confidence, but also it takes a certain type of woman to direct. It's about having an incredibly tough mindset. I don't have a thick skin, so I have to consciously put on a coat of armour and not take anything as an insult or negative comment."

Despite Wainwright's phenomenal success – *Happy Valley* alone has five Baftas – she still occasionally faces frustration. HBO, who co-produced *Gentleman Jack* with the BBC, has pulled out after just two series, despite a dedicated fanbase. It was "a real passion project" for Wainwright and she's currently exploring other options for funding.

In the meantime, she's written another historical drama, *The Ballad of Renegade Nell*, for Disney+. It follows the adventures of an 18th-century character who becomes the most infamous highwaywoman in the country and stars Louisa Harland, Joely Richardson and Adrian Lester. Wainwright says she loves doing research and jokingly refers to herself as a "keen amateur historian".

For now, however, the world will be watching the final season of *Happy Valley*. Since we can't talk about the plotlines for fear of spoilers, we talk about Catherine being such a pleasure to spend time with. "She's basically a very funny, competent woman to whom something very tragic has happened. The older a character gets, the more likely they are to have those complexities."

Above all, Wainwright has written the kind of person that so many of us want to be mates with. She laughs. "Well, I create characters that I want to be or that I want as mates. That's part of the fun of being a writer – you can invent all these invisible friends."

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'I put out food for FOXES'

Dog lover **Chris Packham** says foxes are "great survivors" – but some of our domestic pets' wild cousins are in serious danger

INTERVIEW BY
SHERNA NOAH

PACKHAM'S PASSION
Red foxes are unpopular with many people – but Chris Packham thinks they're "absolutely beautiful"

Chris Packham is gazing at his miniature poodle, Sid. His love for his two dogs, Sid and Nancy – who made him laugh during his morning walk in local woodland by jumping into a leaf-strewn stream – is intense. But right now, it's his pets' wild cousins he's concerned about. And he wants us all to be concerned about them, too.

Wild dogs, the most widespread carnivores on the planet, are experiencing tough times. The family of 37 different species, from dingoes and foxes to jackals and wolves, are having to adapt to change in their habitats, from snow-capped mountains to scorching deserts and grasslands.

"Because we have a deep affection for pet dogs, we ought to be more caring about their wild relatives," says Packham. "Some species are not doing very well, they're suffering from persecution, habitat loss and climate change."

One species, "which really divides us", is thriving in our cities, however. The red fox is "declining in our countryside" because of a "lack of rabbits, road casualties and persecution from gamekeepers". But its "cast-iron constitution" and its ability to tuck into virtually anything, including rotten food, means it has adapted smoothly to urban life.

Packham has always had a deep connection with foxes: "They're very beautiful," he says.

'My love for my dogs fuels my passion for foxes and wolves'

"I absolutely love foxes, I've kept them and rehabilitated them, and I've fed them pretty much all my life. Other people really despise red foxes. They don't like them because they poo on their lawn, or attack their improperly kept chickens… They can be very divisive."

Anyone feeding the red fox, says Packham, should do so in such a way that they never associate "a human with that food. I don't feed them on my patio. I put food out in the woods for them. We've got to be careful how we interact with wild animals and do it in a way that isn't about just gratifying ourselves – ie getting a close encounter with them – but also making sure that we're looking after their health and wellbeing."

The extraordinary lives of foxes and other wild dogs feature in BBC1's Natural History Unit series *Dogs in the Wild: Meet the Family*, which Packham narrates. As a nation of pooch lovers, the presenter hopes that the bond we have with our four-legged friends will hook us in. "I'm sure that my love for Sid and Nancy fuels my passion for foxes and wolves and other wild dog species," he says. "Even if you don't have dogs, you know dogs, don't you? You live amongst them. Most people see dogs on a daily basis. There is that connection."

We are in a "golden age" of canid scientific discovery, says the naturalist, who adds that he learnt a lot himself making the three-part series, which concludes on Wednesday. Packham was particularly struck by new insight into the emotional intelligence of African wild dogs: "I had no idea about broken heart syndrome."

Targeted and sometimes shot by farmers in southern Africa, where they're seen as a threat to livestock, the dogs featured at a rescue centre in the programme died despite recovering from their injuries. A post-mortem revealed their death was caused by heart ruptures or stress around the heart – effectively broken heart syndrome – the same condition that can affect humans. The conclusion? The dogs suffered extreme grief because they missed the company of their pack.

The lives of wild dogs are also being disrupted by climate change. On K'gari island, off the east coast of Australia, a paradise of ancient forest surrounded by tropical beaches, dingoes are eating turtle eggs instead of their usual food sources, which are being destroyed by ever more devastating forest fires.

What did Packham think of the UN's Cop27 climate change conference, held in November in Sharm el-Sheikh in Egypt, where a deal was struck for rich nations to pay poorer countries for the damage caused?

"I'm never going to be happy, am I?" he replies. He says deals have been on the table at the last few Cops – and pledges made – but no one has made the payments properly to date. "What we need is action now. Kicking the ball into the long grass, setting targets that aren't even being properly approached, isn't helpful.

DEEP BOND Miniature poodles Sid and Nancy are Packham's joy

What is critically needed is that the richer, developed nations start digging deep into their pockets to support the poorer nations, who are suffering the brunt of climate change. I'd like to shake them, frankly."

When it comes to renewable energy, we have missed golden opportunities, he says. "We've got a crisis where the cost of fossil fuels has gone through the roof… We live in a windy part on the edge of a continent. There should be far more wind turbines. We've got to put these things in the right place, though. I'm not suggesting that we put a wind turbine in the middle of Trafalgar Square."

His patience has run out: "New buildings in the UK should have electric car-charging points and grey-water handling, so we save all the water that comes out of our sinks, baths and showers and that should be reprocessed. And

KEY SPECIES
The wolf is vital to a stable and harmonious eco-system, says Chris Packham

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UNDER THREAT
The white, or polar, fox lives on the shrinking snow and ice of the Arctic

they should have solar panels on the roof. If developers aren't doing that, I think we've reached a point where we don't have any more time to waste – they know it's the right thing to do. So, make it mandatory."

Packham describes looking out at the London skyline, at a "colossal" sea of roof space, which "could all have solar panels". London features in the new documentary, although from a very different vantage point – much closer to the ground, where remarkable footage shows the red fox prowling front-garden walls and stuffing food into car bonnets to eat later. "They're great survivors – they take advantage of us, but they don't need us," he says. Even in cities, only 50 per cent of their diet is the food humans eat. "If they don't get half a hotdog or a pizza, they're quite happy to go and find a rat or a pigeon."

Not everyone is as enamoured with the fox as he is. But it's time, he says, to "bury the hatchet" with another canine, the wolf. "Nothing divides opinion more, because of the legends of the wolf eating Little Red Riding Hood and so on."

"There were times in our mutual history when wolves were a serious threat to humans. Those old feelings seem to take a long time to disappear from our collective consciousness," he reflects. "Wolves are a keystone species. Without them, as a top of the food chain predator, that ecosystem is not entirely functional, harmonious, dynamic or stable."

Not everything is entirely harmonious in the domestic dog and human world, either. We talk as a London council sparks headlines for proposing to fine dog-walkers who don't carry litter bags. Packham thinks the council is "right to take a hard line. Occasionally, if I'm out and I see piles of other people's dogs' poo, I'll pick that up. Why not? It's just so antisocial… You can't have poo all over the pavement, not now." Packham recalls the different days of his childhood. "At school, in the 1960s, you could be playing football on a sports pitch and you could fall over and everyone would laugh at you. You had to go home because you were covered in dog poo. It was despicable."

He doesn't have to contend with that problem in the woodland surrounding his New Forest cottage in Hampshire. There, Packham finds harmony among the trees, with his dogs as companions. "The sheer joy of being out in nature is enhanced by the relationship I have with my dogs. They make me laugh, they make me happy," says Packham. "They add a completely different dimension from being out on my own."

With his love of dogs – he even wants his ashes eventually to be interred with those of his dead poodles, Itchy and Scratchy – *Dogs in the Wild* is a perfect fit. What's he itching to make next? The answer: a series about parrots.

"Parrots are very interesting. Work has been done recently on both wild and captive parrots, on their cognitive abilities, and what they're doing in the wild," he says. "And we have seen very rare and endangered parrots being put back into the wild." And just like the dogs, there is a connection: "There is a cultural inner affinity with them. Everyone from Long John Silver seems to have a parrot on their shoulder."

MORE MEMBERS OF THE WILD DOG FAMILY

FENNEC FOX

The world's smallest wild dog – "barely the size of a walking boot" – lives in the blasting heat of the Sahara Desert. Despite the soaring temperatures, the fennec fox is the only dog that doesn't need to drink. They get all the water they need from the food they eat, even the tiniest spider.

ARCTIC WOLF

Sub-species of the grey wolf. Males can weigh up to 60kg. Their howls can be heard for miles across the open Arctic tundra – useful for young wolves returning to the safety of their pack if they fail to find a mate.

AFRICAN WILD DOG

How do these most sociable of wild dogs decide to leave their location to hunt? Research suggests that their sneezes could be a form of voting. There are other theories – could the dogs in the pack be clearing their noses to make smelling their prey and running easier?

TANUKI

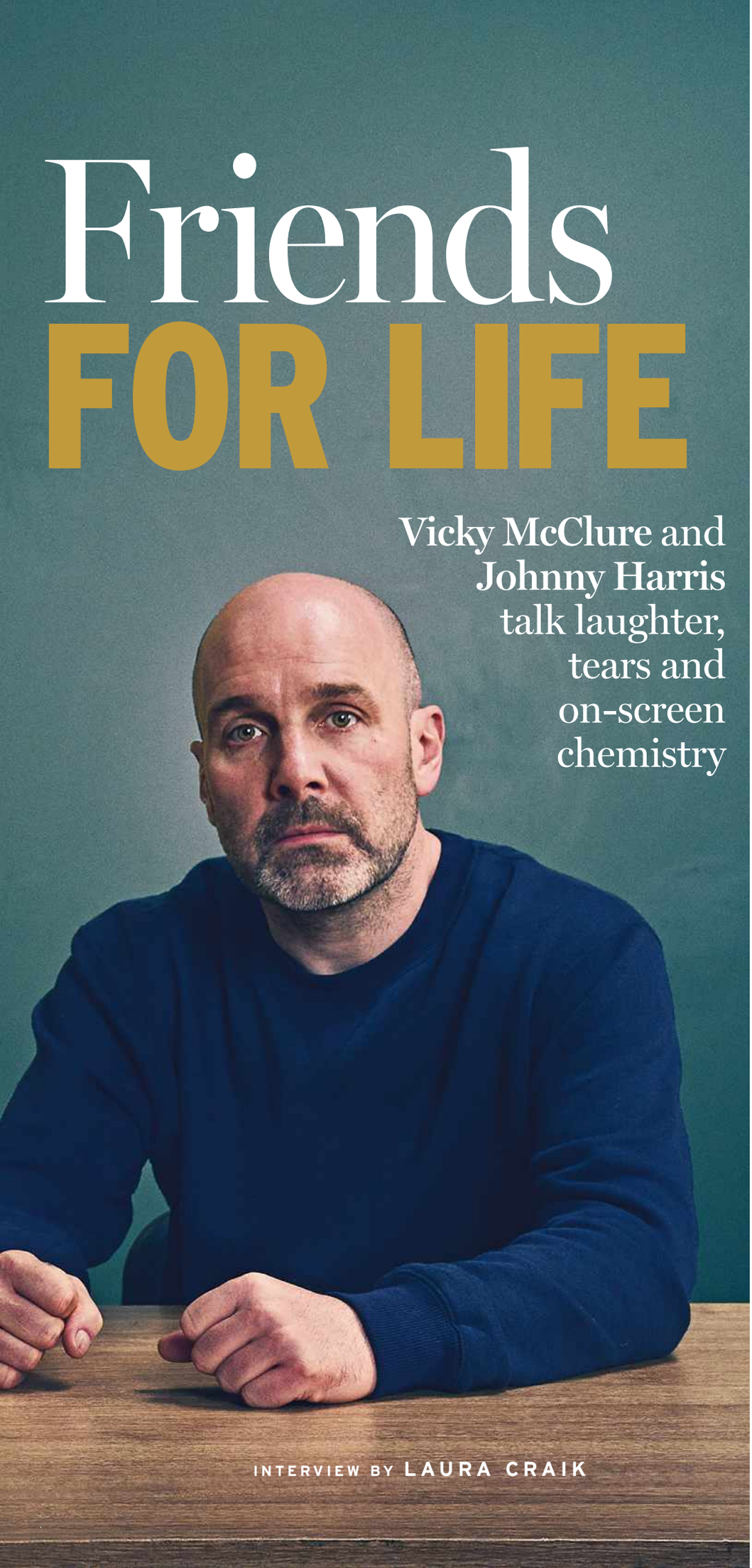
The racoon-like tanuki are usually found in forests and meadows. But their numbers are exploding in Tokyo, particularly in the gardens of Buddhist temples where they live off fruit, flowers and insects, as well as food put out by humans.

MANED WOLF

Maned wolves have adapted to live among the sugar cane plantations that have replaced so much of Brazil's natural grassland and forests. But the pups of these tall-legged creatures are dying. The culprit? Harvest time, when the wolves' food source and shelter are cut down. Farmers are now leaving some areas uncut during the harvest, giving the wolves enough shelter and prey to hunt in order to raise their pups. In return, the wolves keep rodents in check. **SN**

Friends FOR LIFE

Vicky McClure and Johnny Harris talk laughter, tears and on-screen chemistry



INTERVIEW BY **LAURA CRAIK**

AN ACTOR SINCE THE age of 15, Vicky McClure is well accustomed to the peripatetic nature of a job that involves being flung together with strangers for weeks, or even months, on end, then never seeing them again. But not in the case of drama *Without Sin*. When I ask whether it was good to be reunited with Johnny Harris, who she first worked with 13 years ago, her response is unexpected. "We weren't reunited!" she laughs. "We're best mates! We've probably spoken every day since we first met."

They first met in Nottingham in 2009, after Harris was cast in *This Is England '86*, the sequel to the seminal 2006 Shane Meadows film in which McClure was cast as everybody's favourite skinhead, Lol. In the sequel, Harris played Lol's abusive father, Mick Jenkins, a role that would be as career-defining for him as Lol was for McClure.

"I genuinely thought 'what a kind man'," says McClure of Harris. "I knew straight away that I could trust him. In terms of his energy and dedication, and what he brought to the screen, I'd never witnessed anything like it before."

"I'm from London, and London can be quite harsh and cynical sometimes," adds Harris. "I walked into this rehearsal room and there was Vicky, sitting there and being really welcoming. If I die tomorrow, this will have been the most incredible friendship of my life."

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> **VICKI McCLURE**

After years of looking for a suitable project, McClure and Harris are delighted finally to be back working together. That they're working in Nottingham is the icing on the cake. That they're working on a drama that was written especially for them is surely the cherry. Created by Nottingham-born writer Frances Poletti, *Without Sin* tells the harrowing story of what is every parent's worst nightmare: the loss of a child. McClure plays grieving mother Stella Tomlinson – her performance as raw and visceral as any she's given. Harris plays suspected murderer Charles Stone and his performance is every inch as intense and nuanced as McClure's.

To say there's an intimacy between Stella and her daughter's murderer sounds strange, yet such is McClure and Harris's on-screen chemistry that the description holds. Both agree that their friendship helped their performances immensely, even though McClure admits that at first, they worried their overfamiliarity might be a hindrance. "But we went to work, and there was this beautiful moment, after we'd done the first scene, where we were just like, 'Ooh!'" ▷

◁ Harris agrees. "It helped, working with Vicky. We've cried tears of sadness together. We've cried laughing together. Once you get on set and look into each other's eyes, you've got a lot of stuff to draw on. Sometimes, it doesn't happen with your fellow actors – for one reason or another, you don't connect. Working on this, I could look at Vicky and just let go and free fall."

As Stella, McClure took on a role of unmatchable, unbearable sorrow. How did she tap into that performance? "I know people who have lost children, albeit in different circumstances, and at different times of the child's life. They all deal with it very differently. All you can ever really do is honour the script. I'm surrounded by an incredibly trusting cast and crew, which then allows you to embody that script. You've got to dig deep, and find what the truth is in that moment. I don't know what it feels like to lose a child. To take yourself there is a very dark place to be, but it's never even going to scratch the surface of what it feels like in reality."

Harris also had to dig deep to get inside the character of Charles Stone. "No man is a villain unto himself," he says. "If you're playing your character as a villain, there's usually something wrong with your prep. I don't know about liking the character, because some human beings don't like themselves, but they've still got something truthful going on inside. The reason you do it is to try and find the truth. You're like a magpie, searching."

One thing nobody had to search long for was a location. *Without Sin* was set in Nottingham anyway, but as the first major vehicle from Build Your Own Films (BYOF), the production company founded by McClure and her partner, Jonny Owen, it was particularly meaningful that it was filmed in McClure's home town. "Birmingham, Leeds, Glasgow, Belfast, Cardiff and London all get lots of love, but Nottingham doesn't really get much of the action," says McClure. "I've always thought that's such a shame, because it really helps feed the economy of a city. We have incredible people and incredible places to utilise." Filming took place around local landmarks such as Notts County Football Club and Victoria Centre Market, while many of the cast were local actors sourced from theatre workshops, including The Television Workshop, where McClure once trained. "There were plenty of actors who had their first rodeo. It's so nice to be able to cast people on ability and give them a shot that they wouldn't normally get."

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JOHNNY HARRIS

A similarly inclusive attitude informs the content that McClure and Owen want to focus on with their production company. McClure might once have joked that it would be "very hard for me to move to Hollywood because I'd be nowhere near a Greggs, and I don't think I'd like a life without a sausage roll", but there's nothing funny about her commitment to living and working in Nottingham, despite a stellar CV that could easily take her to LA. A huge part of McClure's appeal as an actor is her authenticity; she'd rather use her own ladder than climb up someone else's greasy pole. She'd also rather use said ladder to give others a rung up.

With BYOF, she's well on her way. "There are so many stories that I'm desperate to tell and things that I'm desperate to be in. And there are stories that I won't be in, but I'm still desperate to tell. I can't really believe our luck. We're being given great opportunities and we really want to make it work, because we believe in it. We also see opportunities and jobs for other people."

She can't give any details about what's in the pipeline, but will reveal their slate holds "about 17 projects at the moment. And all from amazing writers, who are worth their weight in gold."

Adrian Dunbar, her *Line of Duty* co-star, has said he'd love to work on a BYOF project and as her relationship with Harris proves, when it comes to forging enduring friendships with her co-stars, McClure has form. Does she have any ideas for a part? "I can't say too much," she beams. "But yeah, there is!"

As a final question, I ask what has changed between her and Harris in the intervening 15 years. "Nothing's changed – I've just got to know him more," she smiles.

"Everything's changed for Vicky – she's a star," beams Harris. "I walked through Nottingham Square with her, and it was like someone had plugged the mains into the town hall. It was like being the kid at school with the cool sister. This woman is rightly recognised at the top level for her work, and everything that comes with that. And yet, nothing has changed. She's still Vicky, my pal, taking the p*** out of me."

TOUGH LOVE
Top: The cast of *This Is England '86* and left: Vicky McClure with her *Line of Duty* co-stars, Adrian Dunbar and Martin Compston

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Traveller in crime

Kevin Whately starred in *Morse* and *Lewis*, but now he's far happier not being a cop

THE COPS GET the trailer, the rest of us get the rabbit hutches." There it is, then, in a nutshell – the inside track on the haves and the have-nots behind the scenes of any familiar, picturesque, sprawling two-hour police procedural. Turns out, it doesn't matter who you are or how familiar your own face is, when you turn up on set as "guest star", you still get "the room with a chair and not much else". But that's something that suited Kevin Whately down to the ground when he crossed the space-time TV cop continuum to film his guest role in this week's *Midsomer Murders*.

For Whately, after nearly 70 hours of playing John Thaw's sidekick in *Inspector Morse* and then the same amount again in the title role of the sequel *Lewis*, stretching his TV muscles without the burden of leadership proved to be a delight. "We filmed the episode almost two years ago, so I was fascinated to see how they managed with all the Covid restrictions, which they did, impeccably. The story was all built around a Gilbert and Sullivan opera, so we all got to sing. I already knew Neil Dudgeon, plus [fellow guest stars] Samantha Spiro and Alex Hanson." He pauses. "It's nice not to be playing a policeman – it's much more relaxing."

> 'I'm not keen on getting up at five in the morning. I'm knocking on'
>
> **KEVIN WHATELY**

Every actor talks a good game about loving their craft more than the business, but for Whately, it really does sound as though that's the case. "There are quite lot of pressures – you feel responsibility for the whole unit, for people's incomes. Plus, after you've been doing it for a while, some of the producers assume you know more than them, so you get asked what you think of one script over another, and I'm just not interested in all of that."

With the responsibility of helming a hit show looming ever larger on *Lewis*, in 2015 he committed TV's cardinal sin and quit the hit.

ITV must have been surprised, to say the least? Whately chuckles. "I tried to warn them. I'd taken a year off a couple of years before, and Laurence Fox and I kept trying to tell them we wouldn't be going on for ever. Then, when we'd done ten years, which is coincidentally the same number as on *Morse*, we said we were off and they still seemed surprised!"

Over those 20 years on *Morse* and *Lewis*, Whately had his own taste of playing host to revered guests. "Gosh, yes. On *Morse*, we had a couple of old theatrical knights – John Gielgud was in one, and Michael Hordern. Plus Jim Broadbent, lots of people I loved. And on *Lewis*, we had David Warner, who I loved long before I was an actor myself."

FOR WHATELY, THOUGH, it's clear nobody really competes with the man he stood next to for a decade, John Thaw – who seemingly effortlessly moved from the physical vigour of *The Sweeney's* Jack Regan to the far more contemplative Morse without a beat. Although Whately only got to know Thaw properly after first meeting him on set in the mid-80s, he remains in awe.

"I can't think of anybody who compares with him. Apart from the steely blue eyes and his acting ability, he had the voice of God and could

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COSTUME DRAMA
Kevin Whately, Neil Dudgeon and Fiona Dolman star together in *Midsomer Murders*

"THE VOICE OF GOD"
Whately with his hero, John Thaw, in *Inspector Morse*

do things with it that nobody else could – phenomenal."

Could his foray into *Midsomer* tempt Whately back into the world of crime drama, the TV schedulers' perennial favourite? He sounds unconvinced. "I love working with actors, I'm just not that keen on getting up at five in the morning, especially when I see the frost outside. I'm knocking on."

So future guest roles for Whately it is then, even if that means the rabbit hutches.

CAROLINE FROST

*They*dunnit

Other TV detectives spotted in *Midsomer*

ROGER ALLAM ▲

ALAN HOLLINGSWORTH
Faithful unto Death (1998)

Long before Inspector Thursday made pork pie hats required headwear for crimesolving in *Endeavour*, Allam was a victim of one. As the unscrupulous owner of a village community crafts centre whose wife disappeared, Hollingsworth was then poisoned, with Allam's acting chops put to the test, motionless on a couch as Gavin Troy lifted one lifeless eyelid – not even a familiar eyebrow arch.

ANNA MAXWELL MARTIN ▼

ARABELLA HEYWOOD
Murder on St Malley's Day (2002)

A young Maxwell Martin clearly learnt all her powers of inquisition at the master's knee. Almost two decades before she terrified viewers and suspects alike as *Line of Duty's* unblinking DCS Patricia Carmichael, she was grilled by the far more chilled Tom Barnaby about a classmate's death during a school race.

BEN BAILEY SMITH ▼

ZACH LIME *Let Us Prey (2014)*

Before he graced our screens in *Law & Order: UK*, the rapper and comedian better known as Doc Brown played a river officer who discovered a drowned body with evidence of blunt force trauma. Her face was also covered with a burlap hood, similar to an image on a medieval fresco found in a nearby church crypt. All quite complicated, even without the distraction of episode co-star Roy Hudd, who also co-starred with Bailey Smith in *Law & Order: UK*.

OLIVIA COLMAN ▶

BERNICE
Small Mercies (2009)

The *Broadchurch* star's character wasn't even given a surname, but she wasn't that much of a nobody – it was a deliberate ruse to throw viewers off the scent of her parentage. Blonde Bernice was the secret love child of two residents. And she was also a murderer who bumped off anyone who came between her and her cherished model village, the real-life Buckinghamshire family attraction that has hopefully been wiped down since Bernice's first victim met his sticky end.

UNA STUBBS ▶

SELINA JENNINGS
Written in Blood (1998) and
AUDREY BRAYLESFORD
The Dagger Club (2015)

A double showing for the star who appeared in *Midsomer's* first ever episode as the wife of psychotherapist Max, who was killed by a former patient. In her later episode, while a booby-trapped roulette wheel proved the murder weapon *du jour*, Stubbs proved herself a dab hand at poker, *Sherlock*-ready.

SANJEEV BHASKAR ▼

ARMAND STONE
The Killings of Copenhagen (2014)

Given *Midsomer's* huge popularity in Denmark and the passion for Nordic noir on these shores, the 100th episode saw a marriage of the two. When Danish butter cookies proved to be less of a treat than they appeared, *Unforgotten's* Sanjeev Bhaskar discovered that being the star baker of the cookie factory (where he worked with Joanna Scanlan) meant he soon came under John Barnaby's all-seeing eye.

LAURA RUTKOWSKI

DEADLY DANISH
Sanjeev Bhaskar, Joanna Scanlan and Neil Dudgeon marked the 100th episode

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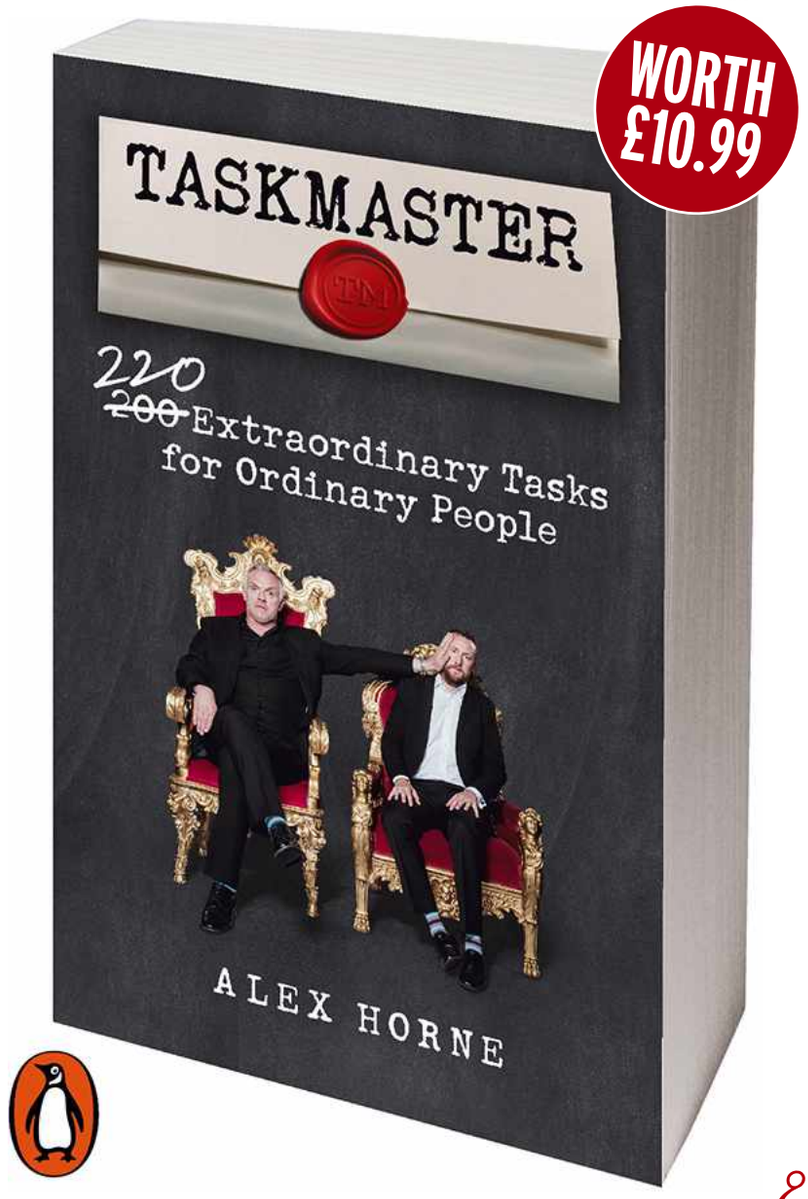

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Sport

by SIMON BARNES

OUR CUP RUNNETH OVER

The domestic game offers an orgy of free-to-air FA Cup football

Ladies and gentlemen, we apologise for the interruption to your football season. It was caused by circumstances beyond our control: a World Cup that for unaccountable reasons broke out in the middle of November and carried on until it was nearly Christmas. Normal service has been resumed. We assure you all – and this is a heartfelt resolution from all the major clubs in Britain and Europe – that it will not happen again.

After the post-Christmas return of the Premier League, the FA Cup is now celebrating the resumption of big-time men's club football by breaking out for the third round across the BBC and ITV on four successive days (beginning on Friday 6 January with Manchester United v Everton at 7.30pm, kick-off 8pm, on ITV1). We can watch the games with only some of the moral reservations that surrounded the Qatar World Cup, and without needing to feel part of a nation united in crippling angst.

The match at the top of the bill comes on Sunday, with a tie between Manchester City and Chelsea – and isn't it great that the chance-driven nature of the FA Cup gives us a fixture that would have been a wholly adequate final so recklessly early in the competition?

I suppose we still have to view things in the context of the World Cup, and the relative advantage of not having played in it. Manchester City's options up front include Erling Haaland of Norway and Riyad Mahrez of Algeria, neither of which country made the World Cup in Qatar – unlike their fellow forward Julián Álvarez of Argentina, who took home a winner's medal.

Haaland was the sensation of the pre-Qatar season. Will he come back stronger and hungrier after a nice long rest? Or will he have lost his edge? And will Álvarez be sated after his personal triumphs at the World Cup, or will he be agog for more? We'll be able to make up our own minds – or we will if Manchester City manager Pep Guardiola decides to select them.

How the World Cup has affected domestic football will be debated until the season (eventually) ends with the FA Cup final on – can you believe it? – 3 June. At that time a Test match will be under way at Lord's and the French Open tennis will be halfway through… The Champions League final takes place a week later still.

> 'The disappointments of Qatar cut deep, but the Cup brings a new prize'

Perhaps the biggest issue is how those who were involved in Qatar deal with their disappointment. For the England players, there is at least the comfort of being part of a young team with a bit of promise. England squad members for both Manchester City and Chelsea – such as John Stones, Phil Foden, Mason Mount and Raheem Sterling – know they could even win something with England in the next four years.

But those from other nations might be brooding on chances already lost. Ederson, of Manchester City and Brazil, played only once; and Kai Havertz of Chelsea was part of a German team that failed to reach the knock-out phase for the second time running.

But here's one of the great rules of sport: the best players alchemise disappointment into ambition… and there's always another prize. An Olympic swimmer must wait four years for the next Games, but in football, worthwhile prizes come along like buses. The disappointments of the World Cup cut deep, but the returning domestic season brings opportunities in the FA Cup, the League Cup (Sky will show two quarter-finals on Tuesday and Wednesday), the Premier League and in the European competitions.

There is something reassuring about the rhythms of normal life returning after Christmas – along with club football's return after a long break. Did the players overdo things? Are they still in holiday mode, or are they filled with new urgency? Will they ever feel hungry again? A long weekend of FA Cup action will provide some answers… and reassure us that footballing life is back to normal again.

SITTING IT OUT Will Manchester City's Erling Haaland benefit or suffer from not having gone to the World Cup?

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FA CUP LIVE ON TV AND RADIO

SATURDAY

Gillingham v Leicester City *12.15pm (k/o 12.30)* ***BBC1, 5 Live/Talksport 2***

Sheffield Wednesday v Newcastle Utd *5.40pm (k/o 6pm)* ***BBC1, 5 Live***

Liverpool v Wolves *7.15pm (k/o 8pm)* ***ITV4, 5 Live/Talksport***

SUNDAY

Cardiff City v Leeds Utd *1.15pm (k/o 2pm)* ***ITV1, Talksport***

Man City v Chelsea *4pm (k/o 4.30pm)* ***BBC1, 5 Live/Talksport***

MONDAY

Oxford United v Arsenal *7.30pm (k/o 8pm)* ***ITV1, 5 Live/Talksport***

SAT *12.30pm* **Spurs v Portsmouth** (***5 Sports Extra/Talksport***); *3pm* **Blackpool v Forest** (***5 Live/Talksport 2***), **Middlesbrough v Brighton** (***5 Sports Extra***); *5.30pm* **Coventry v Wrexham** (***5 Sp Ex***), **Brentford v West Ham** (***Talksport 2***). **SUN** *12.30pm* **Derby v Barnsley**, *4.30pm* **Aston Villa v Stevenage** (***5 Sp Ex***)

Streaming

Edited by FRANCES TAYLOR & DAVID BROWN

IS LOVE ENOUGH?

Can the Sussexes ever leave the past behind them?

DOCUMENTARIES

Harry and Meghan *All 6 parts available now*

Live to Lead *All 7 eps available 31 December*

The vituperative reaction from the British tabloid press to Netflix's blockbuster documentary series *Harry and Meghan* only reinforces one of its main points: a couple who might have become a great asset to a modernised royal family have left the institution, primarily because they felt the media forced them out. The observation about coverage of Meghan Markle being different to other Windsor family members is firmly made, but the series also paints a picture (in, yes, a fairly self-serving way) of the love story between Prince Harry and Meghan. If you've any interest in the monarchy, it's an essential watch. Slightly less controversial is *Live to Lead*, the pair's new seven-episode interview series in which they pay tribute to inspirational figures including Jacinda Ardern and Greta Thunberg. **JACK SEALE**

NO ESCAPE
The British press remains preoccupied with the royal outcasts

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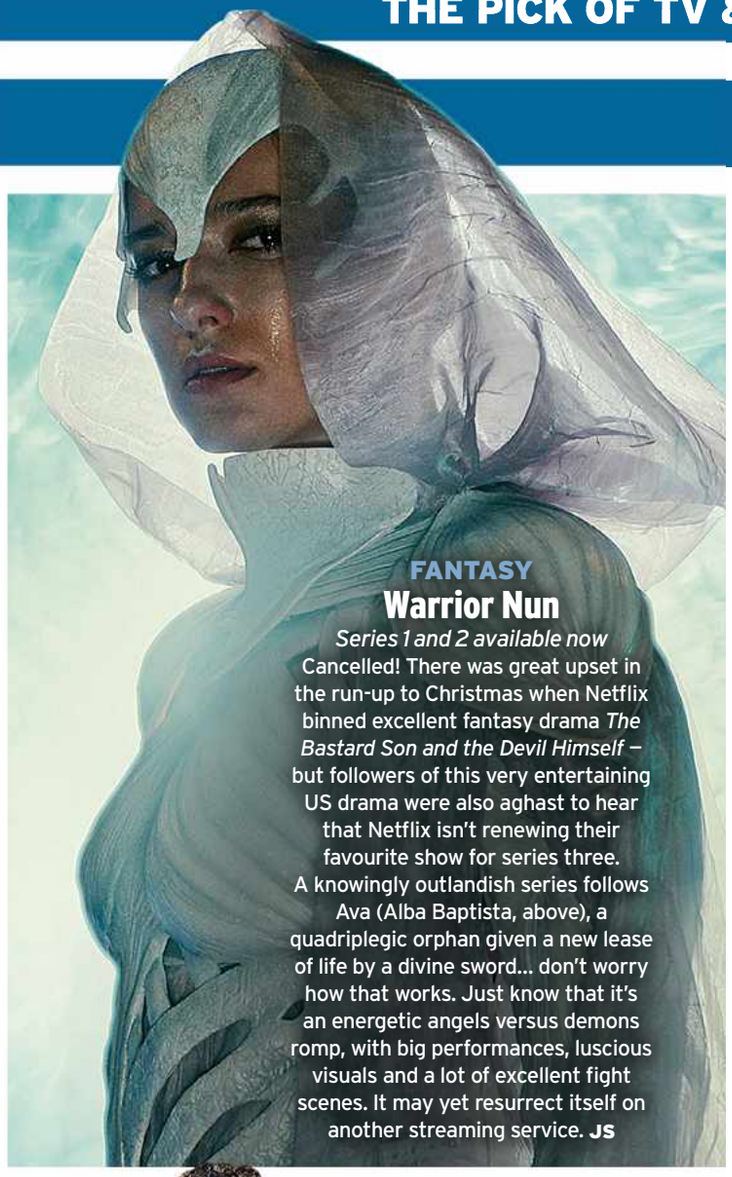
Netflix

DRAMA

Vikings: Valhalla

Series two available from 12 January

It's back to the 11th century for a second season of the spin-off from the long-running drama *Vikings*. Following the epic fall of Kattegat, our heroes, including Prince of Norway Harald Sigurdsson (Leo Suter, above), are on the run, forced to traverse woods full of scary bounty-hunters and seas with waves a mile high. Amid a lot of heavy, fateful conversations about destiny, the show's real strength is in its set pieces: battles both icy and fiery, a spot of bare-knuckle boxing and plenty of extreme boating and horse-riding. If you want your pre-medieval dramas to be spectacular and not too taxing on the brain, this fits the bill. **JS**



FANTASY

Warrior Nun

Series 1 and 2 available now

Cancelled! There was great upset in the run-up to Christmas when Netflix binned excellent fantasy drama *The Bastard Son and the Devil Himself* – but followers of this very entertaining US drama were also aghast to hear that Netflix isn't renewing their favourite show for series three. A knowingly outlandish series follows Ava (Alba Baptista, above), a quadriplegic orphan given a new lease of life by a divine sword... don't worry how that works. Just know that it's an energetic angels versus demons romp, with big performances, luscious visuals and a lot of excellent fight scenes. It may yet resurrect itself on another streaming service. **JS**

DOCUMENTARY

Misha and the Wolves

★★★ 12

Available from 31 December

Film-maker Sam Hobkinson explores a case of Holocaust appropriation in this gripping documentary about a literary scandal. In 1997, Belgian-born author Misha Defonseca published her inspiring story about surviving the Second World War, when she lived among wolves while trekking across Europe to find her parents, who had been taken by the Nazis. Her bestselling book attracted high-profile accolades, but when Misha sued her publisher for unpaid royalties, her story was revealed as fraudulent. Hobkinson's film is engaging and provocative, and perfectly timed for our era of fake news. **STEPHEN APPLEBAUM**

THRILLER

Kaleidoscope *Available from New Year's Day*

Breaking Bad star Giancarlo Esposito (above right, with Paz Vega) leads the crew in a high-stakes heist drama, concerning the potential theft of $7 billion from "the most secure vault in the United States – maybe in the world". Esposito's character, Leo Pap, is hellbent on pulling off the big steal because the target, a reptilian businessman called Roger Salas (Rufus Sewell), once gravely wronged him. The seven episodes leading up to the finale each tell a different part of the backstory, with the twist being that they are designed to be watched in any order, so long as you finish with episode eight – Netflix will present them to you in your own random sequence. **JS**

DRAMA

Copenhagen Cowboy

Available from 5 January

If you've seen the Ryan Gosling movies *Drive* or *Only God Forgives*, you'll immediately recognise this Danish drama as another creation of director Nicolas Winding Refn. His trademark "neon noir" style is very much in evidence as we dip into the Copenhagen underworld, where a mysterious young woman (Angela Bundalovic, above) brings luck or death to those with whom she comes into contact. There's an alluring darknesss to it, as social comment blends with the supernatural. **JS**

DRAMA

The Makanai: Cooking for the Maiko House

Available from 12 January

A curious, charming Japanese drama follows two young friends as they travel to Kyoto to pursue their ambition of becoming maiko, ie trainee geishas. One flourishes in the residential programme, but the other is struggling until her talent for cookery is discovered. After that the show becomes part drama, part food programme as the joy of making, sharing and eating food with friends is celebrated via a succession of delicious-looking Japanese dishes. **JS**

ITVX

ENIGMATIC
Vinca (Ivanna Sakhno)

YOU COULDN'T MAKE IT UP
Ioan Gruffudd stars as author Thomas Degalais

DRAMA

The Reunion *All six episodes available now*

The shadow of Donna Tartt's *The Secret History* looms over this six-part thriller about former school friends bound by bloody ill-deeds. It's a schlockier affair, punctuated by clunky flashbacks and clanging cliffhangers. Star Ioan Gruffudd looks well groomed and pensive throughout as a successful writer casting his mind back to a dark event. But all around him are character types who we've seen previously in superior productions, from the shady politician (*The Killing*) to the pregnant police officer (*Fargo*). At least the setting of the French Riviera gives it an exotic air in the drab month of January. **DAVID BROWN**

SPY DRAMA

A Spy among Friends

All seven episodes available now

A major pull for ITV's revamped streamer, this has stellar casting with Damian Lewis as Intelligence officer Nicholas Elliott and Guy Pearce as his treacherous colleague Kim Philby. The production is also classy – the elegiac tone, as well as its setting in the grey world of Cold War espionage, reminiscent of the stand-out George Smiley TV adaptations starring Alec Guinness. As in those beloved classics, we find secrets, betrayal and disillusionment present in every frame. **DBr**

DRAMA

Stonehouse *All three episodes available now*

This is one of those dramas where all you really need to know is who plays the lead. Matthew Macfadyen is wonderful as scurrilous MP John Stonehouse, the dishonourable member who, in 1974, faked his own death on a Miami beach – while in a love triangle with his wife (played by real-life spouse Keeley Hawes) and his secretary. With his rakish hair and confident stride, Stonehouse has the general air of a dashing cad, but underneath he's a bit of a twerp – and way out of his depth. The result is a scandal that plays out as bumbling farce, which Macfadyen makes a hoot. **DAVID BUTCHER**

CRIME DOCUMENTARY

A Murder in the Family

All three eps available 5 January

Soberly constructed, each episode examines a different British murder, mainly from the perspective of the victim and their family, using intimate access to police bodycams, interview footage, CCTV and social media records. The series highlights how shockingly common it is for family relationships to be simmering with abuse. Episode one sets out how the 2018 murder of Cheryl Hooper (above) by her estranged husband Jack came after years of controlling behaviour. **JACK SEALE**

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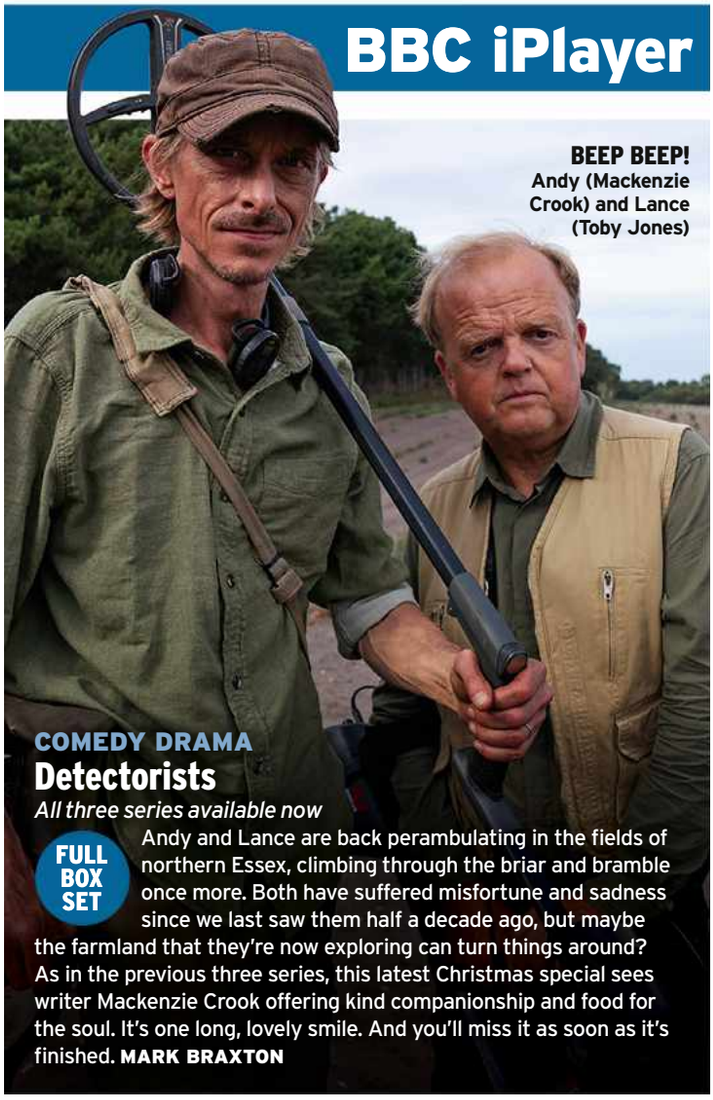


BEEP BEEP! Andy (Mackenzie Crook) and Lance (Toby Jones)

COMEDY DRAMA

Detectorists

All three series available now

FULL BOX SET

Andy and Lance are back perambulating in the fields of northern Essex, climbing through the briar and bramble once more. Both have suffered misfortune and sadness since we last saw them half a decade ago, but maybe the farmland that they're now exploring can turn things around? As in the previous three series, this latest Christmas special sees writer Mackenzie Crook offering kind companionship and food for the soul. It's one long, lovely smile. And you'll miss it as soon as it's finished. **MARK BRAXTON**

COMEDY DRAMA

Search Party

All five series available 2 January

FULL BOX SET

This kooky US dramedy was a word-of-mouth hit when it debuted here in 2016 (on All 4), with Alia Shawkat (above) describing it as "a hipster *Columbo*". She plays an aimless 20-something who, with her narcissistic and hopeless pals, spends the first season investigating the disappearance of a college acquaintance. Soon the gang reveal themselves to be terrible people, as mystery drama mingles with a satire on millennial life. **JS**

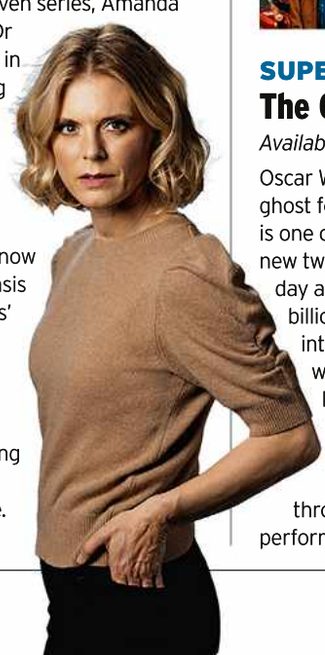
DETECTIVE DRAMA

Silent Witness

All 25 series available now

FULL BOX SET

A BBC1 mainstay since 1996, there's now a large archive of past cases to explore alongside those currently on TV. For the first seven series, Amanda Burton's cool Dr Sam Ryan was in charge, making way in the eighth for Dr Nikki Alexander (Emilia Fox, right). There's now greater emphasis on pathologists' personal lives, but what remains a constant are uncompromising close-ups of forensic gristle. **DBr**



All 4

CRIME DOCUMENTARY

Hunt for the Zodiac Killer

All five episodes available 6 January

Most famously commemorated by David Fincher's 2007 movie, the case of the 1960s California killer who liked to taunt the police with coded messages (and murdered at least five people) is one of the most notorious, most analysed mysteries in US history. This documentary series has a real go at solving it, bringing in codebreakers and other experts to try to narrow down the list of suspects. For true-crime addicts, anything to do with the Zodiac is fascinating, but this is a bit more than just a restatement of the previously known facts. **JS**

COMEDY DRAMA

Get Shorty

All three series available 9 January

FULL BOX SET

Chris O'Dowd played against type when this US show aired in 2018. Yes, there's still a bit of shambling charm but his character, Miles, is a smalltime thug working for a boss whose drug money is laundered through casinos – until she decides the film world is a better cover. So Miles tries to become a Hollywood producer, and a satire about making movies perhaps not being so different from organised crime develops. Ex-sitcom star Ray Romano is excellent as a wacky failed producer. **JS**

My5

SUPERNATURAL DRAMA

The Canterville Ghost

Available now

Oscar Wilde's tale of a bloodcurdling ghost foiled by practical Americans is one of his best comic stories. This new two-parter is set in the present day and stars James Lance as a billionaire inventor who moves into an English stately home with his family, and Anthony Head as the resident spectre, Simon de Canterville. Despite fresh elements, the core of the tale survives through Head's entertaining performance. **HUW FULLERTON**

Acorn TV

CRIME DRAMA

One Lane Bridge

All three series available 9 January

FULL BOX SET

In Queenstown, New Zealand, cops are baffled by a series of deaths on the eponymous one-lane bridge. With clipped performances, evocative cinematography and a Scandi-noir feel, the show also benefits from Maori spirituality in the plot. If you're not familiar with the concept of *matakite*, ie heightened intuition or divination, you'll need to get up to speed if you're going to solve the mystery from your armchair. **JS**

STREAMING

AppleTV+

OFFICE COMEDY

Mythic Quest

All three series available 13 January

FULL BOX SET

Rob McElhenney was previously best known for the evergreen sitcom *It's Always Sunny in Philadelphia* (Netflix) but is now, to British viewers, most likely known as co-owner of Wrexham AFC, as seen on *Welcome to Wrexham* on Disney+. The third string to his bow is worth a look, too: he co-created and stars in this office comedy about the geeks at a company producing a popular video game, with character clashes and misunderstandings feeding an atmosphere of wry farce. **JS**

DRAMA

The Mosquito Coast

Both series available 13 January

FULL BOX SET

Series two of this curious drama – it's not bad, but it's never been easy to grasp exactly what it's trying to do – has moseyed around with the on-the-run Fox family as they've sought refuge in Guatemala and come close to their dream of living in sustainable isolation. Their pasts have been one step behind them, however, and in a season finale that isn't confirmed as the last-ever episode but comes across that way, viewers are rewarded with a tense, explosive instalment. **JS**

Amazon Prime Video

DRAMA

Hunters

Series two available from 13 January

FULL BOX SET

An outlandish, perhaps outrageous drama returns for a final season. It concerns Nazi-hunters in an alternative American 1970s, where German émigrés plot to launch a Fourth Reich and Jewish vigilantes aim to stop them. Criticised for being cavalier with its depiction of violence perpetrated by both the imaginary neo-Nazis in the 70s and the real Nazis of the 40s, and for casting Al Pacino as the main Jewish avenger, its season one finale dropped some jaw-dropping twists. **JS**

WILDLIFE DOCUMENTARY

Wildcat

Available now

A nature film that's more about humans than animals, this feature documentary follows British ex-soldier Harry Turner as he lives a new life in the Amazon rainforest, having been discharged from the Army with depression and PTSD. We see him transformed, or at least inspired, by his relationship with American conservationist Sam, and in particular by their fostering of a baby ocelot, whose struggles to be ready for release into the wild can be seen as mirroring Harry's effort to regain his own mental health. **JS**

NANNY STATE
***Servant* stars Nell Tiger Free, Rupert Grint Toby Kebbell and Lauren Ambrose**

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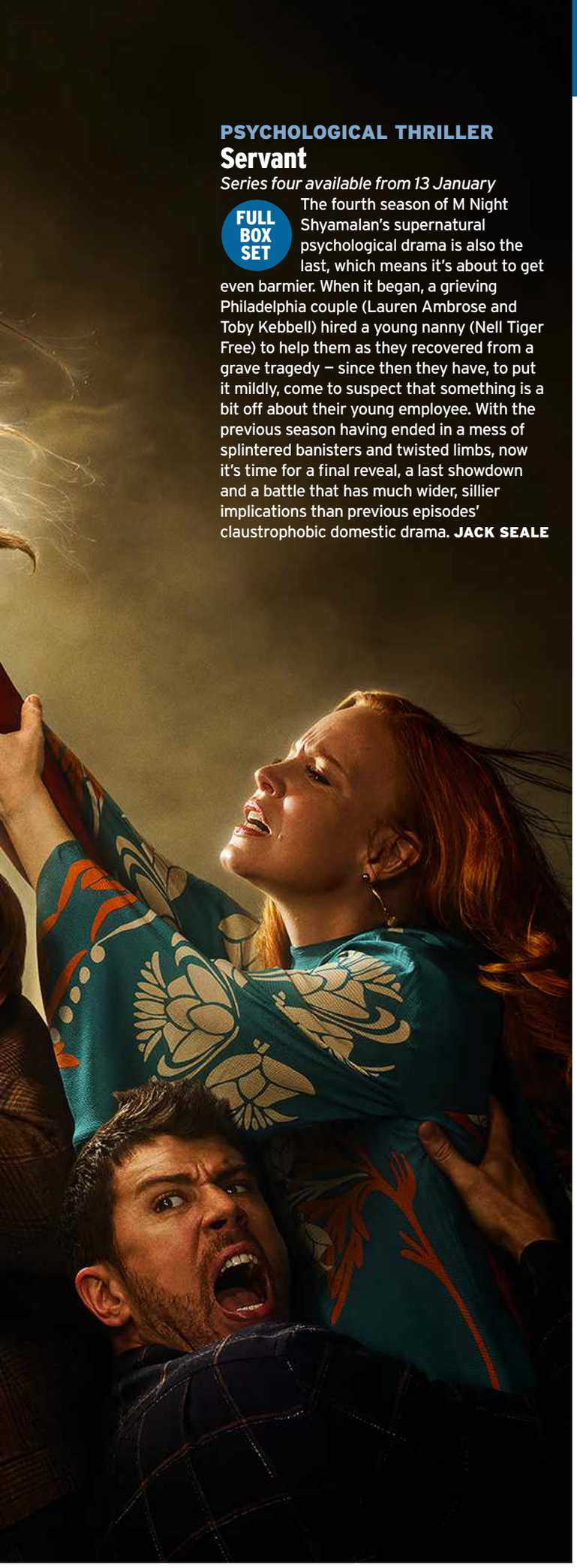


PSYCHOLOGICAL THRILLER

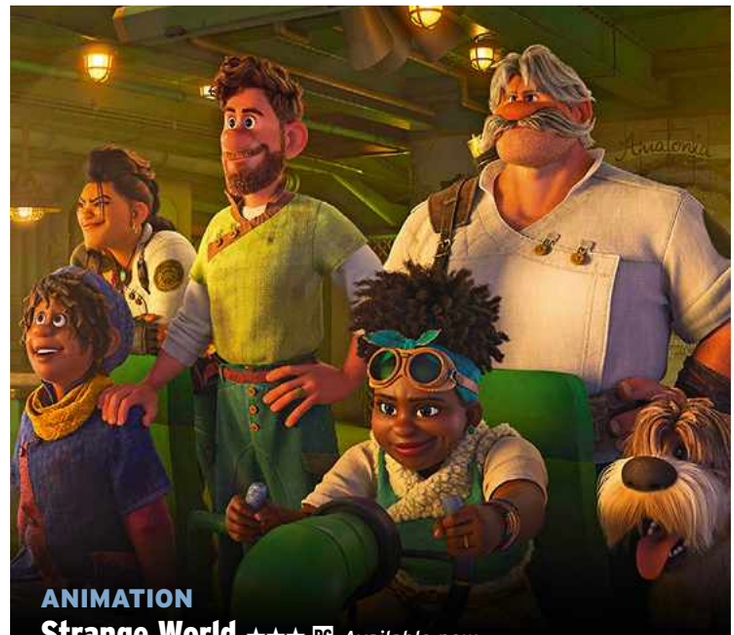
Servant

Series four available from 13 January

FULL BOX SET

The fourth season of M Night Shyamalan's supernatural psychological drama is also the last, which means it's about to get even barmier. When it began, a grieving Philadelphia couple (Lauren Ambrose and Toby Kebbell) hired a young nanny (Nell Tiger Free) to help them as they recovered from a grave tragedy – since then they have, to put it mildly, come to suspect that something is a bit off about their young employee. With the previous season having ended in a mess of splintered banisters and twisted limbs, now it's time for a final reveal, a last showdown and a battle that has much wider, sillier implications than previous episodes' claustrophobic domestic drama. **JACK SEALE**

Disney+



ANIMATION

Strange World ★★★ PG *Available now*

Retro visuals abound in this enterprising Disney animated adventure from directors Don Hall and Qui Nguyen (*Raya and the Last Dragon*). Jake Gyllenhaal voices Searcher, an excitement-phobic dad whose family lives in a community powered by plants. When the plants start to die, he sets out to find a solution, alongside his thrill-seeking progeny, Ethan (Jaboukie Young-White). The film's array of vintage-styled flying machines is captivating, as is the underground kingdom filled with Day-Glo monsters. A few story stumbles aside, this strange world is an engrossing place to be. **TREVOR JOHNSTON** *Ten Questions: page 8*

BIOGRAPHICAL DRAMA

Welcome to Chippendales

Available from 11 January

Superb casting and a true-life story that is more packed with twists than most fiction means this rollicking drama can hardly fail. It tells the story of the foundation of male strip troupe Chippendales in 1970s LA – and if that hasn't already got you guiltily planning to binge it, the fact that the tale is peppered with murders might tip you over the edge. Kumail Nanjiani plays the apparently mild-mannered businessman who has the original idea but he's soon wrestling for supremacy with his choreographer. **JS**

ANIMATION

Star Wars: the Bad Batch

Series two available from 4 January

FULL BOX SET

When this series launched in 2021, Disney's bolstering of the *Star Wars* TV universe (which recently brought us the excellent *Andor*) was in its infancy and an animated thriller was simply some fun in the wait for more live action. On *Bad Batch's* return, there's perhaps less need for its stories about the Galactic Empire's rise and rogue clones rejecting their mission to eliminate the Jedi. But while the dialogue may not always zing, the action regularly does. **JS**

Paramount+

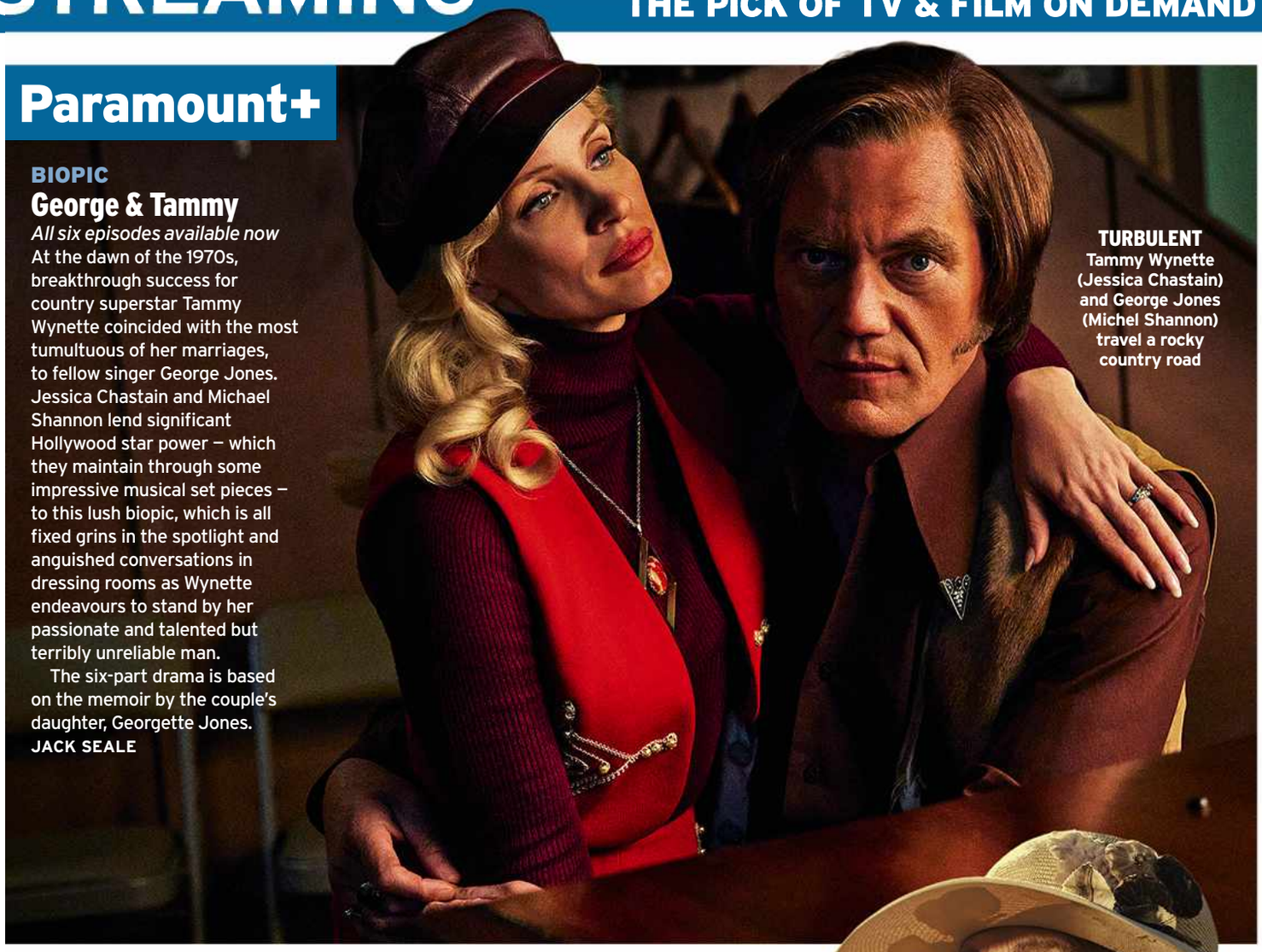
BIOPIC

George & Tammy

All six episodes available now

At the dawn of the 1970s, breakthrough success for country superstar Tammy Wynette coincided with the most tumultuous of her marriages, to fellow singer George Jones. Jessica Chastain and Michael Shannon lend significant Hollywood star power – which they maintain through some impressive musical set pieces – to this lush biopic, which is all fixed grins in the spotlight and anguished conversations in dressing rooms as Wynette endeavours to stand by her passionate and talented but terribly unreliable man.

The six-part drama is based on the memoir by the couple's daughter, Georgette Jones. **JACK SEALE**



TURBULENT Tammy Wynette (Jessica Chastain) and George Jones (Michel Shannon) travel a rocky country road

CRIME DRAMA

Tulsa King

All nine episodes available 9 January

Shamelessly a vehicle for Sylvester Stallone – the slick but still slightly goofy modern Sly, not the pugnacious outsider of the *Rocky* movies – this mobster drama is entertaining first and artistic second, and it's fine with that. Stallone is a Brooklyn gangster who relocates to Tulsa, where both the crims and the straight business people aren't used to the Mafia's ways. Sly has a great time playing a violent fish out of water who, like the show itself, has an aggressive charisma: an organised-crime saga without the heaviness the genre often carries. **JS**

WESTERN

Yellowstone

Series five, part one available now

Such a hit in the US that it's spawned prequels (such as *1923*, right), this has moved into a new phase. John Dutton (Kevin Costner) – Montana rancher and patriarch of a large, fractious family – is a man who protects what he has and stands up for what he thinks is right, dammit. Now he's fighting for what he believes in with a different (cowboy) hat on: he's been elected state governor. The themes – everyone is gunning for the Dutton clan, often with good reason – are intact, as is its mix of sturdy melodrama and fabulous rural landscapes. **JS**

DRAMA

1923

Series one, ep five available 9 January

Showrunner Taylor Sheridan has stealthily become perhaps the most powerful TV writer in America, thanks to the success of *Yellowstone* (left) and its spin-offs. This prequel to the main series goes back to Montana in the turmoil before the Great Depression properly hits: sheep farmers and cattle ranchers squabble over grazing rights, white Americans clash with Indigenous tribes and, in a sideplot that's gripping but initially hard to understand in the context, Indigenous girls suffer a brutal Catholic education. It's a sweeping, muscle-flexing piece of work, with show-off casting – Helen Mirren and Harrison Ford, no less, play the power couple at its centre. **JS**

MATRIARCH Helen Mirren adds star power as Cara Dutton

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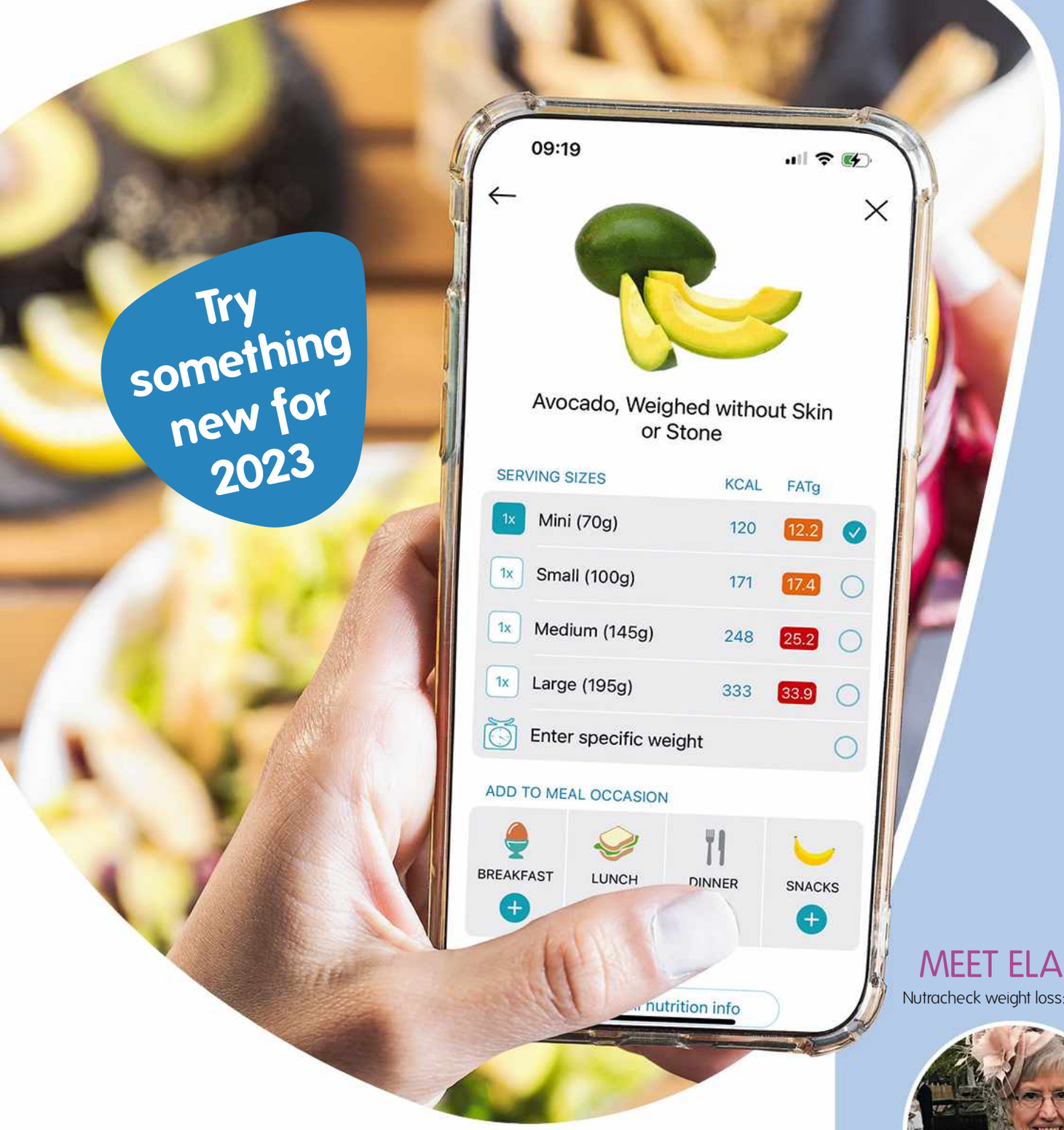

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Delphine Seyrig as Jeanne Dielman

ARTHOUSE CLASSIC

Jeanne Dielman, 23 Quai du Commerce, 1080 Bruxelles

★★★★

Available now

Sight and Sound magazine recently published the latest in its once-a-decade poll to find the 100 greatest films ever made, and BFI Player has made many of these masterpieces available to subscribers. Most notable is Chantal Akerman's slow, rewarding and rarely shown domestic drama from 1975, *Jeanne Dielman, 23 Quai du Commerce, 1080 Bruxelles,* which unseated Hitchcock's *Vertigo* to top the list. Among the other world classics are Yasujiro Ozu's *Tokyo Story*, Jean Renoir's *La Régle du Jeu*, Federico Fellini's *8½* and Claire Denis's *Beau Travail*, and you can see where they all placed at **bfi.org.uk**. **CALUM BAKER**

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SCI-FI

Crimes of the Future

★★★★ 18

Available from 7 January

David Cronenberg returns to the screen with this bold, moody sci-fi. Set in the near-future, the film stars Viggo Mortensen and Léa Seydoux as an artist duo who perform live surgery to spectators. Extraneous organs, plastic consumption and Giger-esque bio-mechanisms all feature in this unique neo-noir, which will satisfy fans of the director's early "body horror" work. The cast, particularly Kristen Stewart, is exceptional. **CB**

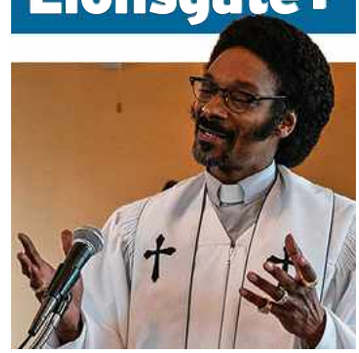
WAR DRAMA

Operation Mincemeat ★★★★ 12

Available from 6 January

Inspired by Ben Macintyre's 2010 book, this fact-based Second World War drama stars Colin Firth and Matthew Macfadyen as British spies trying to dupe the enemy away from the real location of an Allied invasion site. The elaborate scheme has them planting fake papers on a uniformed corpse, hoping it will be fished out of the Mediterranean. The workplace romance involving assistant Kelly Macdonald is overly cute, but the film remains a captivating re-enactment of a remarkable true-life tale. **TREVOR JOHNSTON**

Lionsgate+



CRIME DRAMA

BMF

Series two available 6 January

Season two of the US true-crime drama – those letters stand for Black Mafia Family – continues to tell the story of brothers Demetrius "Big Meech" Flenory (Demetrius Flenory Jr, playing his own father) and Terry "Southwest T" Flenory (Da'Vinchi), who rose from poverty in Detroit in the 80s to build one of the US's most powerful crime syndicates. In this second run the brothers plan to increase their influence, and look out for rapper Snoop Dogg's return as a smooth-talking pastor. **JACK SEALE**

ALAMY

MUBI

DRAMA

Aftersun ★★★★ 12 *Available from 6 January*

Scottish writer/director Charlotte Wells marks herself out as a talent to watch with this intimate debut. The story plays out in flashbacks and home-video footage, as a woman reflects on her last holiday with her dad. Over the course of a week at a resort in Turkey, 11-year-old Sophie (Frankie Corio) and her father (Paul Mescal) spend quality time together, but it seems that tragedy looms. Events transpire at an unhurried pace, but the film leaves a lasting impression, as both the melancholic Mescal (best known for *Normal People*) and newcomer Corio are phenomenal. **MAX COPEMAN**

To rent/buy

MUSICAL

Lyle, Lyle, Crocodile

★★★ PG *Available from 9 January*

Will Speck and Josh Gordon direct this live-action take on Bernard Waber's children's story, with songs from the team behind *The Greatest Showman*. Winslow Fegley plays Josh, a kid who befriends a shy crocodile called Lyle, while Javier Bardem is a wacky entertainer and Constance Wu and Scoot McNairy are Josh's parents. The film doesn't always work, but its snappy protagonist is endearing, with Shawn Mendes providing his singing voice. **EMMA SIMMONDS**

HORROR

Halloween Ends ★★★ 18

Available now

Jamie Lee Curtis returns as Laurie Strode in the final part of director David Gordon Green's reboot trilogy. This time, her knife-wielding foe Michael Myers is not alone, having found an acolyte in student Corey Cunningham (Rohan Campbell). The action motors along at pace and delivers its shocks with style. However, the script is littered with groan-inducing dialogue, and don't be fooled by the title: it's unlikely that this is the end of the road for Myers. **TERRY STAUNTON**

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PREMIUM SERVICES

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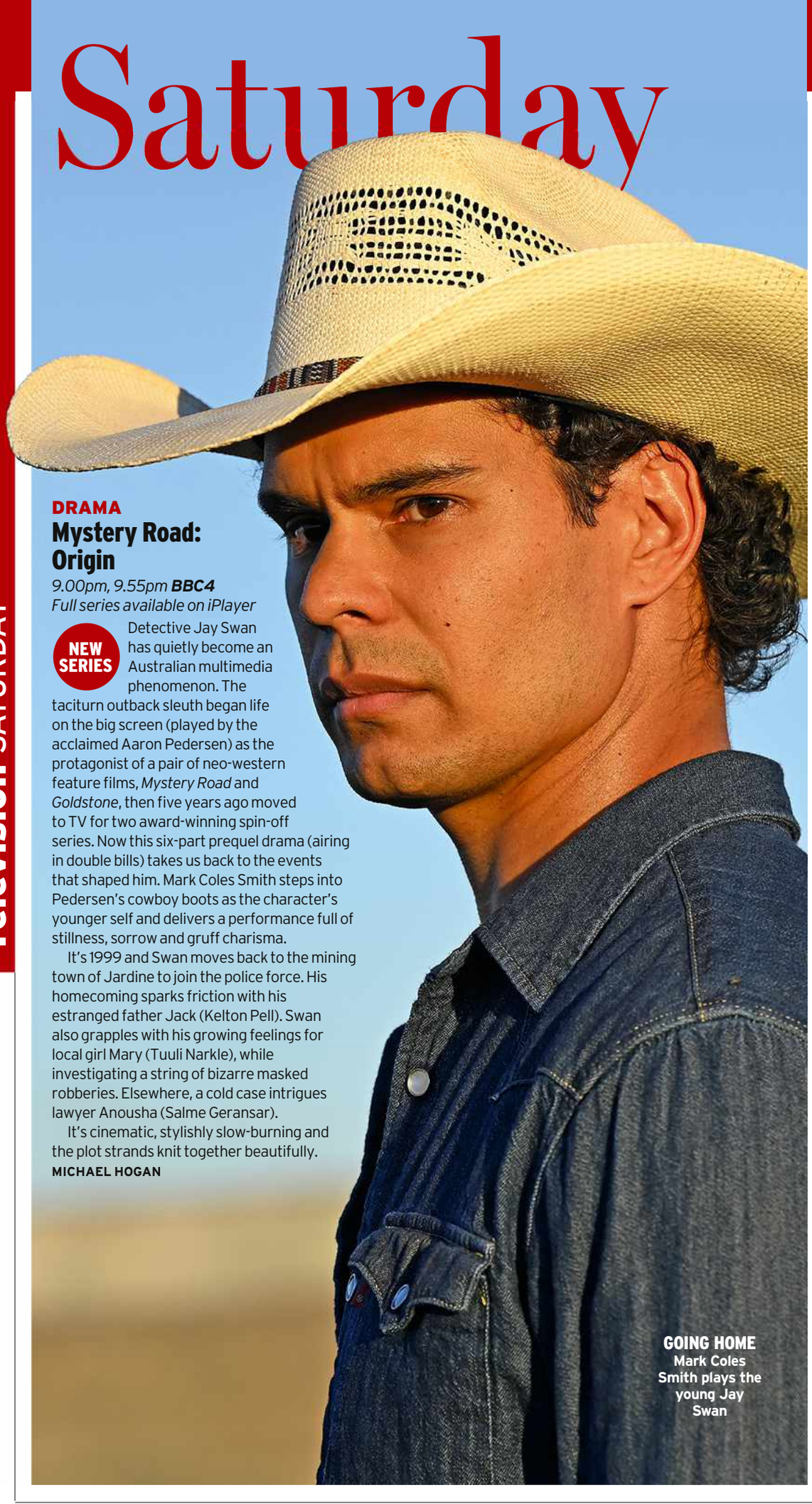
Saturday



GOING HOME Mark Coles Smith plays the young Jay Swan

DRAMA

Mystery Road: Origin

9.00pm, 9.55pm ***BBC4***
Full series available on iPlayer

NEW SERIES

Detective Jay Swan has quietly become an Australian multimedia phenomenon. The taciturn outback sleuth began life on the big screen (played by the acclaimed Aaron Pedersen) as the protagonist of a pair of neo-western feature films, *Mystery Road* and *Goldstone*, then five years ago moved to TV for two award-winning spin-off series. Now this six-part prequel drama (airing in double bills) takes us back to the events that shaped him. Mark Coles Smith steps into Pedersen's cowboy boots as the character's younger self and delivers a performance full of stillness, sorrow and gruff charisma.

It's 1999 and Swan moves back to the mining town of Jardine to join the police force. His homecoming sparks friction with his estranged father Jack (Kelton Pell). Swan also grapples with his growing feelings for local girl Mary (Tuuli Narkle), while investigating a string of bizarre masked robberies. Elsewhere, a cold case intrigues lawyer Anousha (Salme Geransar).

It's cinematic, stylishly slow-burning and the plot strands knit together beautifully.

MICHAEL HOGAN

SPORT

FA Cup Football

12.15pm, 5.40pm ***BBC1****/7.15pm* ***ITV4*** *Catch up via iPlayer/ITVX*

Welcome to giant-killing territory. The Premier League big boys enter the FA Cup in round three. First today is Leicester's trip to Priestfield Stadium to face Gillingham (k/o 12.30pm). It'd be some achievement for the Gills, in the lower reaches of League Two, to turn over the Foxes.

Sheffield Wednesday might offer better odds of an upset. They're in League One now, but they were among the founders of the Premier League in the 1990s, so they'll be itching to show visiting Newcastle (k/o 6pm) that they're still a force. An all-Premier League tie – Liverpool v Wolves (k/o 8pm) – follows on ITV4.

CERI THOMAS *Sport: page 29*

GAME SHOW

That's My Jam

8.00pm ***BBC1***
Catch up via iPlayer

The UK version of Jimmy Fallon's US musical game show might be proving divisive with the critics, but this episode is the most entertaining yet. It's an intergenerational clash as British musician Becky Hill and US R&B crooner Jason Derulo take on Cheryl James and Sandra Denton – aka 80s rap duo Salt-N-Pepa.

Slick host Mo Gilligan says that Salt-N-Pepa are his favourite guests, and during a particularly chaotic round of Catch the Mic, you'll see why. Will the prince and princess of pop triumph over their elders? Or will the hip-hop queens p-p-push it real good and prevail? **MH**

MUSIC

Rod Stewart Night

From 8.00pm ***BBC2***
Catch up via iPlayer

You may not think he's sexy now, but Rod Stewart has belted out some great songs over the years. Across six hours tonight, starting with a second BBC celebration of his career, you can hear those famously raspy tones performing more of his hits in BBC archive performances and in concert at Hyde Park (9.30pm).

There's also the chance to see his trip down memory lane with Dermot O'Leary in *Reel Stories* (9pm) and his engaging 2013 interview with Alan Yentob in *Imagine...* (10.35pm). He comes across as a man who doesn't take his fame too seriously. Just as well, with that dubious fashion sense.

JANE RACKHAM

ALSO ON TODAY

Ant and Dec's Limitless Win
8.30pm ***ITV1***
Jimmy Carr and Katherine Ryan answer fiendish festive posers to climb the ladder and win money for charity.

The Four Just Men
9.05pm ***Talking Pictures TV***
Crime drama from 1959 starring Jack Hawkins. Four Army veterans vow to fight injustice around the world.

Early Doors
10.55pm, 11.25pm ***BBC4***
A chance to enjoy again the first episodes of the 2003 Stockport pub sitcom featuring John Henshaw (left) as Ken.

DOCUMENTARY

Secrets of the Royal Palaces
8.30pm ***Channel 5*** *Catch up via My5*

What do arsenic, beetles and the urine of small boys have in common? A clap on the back goes to the first person who guessed they were all used to create make-up in the days of Queen Elizabeth I. Brace yourself for trivia snippets aplenty such as this in the third series of investigations into the home lives of Britain's royalty.

On the agenda tonight: the constantly changing nature of Buckingham Palace, the haphazard way Charles and Camilla's wedding came to be held at Windsor Castle, and the history of the royal orb and sceptre. Oh, and the small matter of which member of the Windsor clan shot down two rare birds above the Sandringham estate... **CT**

DRAMA

Casualty
9.00pm ***BBC1*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

On the surface, this is a Dylan-centric episode with the saturnine consultant seen reluctantly attending a management training course in the Griffin Building (sound that *Holby City* klaxon again, folks) and treating his former mentor, Dr Jemima Hargrove, who's been admitted after sustaining injuries in a fire at a retirement home.

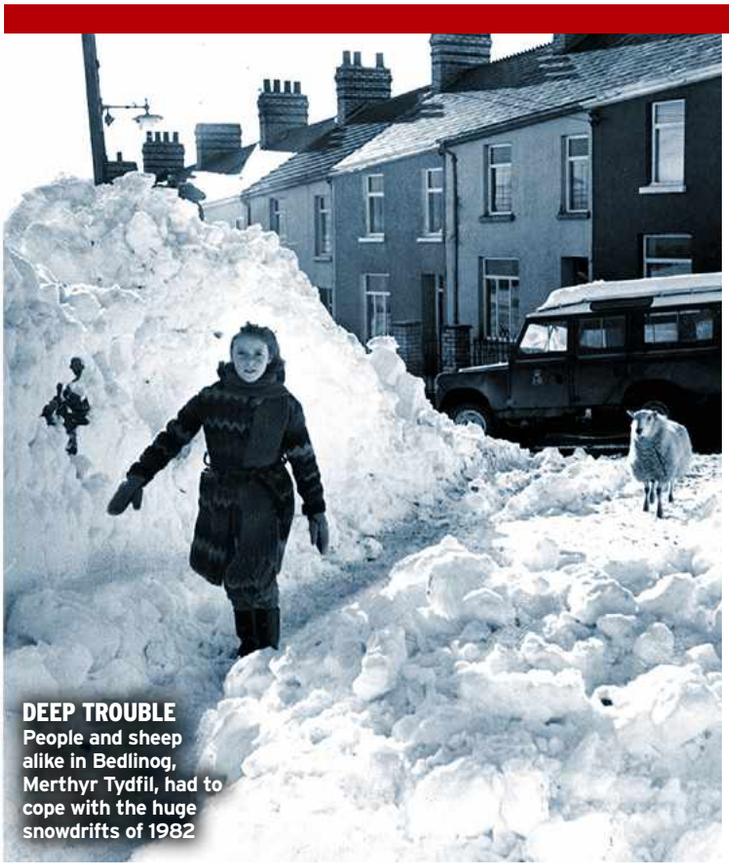
But as that second storyline strand suggests, the spotlight is also being shone on elderly care – something that we witness, too, when Rash's father Ashok makes a visit to the emergency department. Thanks to an oddly disjointed conversation, Rash starts to suspect his dad of having an affair, but this is one diagnosis that the doctor might have to reconsider. **DAVID BROWN**

COMEDY

The John Bishop Show
9.30pm ***ITV1*** *Catch up via ITVX*

Having said farewell to his *Doctor Who* companions last October (as well as narrowly avoiding being exterminated by the nefarious CyberMasters on some distant galaxy), John Bishop is coming back down to Earth for a second series of his topical stand-up comedy-based chat show. It's recorded close to broadcast so no guests have been announced at the time of writing, but in the first series he attracted celebrities such as Bill Bailey, Courteney Cox, Hugh Bonneville, James Nesbitt and Oti Mabuse.

While the series isn't likely to trouble chat-show giants Graham Norton and Jonathan Ross, it was well received by viewers who aren't averse to a little risqué humour. **JR**



DEEP TROUBLE People and sheep alike in Bedlinog, Merthyr Tydfil, had to cope with the huge snowdrifts of 1982

DOCUMENTARY

The Big Snow of 1982
9.30pm ***Channel 5*** *Catch up via My5*

It might be a new year, but Channel 5 continues to mine a rich seam of meteorological nostalgia. This film rewinds 41 years to the infamous "snow bomb" of January 1982. A severe cold snap saw temperatures plummet to minus 27°C, which, along with 36 hours of non-stop snowfall, turned Britain into a winter wonderland. It all makes the recent snowfall that a lot of the country experienced in December look like a mere smattering: then there were 20ft snowdrifts, icebergs floating down the River Severn and dry ski slopes turned into alpine resorts.

Unsurprisingly, large areas ground to a halt. Genuine life-or-death drama came from motorway chaos, while RAF helicopters delivered food parcels to stranded Highlanders and the Queen's deer left the Balmoral estate to raid nearby gardens. Archive footage and first hand testimonies recall the icy saga. **MH**

LIVE SPORT

FA Cup Football
Sheffield Wednesday v Newcastle United
5.40pm (k/o 6pm) ***BBC1***
Owls' boss Darren Moore (above) is hoping his League One outfit can produce a third-round shock.

Gillingham v Leicester City
12.15pm (k/o 12.30pm) ***BBC1***
It would be an even bigger upset if the League Two strugglers outfoxed the Foxes.

Liverpool v Wolverhampton Wanderers
7.15pm (k/o 8pm) ***ITV4***
An all-Premier League clash to conclude the day's FA Cup action.
Sport: see page 29

FILM OF THE DAY

Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull
★★★★ 12
6.45pm ***C4***
Yep, it's the one with the nuked fridge! In Harrison Ford's fourth outing as the archaeologist, he searches the Amazon for a glittering prize – but will Cate Blanchett's Soviet agent beat him to it? (2008)

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GETTY; ALAMY; ALLSTAR

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Roger Johnson, Naga Munchetty. (S) (HD)

10.00 Saturday Kitchen Live Matt Tebbutt is joined by Tony Singh, Olia Hercules and Harry Hill. Helen McGinn picks the drinks. (S) (HD) **Your RT Wine: p135**

11.30 *New series.* The Great Food Guys The return of the series celebrating Scottish food and drink. This week Nick Nairn and Dougie Vipond cook Asian beef with Rory Bremner. First shown on BBC Scotland (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

12.15pm LIVE FA Cup Match of the Day RT **Gillingham v Leicester City** Coverage of the third-round tie at Priestfield Stadium (kick-off **12.30**). Tottenham Hotspur v Portsmouth 12.20–2.30 via the red button. Highlights 10.40pm. **See p40.** (S) (HD)
Sheffield Wednesday v Newcastle United is at 5.40pm
Sport: page 29

BBC RED BUTTON 2.30–5.30 Final Score Jason Mohammad presents the latest football scores

2.35 Money for Nothing Jay Blades saves a set of lathe tools, a sofa and a collection of plant pots. (R) (S) (HD)

3.05–3.50 Escape to the Country A buyer from Gloucestershire wants to move to Suffolk. (R) (S) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am Hey Duggee (R) (S) (HD) **6.45 Supertato** (R) (S) (AD) (HD) **6.50 Shaun the Sheep** (R) (S) (HD) **7.00 Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed!** (R) (S) (HD) **7.10 Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese** (R) (S) (HD) **7.25 The Football Academy** (R) (S) (AD) (HD) **7.55 The Dengineers** (R) (S) (HD) **8.25 Operation Ouch!** (R) (S) (HD) **8.55 Newsround** (S) (HD) **9.00 Blue Peter** (R) (S) (HD) **9.30 Deadly Pole to Pole** (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Dogs in the Wild: Meet the Family *2/3* A look at the adaptations that allow canines to survive in extreme locations. Shown last Wednesday BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 World's Weirdest Events An underwater lake and a cannon built specially for salmon. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon The Hairy Bikers Go Local *1/8.* Uniting restaurants with local suppliers. Shown last Tue (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC SPORT ONLINE 12.15–2.30pm Rugby Union The Premier 15s match between University of Worcester Warriors and Gloucester-Hartpury (kick-off **12.30**), at bbc.co.uk/sport

1.00pm Dunkirk ★★★ Second World War drama with John Mills, re-creating the evacuation of Dunkirk from the perspective of the soldiers and their rescuers. Available on iPlayer for 30 days. **Review p47.**
Director Leslie Norman (1958, PG) (BW) (S) (HD)

3.10 Meet the Moose Family A *Natural World* film following a mother moose and her calf. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

4.10 Amanda and Alan's Italian Job *1/8.* Creating a luxury holiday home in Sicily. Shown yesterday BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

4.40–5.35 Flog It! Members of the public are invited to try to make a profit at auction. (Revised repeat) (S) (HD)

ITV1

6.00am CITV See page 46 **9.25 ITV News** (S) (HD)

9.30 James Martin's Saturday Morning James is joined in the kitchen by broadcaster Dan Walker and chefs Mark Birchall and Jude Kereama. (S) (HD)

11.40 *New series.* John and Lisa's Weekend Kitchen *Ep 1.* John Torode and Lisa Faulkner serve fragrant dishes, including a vegetable tagine. (S) (HD)

12.40pm ITV News Weather; Regional Weather (S) (HD)

12.55–4.00 LIVE Racing Ed Chamberlin presents coverage of five races from Sandown, featuring the Tolworth Hurdle at **2.25**, plus the best action from Wincanton. Commentary from Richard Hoiles. (S) (HD)

Channel 4

6.15am 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)

7.05 The King of Queens Two episodes. (R) (S) (AD)

7.55 Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.50 The Simpsons Lisa befriends a magician.

9.20 Homer and Bart create a cartoon.

9.50 Lisa finds a wild flower that cures aggression.

10.20 Homer's half-brother returns. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.50 Alvin and the Chipmunks ★★ Part-animated adventure starring Jason Lee as a struggling Los Angeles songwriter whose fortunes change when he meets a trio of singing chipmunks. Available on All 4 for the next 7 days. Director Tim Hill (2007, U) (S) (W) (HD)

12.40–3.15pm Four in a Bed B&Bs in Cornwall, Somerset, Bournemouth and Gloucestershire. (R) (S) (HD)

BBC1 1

Casualty *9.00pm* Rash (Neet Mohan) seeks answers to explain why Ashok is behaving strangely

3.50pm Final Score
Jason Mohammad presents the classified results. (S) (HD)

5.20 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

5.40 FA Cup Match of the Day
RT **Sheffield Wednesday v Newcastle United** Action from the third-round tie at Hillsborough (kick-off **6.00**). The two sides last met in April 2017, when Wednesday recorded a 2–1 victory in the Championship. However, much has changed since then, with the Owls dropping down to League One and Newcastle now flying high in the Premier League following a successful takeover deal. Highlights are at 10.40pm. **See page 40.** (S) (HD)
Manchester City v Chelsea tomorrow at 4pm
Sport: page 29

8.00 That's My Jam
RT ***4/8.*** Singers Becky Hill and Jason Derulo take on US hip-hop band Salt-N-Pepa and face some punishing musical challenges, pushing their performance skills and musical knowledge to the limit as they compete to be declared this week's champions. Mo Gilligan hosts. **See page 40.**
Producer Sapphire Dew; Series producer Isabel Forte
Repeated Friday 1.20am (S) (HD)

9.00 Casualty
RT **Start the Fire.** Dylan's clinical lead duties are disrupted by a patient from his past, while Rash worries about Ashok's behaviour. **See page 41.**

Dylan Keogh	**William Beck**	Matthew Afolami	**Osi Okerafor**
Rashid Masum	**Neet Mohan**	Robyn Miller	**Amanda Henderson**
Marcus Fidel	**Adam Sina**	Sah Brockner	**Arin Smethurst**
Charlie Fairhead	**Derek Thompson**	Stevie Nash	**Elinor Lawless**
Paige Allcott	**Shalisha James-Davis**	Theodore "Teddy" Gowan	**Milo Clarke**
Mona Nadkarni	**Shobu Kapoor**	Faith Cadogan	**Kirsty Mitchell**
Jemima Hargrove	**Souad Faress**	Paul Pegg	**Paul Popplewell**
David Hyde	**Jason Durr**	DCI Supriya Vadra	**Sheena Bhattessa**
Ethan Hardy	**George Rainsford**	Campbell "Cam" Hargrove	**Amir Boutrous**
Iain Dean	**Michael Stevenson**	Mrs Isabelle Olatunji	**Debra Michaels**
Ashok Masum	**Kriss Dosanjh**	Bill Rooney	**Malcolm Rennie**
Jacob Masters	**Charles Venn**	Roy Welch	**Michael Begley**
Jan Jenning	**Di Botcher**	Kwame Delano	**Selorm Adonu**
Marty Kirkby	**Shaheen Jafargholi**		

Writer Ed Sellek; Producer Ian Warren
Director Thomas Hescott (S) (AD) (HD)

9.50 Not Going Out
Series 12. **Painting.** Wendy paints a portrait of Lee's late father, Frank, and gives it to Lee and Lucy. Once it's hanging on their wall, however, they plan to somehow lose the picture without Wendy or Geoffrey noticing. A box set of previous series is on iPlayer.

Lee	**Lee Mack**	Geoffrey	**Geoffrey Whitehead**
Lucy	**Sally Bretton**	Molly	**Francesca Newman**
Wendy	**Deborah Grant**		

Writers Lee Mack and Daniel Peak; Director Nick Wood
Producer Jamie Rix (R) (S) (HD)

10.20 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

10.40 FA Cup Highlights
Action from the third-round ties, including Liverpool v Wolves and Tottenham Hotspur v Portsmouth.
Repeated tomorrow 7.30am (S) (HD)

12.10am The Program ★★★ Drama charting the rise and fall of disgraced American cyclist Lance Armstrong. In 1996, former World Road Race Champion Lance Armstrong was diagnosed with cancer but went on to overcome the disease. A talented rider before the diagnosis, he then proceeded to win the Tour de France an unprecedented seven times. However, allegations that he used performance-enhancing drugs to achieve these feats continue to dog him. Available on iPlayer for 30 days.

Lance Armstrong	**Ben Foster**	Floyd Landis	**Jesse Plemons**
David Walsh	**Chris O'Dowd**	Bill Stapleton	**Lee Pace**
Dr Michele Ferrari	**Guillaume Canet**	Johan Bruyneel	**Denis Ménochet**

Director Stephen Frears (2015, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

1.45 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)

1.50–6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

BBC1 Freeview 1/HD 101 Freesat 101/HD 106 Sky 101/HD 115 Virgin 101

BBC2 2

Rod Stewart Night *from 8.00pm* An evening of shows celebrating the gravelly-voiced singer's long career

5.35pm The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society ★★★
Period romantic drama. In postwar London, author Juliet Ashton takes up an invitation from Dawsey, a Guernsey farmer, to visit the island. As their attraction grows, she finds out about a literary society that met clandestinely while Guernsey was occupied by the Nazis and uncovers their remarkable secret. Available on iPlayer for 30 days. **Review page 47.**

Juliet Ashton	**Lily James**	Eben Ramsey	**Tom Courtenay**
Dawsey Adams	**Michiel Huisman**	Amelia Maugery	**Penelope Wilton**
Mark Reynolds	**Glen Powell**	Isola Pribby	**Katherine Parkinson**
Elizabeth McKenna	**Jessica Brown Findlay**	Sidney Stark	**Matthew Goode**

Director Mike Newell (2018, 12) (S) (W) (HD)

7.30 Dad's Army
Series 4. **Don't Fence Me In.** Private Walker gets a little too friendly with some Italian prisoners of war.
Writers Jimmy Perry and David Croft; Producer David Croft (R) (S)
RT OFFER *Radio Times: the War Years 1939–1946*, a 116-page bookazine offering a unique take on the conflict: visit radiotimes.com/waryears

8.00 Rod Stewart at the BBC
RT A second collection of appearances by the singer from the BBC archive, featuring clips of recent appearances and exclusive live shows, as well as rarely seen performances of hits including *Tonight's the Night, Have I Told You Lately* and *Sailing*. The 2014 edition is at 12 midnight. **See p40.**
Producer Shelley Talton; Series producer Simon Goretzki (S) (HD)

9.00 Rod Stewart: Reel Stories
It has taken half a century and a multitude of hits for Rod the Mod to complete his evolution into Sir Roderick Stewart. So there is opportunity aplenty for musical memories as Dermot O'Leary takes the singer back to a cinema he frequented as a child to relive highlights of a multi-decade career that has taken in Abbey Road and the Albert Hall, as well as Motown and *Maggie May*. First shown in 2019.
Director Rob Davies; Producers Dermot O'Leary and Ben Walker (R) (S) (HD)

9.30 Rod Stewart Live at Hyde Park
Highlights of the concert that closed Radio 2's Festival in a Day in September 2015. Rod had the audience in his home town singing along to such crowd-pleasers as *Gasoline Alley*, *In a Broken Dream* and *The Killing of Georgie*. He also found time to dig out some other gems, including *Ooh La La* from his days with the Faces and the blues standard *Rollin' and Tumblin'*.
Director Janet Fraser Crook; Producer Stephanie McWhinnie (R) (S) (HD)

10.35 Imagine...
Sir Roderick Stewart: Can't Stop Me Now. Alan Yentob visits the veteran rocker at his homes in Beverly Hills and Essex, and talks to his friends and family. Featuring rare archive footage of Stewart as a young performer, the programme looks back at his remarkable musical journey over the decades.
Director/Producer Sarah Aspinall (R) (S) (HD)

12 midnight Rod Stewart at the BBC A selection of performances, including songs *You're in My Heart* and *I Don't Want to Talk about It*. First broadcast in 2014. (R) (S) (HD)

1.00am The Old Grey Whistle Test: Rod's Christmas Concert A 1976 gig at London's Olympia, with performances of *Maggie May, Sailing* and *Tonight's the Night*. (R) (S) (HD)

2.05 The Producers ★★★★★ Comedy. Struggling producer Max Bialystock was once the "King of Broadway", but is now making a living by conning old ladies out of their savings. Then his accountant Leo Bloom mentions a surefire way of making some quick cash. Available on iPlayer for 30 days.

Max Bialystock	**Zero Mostel**	Eva Braun	**Renee Taylor**
Leo Bloom	**Gene Wilder**	Roger De Bris	**Christopher Hewett**
Franz Liebkind	**Kenneth Mars**	Ulla	**Lee Meredith**
"Hold me, touch me" old lady	**Estelle Winwood**	Carmen Giya	**Andreas Voutsinas**
		Lorenzo St Du Bois	**Dick Shawn**

Director Mel Brooks (1968, PG) (S) (HD)

3.30–4.30am The Mayfair Hotel Megabuild *1/3.* Cameras follow engineers at Claridge's. Shown last Monday (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2 Freeview 2/HD 102 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin 102

ITV1 3

The Masked Singer *7.00pm* Mo Gilligan tries to identify more celebs – will it be a Piece of Cake?

4.00pm Tipping Point: Best Ever Finals
Ben Shephard relives more gripping endgames from the quiz where contestants attempt to hit the jackpot on the supersized arcade machine.
Director Richard van't Riet; Executive producers Hugh Rycroft, Kate Lownds and Sara Doyle (R) (S) (HD)

4.30 ITV News
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

5.00 The Chase Celebrity Special
Bradley Walsh hosts as Amanda Byram, Adam Thomas, Brendan Cole and Naga Munchetty challenge one of the fearsome Chasers in an effort to win the prize pot for their charities.
Executive producers Michael Kelpie, Martin Scott and Helen Tumbridge (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Celebrity Catchphrase
Dianne Buswell, Ria Hebden and Neil Morrissey try to identify the well-known phrases from the animated clues for the chance to win £50,000 for good causes. Stephen Mulhern presents.
Director Geraldine Dowd
Executive producer Sam Munday (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 The Masked Singer
2/8 *Series 4.* Joel Dommett welcomes a new batch of mystery vocalists, as Jacket Potato takes on Fawn, Rubbish duels with Pigeon and Piece of Cake goes head to head with Rhino. Regular panellists Davina McCall, Mo Gilligan, Rita Ora and Jonathan Ross will attempt to crack the clues and guess the identity of the celebrities concealed in the surreal costumes, before the second masked singer is forced to "take it off" and shed their elaborate disguise.
Director Diccon Ramsey; Executive producers Claire Horton, Derek McLean and Daniel Nettleton
Repeated tomorrow 11.25am ITV2 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 Ant & Dec's Limitless Win
New series. 1/5 *Series 2.* Celebrity duo Jimmy Carr and Katherine Ryan continue their climb up the Limitless Ladder in the hope of earning a massive amount of money for their chosen charities. Then it's the turn of Geordie friends Helen and Kelly to face the questions where every answer is a number, as they begin their ascent of the ladder. Ant and Dec present.
Director Ollie Bartlett; Executive producers Victoria Ashbourne Tom Blakeson, Gemma Nightingale, Stuart Shawcross (S) (HD)

9.30 The John Bishop Show
RT ***New series. 1/6*** *Series 2.* The comedian returns with a lively mixture of stand-up and interviews with his star guests from the worlds of music, sport and TV. **See page 41.**
Director Jeanette Goulbourn; Series producer Cameron Banks
Repeated Tuesday 10.45pm (S) (HD)

10.15 ITV News
Weather; Regional Weather (S) (HD)

10.35 The 1% Club
Lee Mack offers 100 players the chance to get rich by solving a succession of logic problems, with a potential top prize of £100,000.
Exec producers Dean Nabarro, Andy Auerbach (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.30 EFL Highlights
Goals, reaction and analysis from all the day's matches in League One and League Two.
Producer Mark Scott Shown 10.20pm ITV4 (S) (HD)

12.30am Home Shopping (HD)
3.00 Unwind A sequence to calm the mind. (S) (HD)
4.15–6.00am Love Your Weekend with Alan Titchmarsh Ruth Jones, Stephanie Beacham and Simon Lycett guest. Shown last Sunday (S) (SL) (HD)

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+1 Freeview 35 Freesat 112 Sky 203 Virgin 114

Channel 4 4 (7 in Wales)

Bohemian Rhapsody *9.00pm* One vision: Freddie Mercury (Rami Malek) and Queen had a kind of magic

3.15pm Sleepless in Seattle ★★★★
Romantic comedy. When Sam Baldwin's wife dies, he is left to bring up his son Jonah alone, and decides to move to Seattle. On Christmas Eve, Jonah rings a radio show with his Christmas wish to find a new wife for his dad. Meanwhile in Baltimore, journalist Annie Reed, who is having doubts about her own relationship, is listening in. Available on All 4 for the next 7 days. **Review p47.**

Sam Baldwin	**Tom Hanks**	Becky	**Rosie O'Donnell**
Annie Reed	**Meg Ryan**	Jay	**Rob Reiner**
Jonah Baldwin	**Ross Malinger**	Walter	**Bill Pullman**

Director Nora Ephron (1993, PG) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

5.20 Grand Designs
Kevin McCloud meets south London chef Corinne, who plans a beautifully crafted, double kitchen home. However, she faces the challenge of building within a strict conservation area.
Director Alex Steinitz; Executive producers John Lonsdale and John Comerford (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

6.15 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

6.45 Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull ★★★★
Period action adventure. Nevada in the late 1950s: archaeologist Indiana Jones finds himself up to his neck in trouble again when he encounters Irina Spalko and a gang of Soviet agents at a military base in the desert. However, this is only the start of a series of adventures that will send Indy into the Amazon jungle in search of a mysterious crystal skull. **Film of the Day: p47.**

Indiana Jones	**Harrison Ford**	Professor "Ox" Oxley	**John Hurt**
Irina Spalko	**Cate Blanchett**	Marion Ravenwood	**Karen Allen**
George "Mac" McHale	**Ray Winstone**	Dean Charles Stanforth	**Jim Broadbent**
Mutt Williams	**Shia LaBeouf**	Dovchenko	**Igor Jijikine**

Director Steven Spielberg (2008, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
Also showing Thursday 9pm 4seven

9.00 Bohemian Rhapsody ★★★
Biographical music drama. London, 1970: living with his parents, Farrokh Bulsara dreams of becoming a rock star. So when local group Smile loses its lead singer, he convinces guitarist Brian May and drummer Roger Taylor to give him a shot. With the addition of bassist John Deacon and Bulsara changing his name to Freddie Mercury, the band Queen is born – but the path to world domination is a bumpy one. **Review page 47.**

Freddie Mercury	**Rami Malek**	Paul Prenter	**Allen Leech**
Mary Austin	**Lucy Boynton**	Jim Beach	**Tom Hollander**
Brian May	**Gwilym Lee**	Ray Foster	**Mike Myers**
Roger Taylor	**Ben Hardy**	John Reid	**Aidan Gillen**
John Deacon	**Joseph Mazzello**	Bomi Bulsara, Freddie's dad	**Ace Bhatti**

Director Bryan Singer (2018, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
Also showing Friday 9pm 4seven

11.45 Good Will Hunting ★★★★
Oscar-winning drama starring Matt Damon. Will Hunting has the most brilliant mind at America's top university. The problem is, he's a penniless cleaner. Faced with a jail sentence, his fate lies in the hands of a therapist who is brought in to help him realise his potential. Available on All 4 for the next 30 days. **Review page 47.**

Will Hunting	**Matt Damon**	Lambeau	**Stellan Skarsgard**
Sean McGuire	**Robin Williams**	Tom	**John Mighton**
Chuckie	**Ben Affleck**	Krystyn	**Rachel Majorowski**
Skylar	**Minnie Driver**	Cathy	**Colleen McCauley**

Director Gus Van Sant (1997, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

1.55am Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA The chef tackles Lela's, a restaurant in Pomona, California. (R) (S)
2.45 Couples Come Dine with Me Three pairs vie for the £1,000 cash prize in Oxfordshire. (R) (S) (HD)
3.40 Hollyoaks Omnibus. Cast Tue/Thu (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
5.45–6.25am Countdown Colin Murray hosts. (R) (S) (HD)

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BBC4 9 (24 in Scotland)

Mystery Road: Origin *9.00pm* Constable Jay Swan (Mark Coles Smith) returns to his home town

7.00pm Raiders of the Lost Past with Janina Ramirez
3/3 *Series 1.* **The Olmec Heads.** In 1939, explorers Matthew and Marion Stirling headed into the Mexican jungle on the trail of a colossal stone head. They located it and it led to their discovery of a lost civilisation, now known as the Olmecs. Dr Janina Ramirez follows in the footsteps of the Stirlings.
Director/Producer Luke McMahon
Signed repeat 2.50am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Write around the World with Richard E Grant
3/3. The actor's literary journey takes him to Andalusia in Spain. He finds out about the city of Granada, helped by the writings of Federico García Lorca, visits the town of Ronda, much loved by Ernest Hemingway, and follows Laurie Lee's footsteps from his travelogue.
Director Southan Morris; Producer Anne Elletson
Repeated 1.50am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Mystery Road: Origin
RT ***New series. 1/6.*** Prequel to the Australian drama, exploring the indigenous detective's early career. In 1999, Constable Jay Swan starts a job in the outback town where he grew up. While investigating a spate of robberies, he meets the love of his life. (S) (HD)
9.55 ***2/6.*** Jay leads a visit to a local gang that quickly escalates. The whole series will be available on iPlayer after this episode is shown. **See p40.** (S) (HD)

Jay Swan	**Mark Coles Smith**
Max	**Hayley McElhinney**
Patrick	**Daniel Henshall**
Jack Swan	**Kelton Pell**
Abe	**Toby Leonard Moore**
Geraldine	**Caroline Brazier**
Catherine	**Lisa Flanagan**
Cindy	**Grace Chow**
Lucas Miller	**Blake Richardson**
Anousha	**Salme Geransar**

10.55 Early Doors
1/6 *Series 1.* Comedy series first shown in 2003, set in a Manchester pub. Police pay a visit to landlord Ken. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
11.25 ***2/6.*** Liam plans a surprise for Melanie's forthcoming birthday.

Joe	**Craig Cash**
Duffy	**Phil Mealey**
Ken	**John Henshaw**
Winnie	**Joan Kempson**
Liam	**James McAvoy**
Melanie	**Christine Bottomley**
Jean	**Rita May**
Eddie	**Mark Benton**
Joan	**Lorraine Cheshire**
Tommy	**Rodney Litchfield**

Writers Craig Cash and Phil Mealey; Director Adrian Shergold; Producers Lucy Ansbro and John Rushton (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.55 To the Manor Born
Series 3. **Station Closing.** Audrey organises a protest rally.
Writer Peter Spence Shown last Tuesday (S)

12.25am Sykes *Series 3.* **A Bandage.** Hattie practises first aid skills. Shown last Tuesday (S)
12.55 Shackleton's Cabin The restoration of the ship's cabin in which Ernest Shackleton died. Shown last Wednesday (S) (HD)
1.50 Write around the World with Richard E Grant Shown 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.50–3.50am Raiders of the Lost Past with Janina Ramirez Shown 7pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

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SATURDAY Television

BBC1 SCOTLAND
2.35pm Escape to the Country **3.20** The Weakest Link: Romesh Ranganathan hosts **4.05–5.20** Sportscene Results: football scores **12.10am** Sportscene: Premiership Highlights: including Aberdeen v St Johnstone and Celtic v Kilmarnock **1.10 FILM:** The Program **2.45** Weather for the Week Ahead **2.50–6.00** BBC News

BBC SCOTLAND
7.00pm The Seven **7.15** The Edit **7.30** Sportscene: Premiership Highlights **8.30** The River: farrier David Merry tends to all the horses at the Jedburgh common ride **9.00** Eye of the Storm: documentary about an artist struggling with the loss of his sight **10.00 FILM:** Scottish Mussel: romantic comedy starring Martin Compston and Talulah Riley **11.30–12 midnight** Lawrence Chaney's Homecoming Queens

STV
3.00–4.15am Night Vision

BBC1 WALES
11.30am–12 noon Kiri's TV Flashback: how the people of Wales will go all-out for a good cause

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND
7.30–8.00pm B&B by the Sea: Gloria Hunniford checks in to the B&B

Channel 5 listings are overleaf

SATURDAY Freeview

Channel 5 5

The Big Snow of '82 *9.30pm* How Britain froze to a standstill in 1982

6.00am Milkshake! See page 46
9.55 The Smurfs Hefty casts a spell that turns him into a colossal nose. (S) (HD)
10.10 SpongeBob SquarePants SpongeBob and Patrick get caught in a ghostly feud. (S) (HD)
10.35 Entertainment News (S) (HD)
10.40 Friends *Series 3.* Rachel is dismayed to learn her boss is dating Chandler.
11.10 Ross makes a sacrifice for Rachel.
11.40 Joey's play gets bad reviews. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.10pm Seven Brides for Seven Brothers ★★★★★ Musical starring Howard Keel and Jane Powell. When a rancher brings his new wife home, she is horrified to discover she has to look after his six unruly brothers. **Review page 47.**
Director Stanley Donen (1954, U) (S) (W) (HD)
2.20 Singin' in the Rain ★★★★★ Classic musical starring Gene Kelly and Debbie Reynolds. Silent film stars Don Lockwood and Lina Lamont are the golden couple of 1920s Hollywood. However, when "talkies" emerge, Lina is shown up by the technology and an aspiring actress must dub her voice.
Directors Gene Kelly, Stanley Donen (1952, U) (S) (W) (HD)
4.30pm Dirty Dancing ★★★★ Romantic drama starring Jennifer Grey and Patrick Swayze. Teenager Frances "Baby" Houseman arrives at a mountain resort hotel with her family in 1963. There, she meets dance instructor Johnny Castle, who relieves her boredom by teaching her the art of "dirty dancing".
Director Emile Ardolino (1987, 12) (S) (W) (HD)
6.30 5 News (S) (HD)
6.35 A Year at Hampton Court A look behind the scenes at the tourist attraction royal palace on the Thames.
Director/Producer Stuart Powell (S) (HD)
8.30 *New series.* Secrets of the Royal Palaces RT *1/8 Series 3.* Historian Kate Williams unveils the origins of Buckingham Palace, and reveals the most haphazard royal wedding in history. **See page 40.**
Directors Simon Newton, Sarah Ager, Emily Wallis and James Nutt (S) (HD)
9.30 *New.* The Big Snow of '82 RT In 1982, a December "snow bomb" brought 20ft drifts and giant icebergs floating down the River Severn as the UK ground to a halt. Archive footage and celebrity interviews recall the UK's whitest Christmas. **See p41.** (S) (HD)
10.55 Along Came a Spider ★★★ Suspense thriller. When a senator's daughter is abducted, Alex Cross is forced to join the hunt after the kidnapper contacts him. **Review page 47.**

Alex Cross	**Morgan Freeman**
Secret Service Agent Jezzie Flannigan	**Monica Potter**
Gary Soneji/Jonathan Mercuzio	**Michael Wincott**
Elizabeth Rose	**Penelope Ann Miller**
Senator Hank Rose	**Michael Moriarty**

Director Lee Tamahori (2001, 15) (S) (W) (HD)
1.00am *New.* Casino (S) (HD) **3.00** Entertainment News (S) (HD) **3.05** GPs: behind Closed Doors (S) (HD) **3.55** Get Your Tatts Out: Kavos Ink (S) (HD) **4.45** Divine Designs (S) (SL) **5.10–5.35am** House Doctor (S) (SL)

C5 **F'view** 5/**HD** 105 **F'sat** 105 **Sky** 105 **Virgin** 154/**HD** 105
+1 **Freeview** 46 **Freesat** 128 **Sky** 205 **Virgin** 155

BBC4 listings are overleaf

BBC3 23

EastEnders *7.00pm* Ricky makes an important decision about his future

7.00pm EastEnders
The Slaters throw a New Year's Eve party.
Shown New Year's Day BBC1
7.30 Phil organises a celebratory lunch.
Shown last Monday BBC1
8.00 Kat faces a desperate plight.
Shown last Tuesday BBC1
8.30 Stacey is determined to get the truth.
Shown last Wednesday BBC1
9.00 Will Nish give Vinny a job?
Shown last Thu BBC1 Cast Wed/Thu BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)
9.30 Two Pints of Lager and a Packet of Crisps
5/10 Series 6. Jonny tries to overturn any doubts about his sexuality.
10.00 *6/10.* Louise wants a new family and seems to know exactly where to find one.
10.30 *7/10.* Jonny makes a discovery about Corinthian's parentage. (S) (AD) (HD)

Jonny	**Ralf Little**
Gaz	**Will Mellor**
Janet	**Sheridan Smith**
Donna	**Natalie Casey**
Louise	**Kathryn Drysdale**
Kelly	**Hayley Bishop**

11.00 Catch Her If You Can An attempt to expose a businesswoman's double life as a con artist, orchestrated by an alliance of her past victims.
Shown last Monday (S) (AD) (HD)
11.30 Planet Sex with Cara Delevingne *1/6.* In Germany, Cara uncovers the science behind orgasms. (S) (HD)
12.15am Planet Sex with Cara Delevingne (S) (HD) **1.45** Two Pints of Lager and a Packet of Crisps (S) (AD) (HD) **3.15–3.45am** Hire Me: Competing for a Dream Job (S) (HD)

BBC3 **F'view** 23/**HD** 109 (not Scot/Wales) **F'sat** 179/**HD** 107 **Sky** 117 (173 London; 141 Scot) **Virgin** 107 (157 Scot/Wales)

ITV2 6

6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.35** Coronation Street (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **9.50** Secret Crush (S) (SL) (HD)
10.50 Dress to Impress (S) (SL) (HD)
12.45pm Catchphrase (S) (HD) **1.30 FILM** Stuart Little 2 ★★★ Fantasy adventure (S) (W) (HD) **3.10 FILM** The Lego Batman Movie ★★★★★ Animated adventure (S) (W) (HD)
5.15pm FILM The Pirates! In an Adventure with Scientists! ★★★★ Animated comedy adventure featuring the voices of Hugh Grant, David Tennant and Martin Freeman. Pirate Captain may be the leader of a shambolic crew of buccaneers but he's still determined to win the coveted Pirate of the Year competition, even if it means fighting off some fearsome rivals. (S) (W) (HD)
7.00 FILM Superman Returns ★★★★ Blockbuster fantasy adventure starring Brandon Routh, Kevin Spacey and Kate Bosworth. Superman returns to Metropolis after a five-year mission to look for his home planet Krypton, only to find that his former sweetheart Lois Lane has a new boyfriend and a young son. **Review p47.** (S) (W) (HD)
10.00 Kavos Weekender New staff Lucy, Jaegia, Ethan and Joel arrive and head rep David is quick to advise the team his new mantra is "the pursuit of excellence". (S) (HD)
11.00 Family Guy *Series 12.* Peter and Quagmire form a singer/songwriter partnership a la Simon and Garfunkel. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.30 *Series 11.* Chris wangles an invitation for the clan to join a country club. (S) (AD) (HD)
12 midnight American Dad! (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00am Hey Tracey! (S) (HD) **2.00** All American (S) (HD) **2.50–3.00am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV2 **Freeview** 6 **Freesat** 113 **Sky** 118 **Virgin** 115/**HD** 176
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ITV3 10

Bugsy Malone *7.40am* Blousey Brown shares a drink with the gangster

6.00am George and Mildred: triple bill (S)
7.40 FILM Bugsy Malone ★★★★ Spoof gangster musical featuring a cast of children, including Scott Baio and Jodie Foster (S) (W)
9.40 Inspector Morse: *Series 1. The Dead of Jericho.* In the first ever episode, Morse investigates an apparent suicide and meets Sergeant Lewis; **12 noon** *The Silent World of Nicholas Quinn.* A deaf academic is murdered; **2.20pm** *Service of All the Dead* The Oxford detective investigates a murder at a quiet country church (S) (AD) (HD)
4.40pm Inspector Morse *Series 2.* **The Wolvercote Tongue.** An American tourist's body is discovered in her hotel room, apparently dead from a heart attack – but a valuable jewel she intended to donate to the Ashmolean Museum is missing and several interested parties are acting strangely. (S) (AD) (HD)
7.00 Midsomer Murders *Series 1.* **The Killings at Badger's Drift** A walk in the woods leads to tragedy for Emily Simpson, who witnesses something unsettling before being found dead in her cottage by old friend Lucy Bellringer. With Jessica Hynes, Julian Glover, Renée Asherson and Rosalie Crutchley. (S) (AD)
9.00 Written in Blood. Gerald Hadleigh, the secretary of a local writers' circle, is found battered to death on the eve of a visit by a bestselling novelist. The dead man's past turns out to be a mystery, as another murder quickly follows. Guest starring Una Stubbs, Joanna David, Anna Massey and John Shrapnel. (S) (AD)
10.50 Vera *2/4 Series 6.* **Tuesday's Child.** The body of a young man who was killed by a blow to the head is found wrapped in plastic sheeting in an area known for illicit teen gatherings. DCI Stanhope follows the trail to a funfair where the victim used to work and a church in which he sought refuge. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.55am George and Mildred (S)
2.05–2.30am Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV3 **Freeview** 10 **Freesat** 115 **Sky** 119 **Virgin** 117/**HD** 177
+1 **F'view** 59 *(9pm–4am)* **F'sat** 116 **Sky** 219 **Virgin** 174

ITV4 26

6.00am The Derby through the Years (S) (HD)
6.15 Minder (S) (SL) (AD) **8.25** The NFL Show (S) (HD) **9.30 *New.*** Racing: the Opening Show (S) (HD) **10.30** World of Sport (S) (HD)
10.50 The Big Match Revisited (S) (HD)
11.55 Made in Britain (S) (AD) (HD)
12.25pm FILM Rio Lobo ★★★ Western. (S) (W) (HD) **2.45 FILM** Flash Gordon ★★★ Sci-fi fantasy (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **5.00 FILM** Dr No ★★★★★ Spy adventure (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
7.15pm LIVE FA Cup Football Liverpool v Wolverhampton Wanderers. The third-round tie at Anfield (kick-off **8.00**). Presented by Mark Pougatch. (S) (HD) **Sport: page 29**
10.20 New. EFL Highlights Action from the latest fixtures, including Bolton Wanderers v Plymouth Argyle in League One and Mansfield Town v Barrow in League Two. Repeated 11.30pm ITV (S) (HD)
11.20 FILM The Rock ★★★★ Action thriller starring Sean Connery, Nicolas Cage and Ed Harris. A disaffected war hero takes hold of Alcatraz and threatens to use chemical warfare to destroy San Francisco. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
2.05am The Protectors: an American colonel needs help (S) (SL) **2.35–3.00am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV4 **Freeview** 26 **Freesat** 117 **Sky** 120 **Virgin** 118/**HD** 178
+1 **Freesat** 118 **Sky** 220 **Virgin** 175

Drama 20

Inspector George Gently *10.10pm* Gently teams up with John Bacchus

7.10am Lovejoy: *6/14 Series 5.* Eric becomes involved in a smuggling racket; **8.00** *7/14* The antiques dealer hunts down a murderer; **9.00** *8/14.* An attempt is made on Lovejoy's life; **10.00** *9/14.* One of Charlie's clients asks Lovejoy to sell a Ming Dynasty war cannon (S)
11.00 Sharpe: *1/3 Series 3. Sharpe's Gold* A Spanish rebel captures British deserters (S)
1.00pm Pie in the Sky: *1/10 Series 1.* Detective Inspector Henry Crabbe prepares for his retirement and the opening of his restaurant; **2.00** *2/10.* Henry searches for a missing policeman; **3.00** *3/10.* A regular customer comes under suspicion (S) **4.00** Inspector George Gently Repeated 10.10pm (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00pm The Brokenwood Mysteries *3/4 Series 6.* **Dead Men Don't Shoot Ducks.** An animal activist is killed on the first day of duck-hunting season. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Shakespeare and Hathaway: Private Investigators *7/10 Series 3.* **Best Beware My Sting** An energy tycoon hires Frank and Lu to keep an eye on his daughters, one of whom is going off the rails and the other is about to get married. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 New Tricks *1/10 Series 10.* **The Rock 1/2.** Brian's future is left hanging in the balance when a past incident comes back to haunt him. Meanwhile, the discovery of a gun in the Thames reopens the unsolved 1998 murder of a playboy shipping heir. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.10 Inspector George Gently *1/3 Series 1.* **Pilot.** It is 1964, drugs are about to hit the streets of Britain and George Gently is one of the few officers in Scotland Yard who is untouched by corruption. But when his wife is murdered, Gently is after revenge. Shown 4pm (S) (AD) (HD)
12.10am Taggart: *1/3 Series 7.* A snooping student witnesses a murder (S) **1.55** Auf Wiedersehen, Pet: *1/6 Series 3.* The lads return to work on an ambitious engineering project (S) **2.55–4.00am** Birds of a Feather: *1/14 Series 4.* Sharon's café is a success (S)

Drama **Freeview** 20 **Freesat** 158 **Sky** 143 **Virgin** 130
+1 **Freeview** 60 **Sky** 243 **Virgin** 226

ITVBe 28

7.00am Celebrity Dinner Date (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Masters of Flip (S) (HD) **9.00** LittleBe (HD)
12 noon Masters of Flip (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Kelsey Parker: Life after Tom (S) (HD)
6.00pm Kelsey Parker: Life after Tom Following Kelsey Parker as she navigates life after the death of her husband, the Wanted singer Tom Parker. (S) (HD)
7.00 Celebrity Dinner Date Reality TV star, influencer and model Georgia Steele is going to be given five menus, each put together by a potential blind date. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Five singletons wine and dine a similarly unattached suitor, unaware that the potential date turning up for their meal will actually be Chris Taylor. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Botched A pop star impersonator visits the doctors after silicone injections left her with a dented chin. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Totally Unbelievable: Celebrity Holiday Hotspots The hottest super-rich celebrity holiday getaways. (S) (HD)
11.00 Totally Unbelievable: Celebrity Weddings A look at the most over-the-top celebrity nuptials of all time. (S) (HD)
12 midnight–1.00am Totally Unbelievable (S) (HD)

ITVBe **Freeview** 28 **Freesat** 119 **Sky** 131 **Virgin** 119/**HD** 179
+1 **Virgin** 120 (Scotland 162)

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More4 18

Escape to the Château *6.55pm* Angel works on the cider and vinegar store

8.55am Food Unwrapped: a look at airline food (AD) **9.30** A Place in the Sun
12.30pm Location, Location, Location **1.35** Come Dine with Me: from Newcastle
4.10pm Four in a Bed Featuring B&Bs in Cornwall, Berkshire, Kent and Brighton.
6.55 Escape to the Château Dick and Angel Strawbridge prepare to open their home for the wedding season after two years. Angel has plans to turn the château's cider and vinegar store into a wedding workshop. (AD)
8.00 Best Year Ever... 1982 The songs, stories and trends of 1982, a year that saw the rise of Channel 4 and the birth of a future king, as well as the popularity of *ET the Extra-Terrestrial*, legwarmers and Boy George.
9.00 24 Hours in A&E A woman is rushed to St George's after her horse fell on top of her, resulting in multiple injuries, and a partying 22-year-old has a laceration to her ankle after falling onto a gin glass. (AD)
10.00 Leo arrives after crashing his car and flipping it on its roof. Meanwhile, young Kieran has hurt his wrist tumbling off his skateboard and 91-year-old Lillian has fallen over. (AD)
11.05 Emergency Helicopter Medics Cumbrian farmer Dennis is pierced through the chest with a metal spike, and a motorcyclist is flown to hospital in a critical condition following a crash in the Lake District. (AD)
12.10am Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown: double bill **2.20** 24 Hours in A&E (AD)
3.25–3.50am Food Unwrapped (AD)

More4 **F'view** 18 **F'sat** 124 **Sky** 136 **Virgin** 147/**HD** 195
+1 **Freesat** 125 **Sky** 236 **Virgin** 196

E4 13

6.00am Don't Tell the Bride: a Spanish wedding **6.55** Supernanny USA (AD) **7.50** Lego Masters Australia **9.40** Ramsay's 24 Hours to Hell and Back **10.40** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA: two editions
12.45pm The Great New Year Bake Off (AD)
2.00 FILM Spider-Man: Into the Spider-Verse ★★★★ Animated action adventure (AD) **4.10** The Big Bang Theory (AD)
6.05pm The Big Bang Theory ***21/23*** *Series 3.* Sheldon invites a famous physicist to the flat after befriending her online. (AD)
6.35 ***22/23.*** The origins of Sheldon and Leonard's friendship are revealed. (AD)
7.00 FILM Skyscraper ★★★ Action adventure starring Dwayne Johnson. Former FBI agent Will Sawyer now works security on high-rise buildings. After a Chinese skyscraper is set ablaze on his watch, Sawyer is blamed and must fight to prove his innocence – while also rescuing his family from the inferno. (AD)
9.00 Celebrity Gogglebox Views on *Britain's Got Talent* and *Misery*. From June 2020. (AD)
10.00 Gogglebox The armchair critics' reactions to programmes in May 2022. (AD)
11.05 Another edition from last May. (AD)
12.10am First Dates: a political activist searches for her equal (SL) (AD) **2.20** Celebrity Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **3.15** Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **4.10–6.00am** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (SL)

E4 **Freeview** 13 **Freesat** 122 **Sky** 135 **Virgin** 106/**HD** 145
+1 **Freeview** 30 **Freesat** 123 **Sky** 235 **Virgin** 146
E4 Extra **Freeview** 31 **Freesat** 181 **Sky** 138 **Virgin** 337

Really 17

6.00am Fantasy Homes by the Sea **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Kings of the Wood **9.00** Antiques Road Trip **10.00** Dr Pimple Popper: Pop Ups
1.00pm A Place in the Sun: double bill **3.00** Helicopter ER **7.00** Helicopter ER: Coastal Special **8.00** Saving Lives at Sea **9.00** ***New.*** Destination Fear **10.00** ***New series.*** Ghost Brothers: Lights Out **11.00** Paranormal: Caught on Camera
12 midnight The Osbournes Want to Believe
1.00am A Haunting **2.00** Home Shopping **4.00** Lone Star Law **5.00–6.00am** Kings of the Wood

Really **Freeview** 17 **Freesat** 160 **Sky** 142 **Virgin** 128

Sky Arts 11

The Who: Live at Hyde Park *6.40pm* 50th anniversary celebrations in 2015

6.00am Arts Uncovered **6.15** Matthew Bourne's Swan Lake **8.30** Tales of the Unexpected: five back-to-back episodes (AD)
11.00 The Agatha Christie Hour (AD)
12 noon Classic Albums **1.15pm** The Art of the Album Cover (AD) **3.05** Paul Simon: Live in Central Park 1991 **5.40** The Who Sell Out: Classic Albums: the 1967 concept album
6.40pm The Who: Live at Hyde Park A 2015 performance by the veteran rock band as part of their 50th anniversary celebrations, including performances of *My Generation*, *Pinball Wizard* and *I Can See for Miles*.
9.00 ***New.*** **Maximum R&B: the Birth of the Who** Pete Townshend and Roger Daltrey look back at the start of the band, recalling how their obsession with the music of Chicago, Memphis and Mississippi shaped their songwriting.
10.00 The Who: Quadrophenia – Live in London In a concert at Wembley Arena in 2013, Pete Townshend and Roger Daltrey complete their tour marking the 40th anniversary of the original release of *Quadrophenia*. They perform the rock opera in its entirety, including *The Real Me*, *The Punk and the Godfather*, *Bell Boy* and *5:15*.
12 midnight Johnny Cash: the Man in Black in Britain (AD) **1.00am** Bob Dylan: the Other Side of the Mirror: the singer/songwriter's appearances at the Newport Folk Festival from 1963 to 1965 (AD)
2.35 Chrissie Hynde Sings Bob Dylan: Tomorrow Is a Long Time **4.15** Bob Dylan: Urban Myths
4.45–6.00am The Art of Drumming

Sky Arts **Freeview** 11 **Freesat** 147 **Sky** 130 **Virgin** 165/**HD** 140 **BT** 350/**HD** 365

4seven 49

9.00am Come Dine with Me: the Professionals **11.00** Come Dine with Me (AD)
1.30pm A New Life in the Sun: double bill **3.30** A Place in the Sun: three editions
6.00pm A Place in the Sun Ben Hillman helps a couple search for a holiday home in Spain's Almería Province. Shown last Mon C4
7.00 The Dog House ***Ep 1*** *Series 4.* Hannah and Craig and their mischievous boys Oliver and Felix meet their match in cheeky cockapoo puppy, Percy. Shown last Thu C4 (AD)
8.00 Devon and Cornwall ***3/4*** *Series 5* Wendy and Andy experiment by growing the Mexican fruit tomatillos, while fisherman Fraser Pugh hopes to expand his business of supplying hand-dived scallops. (AD)
9.00 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown Jonathan Ross and Joe Wilkinson take on Roisin Conaty and Ahir Shah. Mat Ewins is in Dictionary Corner. Shown yesterday Channel 4
10.00 The Big Fat Quiz of the Year 2022 The annual year-end show, hosted by Jimmy Carr, with panellists Stephen Merchant, Katherine Ryan, Richard Ayoade, Maisie Adam, Jonathan Ross and Rose Matafeo.
12.05am Gogglebox (AD) **1.40** Taskmaster's New Year Treat (AD) **2.40** Grand Designs **3.45–4.35am** George Clarke's Old House, New Home

4seven **F'view** 49 **F'sat** 127 **Sky** 137 **Virgin** 143/**HD** 193

Quest 12

6.00am Gunslingers **8.00** Fifth Gear Recharged **9.00** Wheeler Dealers **3.00pm** Mighty Cruise Ships **4.00** Disasters at Sea (AD) **5.00** Supertruckers **6.00pm** Fifth Gear Recharged **7.00** Salvage Hunters: Drew Pritchard finds a wealth of unusual oddities housed in a Devon pub **8.00** The Woodland Workshop: master-crafters in the New Forest come together to build extraordinary items **9.00** The Repair Shop: items include a teddy bear and a portable police crime office **10.00** Ancient Unexplained Files **11.00** Secret History of the Sphinx
12 midnight Hunting Hitler **1.00am** Nasa's Unexplained Files **3.00** Outback Opal Hunters **4.00–5.00am** How It's Made: double bill

Quest **Freeview** 12 **Freesat** 172/**HD** 167 **Sky** 144 **Virgin** 169
+1 **Freeview** 70 **Freesat** 168 **Sky** 244 **Virgin** 213

Yesterday 27

One Foot in the Grave *10.00pm* Will Victor agree to help a friend in need?

6.00am Impossible Railways (AD)
8.00 Bangers and Cash: five editions
1.00pm Abandoned Engineering (AD)
4.00 Great Continental Railway Journeys
6.00pm Great Continental Railway Journeys Beginning this leg in Berlin, Michael Portillo heads west via the picturesque Harz mountains to the industrial Ruhr Valley.
7.00 In Switzerland, Michael visits the industrial region around Zürich and learns about the engineering feats needed to thread the rail network through the Alps.
8.00 Michael Portillo travels between cities of the pre-war Low Countries and tastes the culinary delights of Brussels before heading to the French sector of the Western Front.
9.00 Michael discovers what the intrepid tourists of *la belle époque* experienced on their travels through the fading Spanish empire.
10.00 One Foot in the Grave Following a flood at her flat, Mrs Warboys becomes a bit of a fixture at the Meldrews'.
10.40 A sultry widow sets her sights on Victor. Guest-starring Barbara Windsor.
11.20 Victor consults a solicitor.
12 midnight Bangers and Cash **1.00–3.00am** Impossible Railways: double bill (AD)

Yesterday **Freeview** 27 **Freesat** 159 **Sky** 155 **Virgin** 129
+1 **Freeview** 75 **Sky** 255 **Virgin** 217

Dave 19

7.10am Lazy Boy Garage (AD) **8.00** Storage Hunters UK **8.30** Rick Stein's India (AD)
9.30 Rick Stein's French Odyssey: double bill
10.30 Top Gear (AD) **11.35** Soapbox Race
12.35pm Storage Hunters UK **1.35** Top Gear (AD) **3.40** Not Going Out **5.00** Top Gear (AD)
6.00pm Would I Lie to You? With guests Claudia Winkleman, Clive Anderson, Jason Manford and Miranda Hart.
6.40 Jack Whitehall, Frankie Boyle, Christine Bleakley and Kelvin MacKenzie guest.
7.20 Davina McCall, Dave Gorman, Janet Street-Porter and Omid Djalili take part.
8.00 Not Going Out Lee is not happy about going to the pantomime. From Christmas 2021.
9.00 ***1/6*** *Series 12.* Wendy produces a commemorative portrait of Frank.
9.40 Mock the Week With James Acaster, Ari Eldjarn, Ed Gamble and Ellie Taylor.
10.20 Angela Barnes, Desiree Burch, Ed Byrne, Milton Jones and Glenn Moore guest.
9.40 Not Going Out ***2/6.*** Lee accidentally sends a rude text to Anna.
11.40 QI With Bill Bailey and Jimmy Carr.
12.15am Have I Got a Bit More News for You **1.15** Live at the Apollo **2.15** The Misadventures of Romesh Ranganathan (AD) **3.15–4.00am** Mock the Week

Dave **F'view** 19 **F'sat** 157 **Sky** 111 (Wales 112) **Virgin HD** 127
Dave Ja Vu **Freeview** 74 **Sky** 211 (Wales 212) **Virgin** 131

London Live 8

6.00am London's Weekend **7.00** Skippy the Bush Kangaroo **8.00** Dork Hunters from Outer Space **9.00** Department S **10.00** The Prisoner **11.00** Hell Below **12 noon** Carluccio's 6 Seasons **12.30pm** After Henry
1.00 FILM The Informers ★★ Crime drama (BW) **3.10 FILM** We of the Never Never ★★★ Drama starring Angela Punch McGregor
5.50 FILM Avalanche ★★ Adventure starring Michael Portman **7.00** The World's Most Extraordinary Families **8.00** The World's Most Incredible Hotels **9.00 FILM** Albatross ★★★ Coming-of-age drama **10.50 FILM** Assassin ★★ **12.30am** Soros: a profile of the businessman and philanthropist **2.15** The Hidden City **3.15** London Districts **3.30** News Rewind **5.00–6.00am** Talking Points

London Live **Freeview** 8 **Sky** 117 **Virgin HD** 159
Other regional stations are available on Freeview 7 or 8 around the country

5 USA 21

9.00am Murder, She Wrote: nine back-to-back episodes of the series (AD)
6.00pm Murder, She Wrote *Series 10.* Two further episodes. Jessica finds herself up against a gang of hijackers, then Jessica investigates the murder of a music teacher (AD) **8.00** Blue Bloods *Series 2.* Frank is asked to downplay the significance of a murder **9.00** Criminal Minds *Series 5.* Double bill. A con artist turns to murder, then a serial killer attacks people in public
11.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit
12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: three episodes **2.50am** The Blacklist: a chance to see the first episode of the drama **3.35–4.00am** Riots and Robbers: Caught on Camera

5 USA **Freeview** 21 **Freesat** 129 **Sky** 141 **Virgin** 153
+1 **Freesat** 130 **Sky** 241 **Virgin** 185

5 Star 32

8.00am Entertainment News **8.10** Home and Away (AD) **8.35** Car Pound Cops: Give Me My Car Back! **10.30 FILM** *batteries not included ★★★ Sci-fi fantasy **12.45pm FILM** Never Been Kissed ★★★ Romantic comedy **2.50 FILM** Serendipity ★★★ Romantic comedy **4.40 FILM** The Goonies ★★★ Adventure based on a story by Steven Spielberg
6.50pm FILM Groundhog Day ★★★★★ Comedy fantasy starring Bill Murray and Andie MacDowell. A cynical TV weatherman lives the same day over and over again.
9.00 FILM Gremlins ★★★★ Black comedy horror starring Zach Galligan and Phoebe Cates. A cuddly pet unwittingly spawns a swarm of mischievous creatures.
11.10 FILM The Terminator ★★★★★ Sci-fi action thriller starring Arnold Schwarzenegger, Michael Biehn and Linda Hamilton. An unstoppable cyborg is time-warped from the future to alter the course of history.
1.25am When Luxury Holidays Go Wrong **2.55** GPs: behind Closed Doors: a pregnant woman has dizzy spells **3.50–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Star **Freeview** 32 **Freesat** 131 **Sky** 128 **Virgin** 151
+1 **Freesat** 141 **Sky** 228 **Virgin** 186

5 Action 33

9.00am Trucking Hell: double bill **11.00 FILM** Return of the Magnificent Seven ★★★ Western sequel starring Yul Brynner
1.00pm FILM Meteor ★ All-star disaster movie starring Sean Connery and Natalie Wood **3.10 FILM** Kelly's Heroes ★★★ Second World War action adventure starring Clint Eastwood and Telly Savalas
6.05pm FILM Rio Bravo ★★★★★ Western starring John Wayne and Dean Martin. In a Texas border town, a tough sheriff stands firm against a powerful cattle baron.
9.00 FILM Hercules ★★★ Action adventure starring Dwayne Johnson and Ian McShane. Having completed his 12 labours, Hercules and his five companions are hired by the King of Thrace to topple a tyrannical warlord.
10.55 FILM Maximum Risk ★★ Action thriller starring Jean-Claude Van Damme. A French cop uncovers corruption involving the Russian mafia and the FBI while on a mission to hunt down his twin brother's murderers.
1.00am Police: Night Shift 999 **4.00** Police: Suspect No 1: the intricacies of producing irrefutable evidence **4.50–5.00am** Entertainment News

5 Action **F'view** 33 **F'sat** 132 **Sky** 150 **Virgin** 187/**HD** 150

5 Select 56

9.00am GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD)
12.05pm Forged in Fire: seven editions
6.10pm Forged in Fire Two smiths attempt to re-create an African ikakalaka sword.
7.05 The smiths fight to produce blades that are worthy of the samurai.
8.00 World War II in Colour The final days of Hitler and the Third Reich as German forces were surrounded. (AD)
9.00 Secrets of the SAS: in Their Own Words Former members explain how they rationalise killing as part of their duties.
10.00 A former SAS soldier recalls the six weeks he spent operating inside Iraq.
11.00 A retelling of Bravo Two Zero's mission in Iraq during the First Gulf War.
12 midnight Lost Worlds with Ben Fogle: double bill (AD) **3.00am** Ancient Mysteries
3.50–4.00am Entertainment News

5 Select **F'view** (HD only) 56 **F'sat** 133 **Sky** 153 **Virgin** 152

FREEVIEW TV and film channels continue overleaf

BBC News **Freeview** 231 **Freesat** 212 **Sky** 503 **Virgin** 601 **Sky News** **Freeview** 233 **Freesat** 202 **Sky** 501 **Virgin** 603 **BT** 313

SATURDAY Freeview & films

W 25

Miranda *9.00pm* Meeting an old friend leads to a date

6.10am The Bill (S) **11.00** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **4.00pm** Property Brothers: Double Down (S) (HD) **5.00pm** My Family (S)

6.20pm My Family *3/9 Series 9* Ben tries to expose Susan's affair. **7.00** *4/9.* Susan helps an old friend with marital problems **7.40** *5/9.* Ben is disappointed by the inheritance he receives when his uncle dies. **8.20** *6/9.* Ben and Susan discover that Michael is seeing a therapist. (S)

9.00 Miranda *1/6.* Miranda bumps into her old friend Gary, who has a new job next door to her shop. **9.40** *2/6.* The singleton joins an evening class to learn French. **10.20** *3/6.* Miranda tries to improve her career prospects. (S) (AD)

11.00 Louis Theroux: Mothers on the Edge The film-maker spends time in two specialist psychiatric units in the UK. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.20am Louis Theroux: Dark States – Trafficking Sex (S) (AD) (HD) **1.40** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **2.30–3.00am** Inside the Ambulance (S) (HD)

W **F'view** 25 **F'sat** 156 **Sky** 132 **Virgin HD** 125 **+1 Sky** 232 **Virgin** 190

Pick 36

6.00am Nothing to Declare UK **7.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **11.00** Border Security USA (AD) **12 noon** Highway Cops (AD) **1.00pm** Motorway Patrol (AD) **2.00** ***New.*** Pridelands: Wilderness Reborn **3.00** ***New series.*** Secrets of Wild Australia (AD) **4.00** ***New series.*** Deadly Australians **5.00** Great Barrier Reef with David Attenborough **6.00** Road Wars **8.00** The Force: Manchester **9.00** Caught on Dashcam **10.00** World's Most Evil Killers: the mother and son Sante and Kenneth Kimes **11.00** Ross Kemp: Extreme World: how a boom in cheap foreign holidays has affected British seaside towns (AD) **12 midnight** The Force: Manchester **1.00am** Stop, Search, Seize (AD) **2.00** Border Security: America's Front Line (AD) **4.00–6.00am** Highway Patrol

Pick **F'view** 36 **F'sat** 144 **Sky** 151 **Virgin** 156

HGTV 44

7.00am Escape to the Country **11.00** My Lottery Dream Home **3.00pm** The Restoration Man **6.00pm** The Restoration Man: two further editions. A derelict Victorian brickworks in rural Oxfordshire is transformed, then George Clarke revisits two people who aimed to convert disused military towers into homes **8.00** Escape to the Country: a couple look for a new home in north Devon **9.00** My Dream Derelict Home in the Sun: salvaging a neglected presbytery in Normandy on a very tight budget **10.00** Escape to the Country **1.00am** Unsellable Houses: a split-level home **2.00** Escape to the Country **3.00–4.00am** The Restoration Man

HGTV **F'view** 44 **F'sat** 166 **Sky** 158 **Virgin** 286 **+1 Sky** 258 **Virgin** 290

FREEVIEW channels continued from overleaf

Food Network 43

Man v Food *9.00pm* Adam Richman heads to Memphis

6.00am Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives (S) (HD) **8.00** The Pioneer Woman (S) (HD) **1.00pm** James Martin's Brittany (S) **2.00** Lose Weight and Get Fit with Tom Kerridge (HD) **5.00** Hairy Dieters: How to Love Food and Lose Weight: four editions. Si King and Dave Myers learn why obesity is an increasingly serious problem in the 21st century **6.00** The duo prepare a calorie-conscious fry-up **7.00** Si King and Dave Myers come up with a calorie-conscious pie **8.00** The duo create low-calorie versions of their favourite party treats (HD) **9.00** Man v Food: six editions. Adam Richman samples a Sasquatch hamburger in Memphis **9.30** An eating challenge in Columbus, Ohio **10.00** Adam is challenged to eat a plate of giant tacos **10.30** Adam Richman visits Amarillo **11.00** Adam Richman is in Chicago to take on three meat-laden sandwiches **11.30** Sampling hot wings in Pittsburgh (HD) **12 midnight** Mystery Diners (HD) **2.00–3.00am** Michel Roux's French Country Cooking (S) (AD) (HD)

Food Network **Freeview** 43 **Freesat** 148 **Sky** 140 **Virgin** 285

Great TV 50

6.00am Highway to Heaven **11.00 FILM** Danielle Steel's Secrets ★★ **12.50pm** Movie News **1.00 FILM** Danielle Steel's Remembrance ★★ **2.50** Movie News **3.00 FILM** Danielle Steel's Daddy ★★ **4.50** Movie News **5.00 FILM** Danielle Steel's A Perfect Stranger ★★ Romantic drama **6.50** Movie News **7.00 FILM** Danielle Steel's No Greater Love ★★ Period romantic drama **8.50** Movie News **9.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **1.00am** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased) **2.00–6.00am** Castle

Great TV **Freeview** 50 *(limited)* **Freesat** 142 **Sky** 157 **Virgin** 189 **+1 Freesat** 143 **Sky** 257

RealityXtra 68

9.00am 48 Hours **12 noon** Fatal Vows **2.00pm** Medical Detectives: six editions. A woman sets out on her bike and never returns **2.30** A boy who ate a burger containing E-coli bacteria **3.00** A navy lieutenant is killed **3.30** The capture of a multiple rapist **4.00** A woman's body is found in her apartment **4.30** A British couple are reported missing **5.00** Judge Judy **12.30am** World's Most Unexplained… **1.00** Perry Mason **3.00–6.00am** 48 Hours

RealityXtra **Freeview** 68 **Freesat** 134 **Sky** 147 **Virgin** 197

BBC Parliament 232

BBC News simulcast, with news every hour plus: **6.00am** Breakfast **10.30** The Travel Show **11.30** The Media Show **12.30pm** Click **1.00** BBC News **2.30** Extreme Conservation **3.00** BBC News **4.30** The Media Show **5.30** Click **6.30** Sportsday **7.30** Sportsday **8.30** Extreme Conservation **9.30** The Big Cases **10.35** The Papers **10.45** Click **11.30** The Papers **11.45** The Travel Show **12.30am** Extreme Conservation **1.30** The Travel Show **2.00** BBC News **3.30** The Big Cases **4.30** Click **5.30–6.00am** The Media Show

BBC Parliament **Freeview** 232 **Freesat** 201 **Sky** 504 **Virgin** 605

PBS America 84

Alcatraz: the Greatest Escapes *8.45pm* "The Rock"

8.00am Beautiful Serengeti **8.40** Can Psychedelics Cure? (S) **9.55** Alcatraz: the Greatest Escapes **11.50** The True Story of King Tut's Treasure **1.00pm** Can Psychedelics Cure? (S) **2.25** Muhammad Ali (S)

5.00pm Jazz *1/12.* Acclaimed trumpeter Wynton Marsalis reveals how jazz is a celebration of life. (S) **6.15** *2/12.* The genius of Duke Ellington and Louis Armstrong. (S)

7.35 The True Story of King Tut's Treasure Reconstructing Tutankhamun's tomb and the treasures within.

8.45 Alcatraz: the Greatest Escapes Examining escape attempts from the prison, featuring interviews with inmates, guards and the families of Alcatraz correctional officers.

10.50 Can Psychedelics Cure? An investigation into psychedelics and mental health. (S)

12 midnight The True Story of King Tut's Treasure **1.10–2.00am** Beautiful Serengeti

PBS America **F'view** 84 (1pm-12 midnight only) **Freesat** 155 **Sky** 174 **Virgin** 273

Blaze 64

6.00am Walking through History **7.00** The Search for the Tesla Files **8.00** World's Deadliest Weather: Caught on Camera **11.00** Highway thru Hell **1.00pm** Pawn Stars **3.00** Ancient Aliens: five editions **8.00** Deep Water Salvage **9.00** Paranormal Survivor: a home built on the site of a terrible tragedy apparently haunted by its past **10.00** ***New series.*** I Am a Killer: convicted murderer Kenneth Foster recounts the shocking events that led to him being placed on death row in Texas **11.00** ***New series.*** Homicide: Hours to Kill: a businessman's last 24 hours alive prove critical as detectives hunt for the killer who shot him dead in his bed **12 midnight** Court Cam **1.00am** Paranormal: Caught on Camera **3.00–6.00am** Hardcore Pawn

Blaze **F'view** 64 **F'sat** 162 **Sky** 164 **Virgin** 199

Challenge 48

7.00am The Chase **9.00** Wheel of Fortune (AD) **11.30** Family Fortunes (AD) **1.30pm** All Star Family Fortunes **3.00** Strike It Lucky: madcap game show hosted by Michael Barrymore **4.00** Tenable: five prison officers from the north east answer questions about top ten lists, then try to score a perfect ten in the final round. Warwick Davis hosts **5.00** The Chase **9.00** The Chase Celebrity Special: DJ Scott Mills, actress Sunetra Sarker, boxer Anthony Ogogo and TV presenter Johnny Ball take on one of the Chasers and secure a cash prize for charity. Bradley Walsh hosts **10.00** The Chase **11.00** Bullseye: ten editions of the quiz that tests contestants' skill at darts and their general knowledge **4.00–6.00am** The Chase: double bill of the quiz hosted by Bradley Walsh

Challenge **Freeview** 48 **Freesat** 146 **Sky** 145 **Virgin** 160

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

6.00am Peppa Pig **6.10** Pip and Posy **6.20** Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom **6.30** Shane the Chef **6.40** Noddy: Toyland Detective **6.55** Fireman Sam **7.05** Thomas & Friends **7.15** Pip and Posy **7.25** Peppa Pig **7.30** Paw Patrol **7.50** Baby Shark's Big Show! **8.05** Pirata & Capitano **8.20** Santiago of the Seas **8.40** The Adventures of Paddington **8.50** Pop Paper City **9.00** Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom **9.15** Cooking with the Gills **9.25** Show Me How… **9.35** Mimi's World **9.45–9.55am** The World According to Grandpa: Lily asks why flowers smell nice

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CBeebies 202

6.00am Baby Jake **6.10** Twirlywoos **6.25** Bing **6.30** Love Monster **6.40** Chuggington **6.50** Go Jetters **7.00** Postman Pat: SDS **7.15** Bing **7.35** Hey Duggee **7.50** Go Jetters **8.00** Peter Rabbit **8.15** Octonauts **8.25** Chuggington **8.35** Bitz & Bob **8.50** The Furchester Hotel **9.00** Something Special **9.25** Bluey **9.40** Hey Duggee **9.55** Supertato **10.00** ***New.*** Spidey and His Amazing Friends **10.25** ***New.*** Pfffirates **10.35** Swashbuckle **11.00** Pinocchio and Friends **11.10** Dog Loves Books **11.15** Tee and Mo **11.25** Kiri & Lou **11.30** Colourblocks **11.35** Olga Da Polga **11.50** JoJo & Gran Gran **12 noon** Big Cook Little Cook **12.20pm** Old Jack's Boat: Rockpool Tales **12.35** Hey Duggee **12.40** Messy Goes to OKIDO **1.00** Bitz & Bob **1.10** Love Monster **1.25** Go Jetters **1.45** Dog Loves Books **1.55** Timmy Time **2.00** Something Special **2.20** Ranger Hamza's Eco Quest **2.35** Molly and Mack **2.50** Kiri & Lou **2.55** Pablo **3.05** Supertato **3.15** Dog Squad **3.25** Apple Tree House **3.40** Andy's Wild Adventures **3.50** Roots and Fruits **3.55** Hey Duggee **4.05** Magic Hands **4.15** Treasure Champs **4.30** Supertato **4.35** Bluey **4.45** Andy's Aquatic Adventures **5.00** Ranger Hamza's Eco Quest **5.15** Princess Mirror-Belle **5.35** Olga Da Polga **5.45** Sarah & Duck **5.55** Charlie and Lola **6.05** Tee and Mo **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden... **6.50– 7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories

CBeebies **F'view** 202 **F'sat** 608 **Sky** 608 **Virgin** 702

CBBC 201

7.00am Shaun the Sheep **7.05** Sketchy Comedy **7.10** Danger Mouse **7.20** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **7.30** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **7.45** ***New.*** Newsround **7.50** Ninja Express **8.05** Odd Squad **8.20** ***New.*** Oswaldo **8.30** Shaun the Sheep **8.40** Pokémon: Sun and Moon **9.00** ***New.*** Saturday Mash-Up! **11.30** ***New.*** Blue Peter **12 noon** The Football Academy **12.25pm** Dragons: the Nine Realms **1.10** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **1.25** Danger Mouse **1.35** Shaun the Sheep **1.45** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **1.55** Ninja Express **2.05** So Awkward **2.35** Princess Mirror-Belle **3.00** The Next Step **3.20** Bro's in Control **3.35** Game on Grandparents **4.00** Ninja Express **4.35** Shaun the Sheep **4.40** Danger Mouse **5.15** Odd Squad **5.40–7.00pm FILM** Early Man ★★★★ Animated comedy adventure featuring the voices of Eddie Redmayne and Tom Hiddleston

CBBC **F'view** 201 **F'sat** 607 **Sky** 607 **Virgin** 701

CITV

6.00am Dare Master **6.05** Dave Spud **6.40** Lloyd of the Flies **7.05** Teen Titans Go! **7.30** DC Super Hero Girls **8.00** Scooby-Doo and Guess Who? **8.25** 50/50 Heroes **8.55** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **9.25** Dare Master **9.30** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! **10.30** Scooby-Doo! **11.00** Lego Marvel Avengers: **12 noon** Teen Titans Go! **12.55pm** Tata and Kuma **1.00** Don't Unleash the Beast **1.30** Mini Movies **2.00** DC Super Hero Girls **3.00** Inspector Gadget **4.00** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **5.00** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! **5.30** Scooby-Doo! **6.25** Tata and Kuma **6.30** Mr Bean **7.30** Dave Spud **7.55** Don't Unleash the Beast **8.25** Mini Movies **8.55–9.00pm** Mission Employable

CITV **F'view** 203 **F'sat** 602 **Sky** 612 **Virgin** 734

FILMS

Film4 14

11.00am Aliens in the Attic ★★★ Children's adventure about plucky youngsters taking on ruthless space creatures. Ashley Tisdale (2009, PG) (S)

12.45pm The Spiderwick Chronicles ★★★★ Twin brothers discover a fantasy world in a creepy mansion in this gripping adventure. Freddie Highmore, Sarah Bolger (2008, PG) (S) (AD)

2.35 Spies in Disguise ★★★ Charming animated spy comedy about a secret agent (Will Smith) who inadvertently gets turned into a pigeon. Tom Holland (2018, PG) (S)

4.40 Mother's Day ★★ Sentimental comedy from the director of *Valentine's Day* and *New Year's Eve*. Jennifer Aniston (2016, 12) (S)

6.55pm Pacific Rim: Uprising ★★★ There's more city-smashing mayhem in this disjointed but exciting sci-fi action sequel. John Boyega, Scott Eastwood (2018, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Bad Boys ★★★★ Hugely entertaining action comedy thriller in which two cops have to switch lifestyles to fool the only witness to a crime. Martin Lawrence (1995, 18) (S) (AD)

11.20 Another 48 HRS ★★ Eddie Murphy and Nick Nolte return in this underwhelming sequel to the hit comedy thriller about a cop and a conman who are forced to team up. (1990, 18) (S)

1.10–2.50am Here Comes Hell ★★ Campy and increasingly gory pastiche of retro British horror. Margaret Clunie, Jessica Webber (2019, 15) (S)

Film4 **Freeview** 14 **Freesat** 300 **Sky** 313 **Virgin** 428/HD 429 **+1 F'view** 47 **F'sat** 301 **Sky** 314 **Virgin** 430

Talking Pictures TV 82

6.00am Blackout ★★ Strictly by-the-numbers thriller. (1950, PG) (S) **7.25 Ask a Policeman** ★★★ Corking comedy in which Will Hay's copper fakes a crime wave. (1938, U) (S) **9.00 Saturday Morning Pictures** Vintage serials, plus *The Salvage Gang* (1958). (S) **12 noon 4D Man** ★★ Passable special effects make this sci-fi reasonably engaging. Robert Lansing (1959) (S) **1.45pm Emergency** ★★ In this anaemic British drama, the police help a couple to find a blood donor for their daughter. Glyn Houston (1962, 12) (S) **3.00 The Gentle Gunman** ★★★ Dirk Bogarde and John Mills impress as brothers and IRA activists who don't see eye to eye in this thoughtful wartime drama. (1952, U) (S) **4.45 Hombre** ★★★★ Tough, intelligent western about a white man raised by Apaches who is shunned by fellow passengers on a stagecoach journey. Paul Newman (1967, PG) **7.00pm In Suspicious Circumstances** TV crime drama. (S) **8.00 Maigret** 1960s TV drama. (S) **9.05 The Four Just Men** TV drama about four army veterans. (S) **9.35 Absence of Malice** ★★★ A Miami businessman battles to save his reputation in this worthy, well-acted drama. **Review p86.** Paul Newman, Sally Field (1981, PG) (S) **11.50 Hands of the Ripper** ★★★ Kitsch and creepy Hammer horror starring Angharad Rees as Jack the Ripper's daughter. Eric Porter (1971, 15) (S) **1.30am The Ceremony** ★★ Patchy but atmospheric drama. Laurence Harvey, Sarah Miles (1963) (S) **3.40–5.45am Demetrius and the Gladiators** ★★★ In this opulent sequel to *The Robe*, Victor Mature is given Christ's bloodstained garment, but his faith places him in mortal danger. (1954, PG) (S)

Talking Pictures TV **Freeview** 82 **Freesat** 306 **Sky** 328 **Virgin** 445

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Sky Premiere

6.00am Hounded As 6.10pm **7.50 The Amazing Maurice** ★★★ Animated fantasy. Huigh Laurie (2022, PG) **9.35 Operation Mincemeat** As 8pm **11.50 The Bad Guys** ★★★ Witty cartoon. Sam Rockwell (2022, U) **1.35pm Fantastic Beasts: the Secrets of Dumbledore** ★★★★ Thrilling fantasy. Eddie Redmayne (2022, 12) **4.00 Downton Abbey: a New Era** ★★★★ Beautifully tailored second outing for the Crawley clan. Hugh Bonneville (2022, PG) **6.10pm Hounded** ★★ Satirical survival horror. Samantha Bond (2022, 15) **8.00 Operation Mincemeat** ★★★★ Captivating re-enactment of a bizarre wartime mission. **Review p38.** Colin Firth (2022, 12) **10.10** P **Crimes of the Future** ★★★★ David Cronenberg's wonderfully weird and moody sci-fi horror. **Review p38.** Léa Seydoux (2022, 18) **12 midnight Boxing Day** ★★★★ Romcom in which a novelist takes his fiancée to meet his family. Ami Ameen, Aja Naomi King (2021, 12) **1.55am Fantastic Beasts: the Secrets of Dumbledore** As 1.35pm **4.20 Downton Abbey: a New Era** As 4pm

Sky Premiere Sky 301 **Virgin** 401 **BT** 501/**HD** 515 **+1 Sky** 312

Great Movies 34

9.10am Lost Letter Mysteries: Signed Sealed Delivered **11.00** Lost Letter Mysteries for Christmas **1.00pm** Lost Letter Mysteries: From Paris with Love **3.00 Upside Down** ★★ Unevenly executed sci-fi romance. Kirsten Dunst, Jim Sturgess (2012, 12) **5.10 The Double** ★★ A retired CIA agent teams up with a young FBI rookie in this serviceable spy thriller. Richard Gere, Topher Grace (2011, 12) **7.05pm Reign of Fire** ★★ Far-fetched fantasy in which a group of grimy humans battle dragons. Christian Bale, Matthew McConaughey (2001, 12) **9.00 The Dark Tower** ★★ Flashy, bloodless Stephen King fantasy horror with Idris Elba and Matthew McConaughey. Tom Taylor (2017, 12) **10.55 Personal Shopper** ★★★★ A fashion assistant tries to get in touch with her dead brother's spirit in this haunting thriller. (2016, 15) **1.05am Bunraku** ★★ Flimsy action fantasy. Josh Hartnett, Woody Harrelson (2010, 15) **3.40–5.50am Did You Hear about the Morgans?** ★★ Bland romantic comedy drama. Hugh Grant (2009, PG)

Great Movies Freeview 34 **Freesat** 302 **Sky** 321 **Virgin** 425 **+1 Freeview** 61 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **Sky** 322

Great Romance 52

6.00am Starting Up Love ★★ Warm love story. (2019) **7.45 The Wedding Ring** ★★ Wholesome romance. (2020) **9.30 My Birthday Romance** ★★ A fake boyfriend. (2020) **11.15 The Baby Proposal** ★★ Perky love story. (2019) **1.00pm Appetite for Love** ★★ Corny romcom. (2016) **2.45 Love's Second Chance** ★★ Young love rekindled. (2020) **4.30 Love in Full Swing** ★★ Warm romance. (2021) **6.15pm A Feeling of Home** ★★ A Texas gal reconnects with her rootin'-tootin' rancher roots. (2019) **8.00 Just for the Summer** ★★ Warm-hearted tale. Hayley Sales (2020) **10.00 Power and Beauty** ★★ Salacious drama. Natasha Henstridge (2002) **11.45 The Sauce of Love** ★★ Over-the-top culinary romance. (2021) **1.30am A Love to Remember** ★★ Lightly farcical tale. (2021) **3.00 All for Love** ★★ Soul-sucking romcom. (2016) **4.30–6.00am I Me Wed** ★★ Cookie-cutter romcom. (2007)

Great Romance Freeview 52 *(limited)* **Freesat** 303 **Sky** 319 **Virgin** 424 **+1 F'view** 63 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **F'sat** 304 **Sky** 320

TCM Movies

6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.45** Off Set **8.15** The Man from UNCLE: five episodes **1.50pm Canyon Raiders** ★ Short western. (1951) **3.00 The Fighting Lawman** ★★ A marshal goes under cover with bank robbers. Wayne Morris (1953, U) **4.30 The Left Handed Gun** ★★★★ Paul Newman delivers a brilliant performance as outlaw Billy the Kid in this terrific western. (1958, PG) **6.40pm The Desperate Hours** ★★★★ Searing hostage thriller featuring a great performance from Humphrey Bogart. (1955, PG) **9.00 Young Guns** ★★★ Emilio Estevez stars in this pacey western about the life of Billy the Kid. Kiefer Sutherland, Lou Diamond Phillips (1988, 18) **11.15 Dirty Harry** ★★★★★ Outstanding crime thriller in which Clint Eastwood excels as the cop in pursuit of a psychopath. (1971, 18) **1.20am Who Dares Wins** ★★ Violent SAS action adventure inspired by the 1980 storming of the Iranian Embassy. Lewis Collins (1982, 15) **4.00** Close Up **5.00** Hollywood's Best Film Directors: double bill

TCM Movies Sky 315 **Virgin** 415/**HD** 416 **+1 Sky** 316 **Virgin** 417

Great Movies Action 42

6.00am The Panzer **6.55 Operation Cross Eagles** ★★ War drama. Richard Conte (1968) **8.40 Red Rose of Normandy** ★ Poorly made war drama. (2011, 12) **10.45 The Ravagers** ★★ By-the-numbers wartime adventure. John Saxon (1965) **12.30pm King of Texas** ★★ Ambitious drama. Patrick Stewart (2002, 12) **2.25 The Stranger Wore a Gun** ★★ Randolph Scott protects the gold. Claire Trevor (1953, U) **4.15 Ride Lonesome** ★★★★ Brilliantly scripted western. Randolph Scott (1959, 12) **5.45 Gun Fury** ★★★ Moody western. Rock Hudson (1953, U) **7.30pm The Last Posse** ★★ Riding out after a trio of thieves. Broderick Crawford, John Derek (1953, U) **9.00 Tears of the Sun** ★★ Gung-ho thriller. Bruce Willis (2003, 15) **11.20 Behind the Line: Escape to Dunkirk** ★★ Bizarre Second World War drama. Sam Gittins, Joe Egan (2020, 12) **1.05am Callan** ★★★ Slow-burn spy drama. (1974, 15) **3.10–4.00am** Bombers of the Second World War

Great Movies Action Freeview 42 *(limited)* **F'sat** 305 **Sky** 323 **Virgin** 426 **+1 Sky** 324

Legend 41

7.00am World's Most Unexplained… **8.00 Geo-Disaster** ★★ Low-budget sci-fi drama. (2017) **10.00** Knight Rider: four back-to-back episodes **2.00pm** Walker, Texas Ranger **3.00 Coward of the County** ★★ Drama based on the hit song. Kenny Rogers, Fredric Lehne (1981) **4.55 The Great Alaskan Race** ★★ Earnest race-against-time true-story adventure. Brian Presley (2019, PG) **6.40pm Ghost Storm** ★★ The residents of a small island are faced with a supernatural tempest in this straight-faced sci-fi horror. (2012) **8.30 The Twilight Zone** TV sci-fi. **9.00 The Lawnmower Man** ★★★ Impressive special effects enliven this variation on the Frankenstein theme. Jeff Fahey, Pierce Brosnan (1992, 15) **11.55 Quarries** ★★ A group of women embark on a getaway to the woods, but soon have to face down a posse of psychotic hunters. (2016) **1.30am Deadsight** ★★ Eerie, slow-moving survival horror. Liv Collins, Adam Seybold (2018) **3.05–4.30am Aquaslash** ★★ Colourful but slight retro-slasher. Nicolas Fontaine (2019, 15)

Legend F'view 41 **F'sat** 137 **Sky** 148 **Virgin** 149

FILM REVIEWS

FILM OF THE DAY

Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull ★★★★ *6.45-9.00pm* ***C4*** 12

ADVENTURE Nineteen years after *Indiana Jones and the Last Crusade*, Steven Spielberg and George Lucas exhumed their globe-trotting archaeologist for another outing. It's now 1957, and Indy (Harrison Ford) is after the Crystal Skull of Akator, pursued by Cate Blanchett's Soviet agent. The "nuking the fridge" sequence may have garnered the film ridicule, but Ford is as charmingly world-weary as ever, and there's a pleasing emphasis on "old school" stuntwork. Ford will return in *Indiana Jones and the Dial of Destiny*, in cinemas in June. **ANDREW COLLINS** (US 2008, edited for violence, HD)

Seven Brides for Seven Brothers ★★★★★

12.10-2.20pm ***C5*** U

MUSICAL It was a sensational success in its day and Stanley Donen's romp remains fresh and satisfying viewing. Jane Powell stars as the newlywed attempting to find love matches for husband Howard Keel's six unruly brothers. The story is rather politically incorrect nowadays, but the movie gains strength from the two lead performances. **TONY SLOMAN** (US 1954, HD)

Dunkirk ★★★

1.00-3.10pm ***BBC2*** PG

WAR This reconstruction of the evacuation of Dunkirk is impressive in its scale, but slightly disappointing in its writing and execution. There are tailor-made roles for John Mills, Richard Attenborough and Bernard Lee, while Leslie Norman directs with skill. But, overall, the movie is too eager to inspire rather than inform or engross. **DAVID PARKINSON** (UK 1958, BW, HD)

Sleepless in Seattle ★★★★

3.15-5.20pm ***C4*** PG

ROMCOM Nora Ephron, the writer of *When Harry Met Sally…*, triumphed again as co-writer and director of this gloriously old-fashioned tale. After widower Tom Hanks pours his heart out on a Seattle radio phone-in, Baltimore journalist Meg Ryan hears the broadcast and recognises a kindred lonely heart. **ADRIAN TURNER** (US 1993, edited for language, HD)

The Guernsey Literary and Potato Peel Pie Society ★★★

5.35-7.30pm ***BBC2*** 12

ROMANCE This period tale sees Guernsey resident Michiel Huisman invite Lily James's London novelist to visit the island, where she soon learns about its secret history of courage and suffering during the Nazi occupation. It remains modestly engrossing, helped by the handsome period design. **TREVOR JOHNSTON** (UK/Fr/US 2018, sex references, HD)

Superman Returns ★★★★

7.00-10.00pm ***ITV2*** 12

FANTASY Director Bryan Singer resurrected the Man of Steel for a new millennium when he cast Brandon Routh as Superman. He carries the preposterous plot with sheer charm, while Kevin Spacey puts a sinister spin on Lex Luthor. Kate Bosworth might be slightly timid as Lois Lane, but her thorny relationship with Superman is a nice counterpoint to all the heroic exploits. **STELLA PAPAMICHAEL** (US/Aus 2006, violence, HD)

Bohemian Rhapsody ★★★

9.00-11.45pm ***C4*** 12

BIOPIC The story of rock royalty Queen makes an assured transition to the screen. Chief to its success is Rami Malek's Oscar-winning turn as Freddie Mercury, who went from lugging baggage at Heathrow airport to fronting one of the world's biggest bands. The film plays down the sex and drugs in favour of the rock 'n' roll, and really comes into its own when re-creating Queen's live shows. **JAMIE HEALY** (US/UK 2018, offensive language, HD)

Along Came a Spider ★★★

10.55pm-1.00am ***C5*** 15

SUSPENSE A prequel to *Kiss the Girls* (showing on Friday 5 Star – see p107), this thriller finds Morgan Freeman resuming his role as detective and psychologist Alex Cross. A senator's daughter is being held to ransom, and the Secret Service agent (Monica Potter) who should have been protecting her volunteers to assist Cross on the case. **JOHN FERGUSON** (US/Ger 2001, violence, swearing, HD)

Good Will Hunting ★★★★

11.45pm-1.55am ***C4*** 15

DRAMA Matt Damon and Ben Affleck wrote and starred in this moving film, with Damon as the janitor at top college MIT whose maths genius is discovered by professor Stellan Skarsgard. It's beautifully played by the cast, and Robin Williams won an Oscar for his performance as the psychologist brought in to help Damon's troubled Will. **JOANNA BERRY** (US 1997, violence, swearing, HD)

Sky Cinema picks

The Last of the Mohicans ★★★★

4.25-6.20pm ***Sky British Icons***

Epic period adventure. (1992, 12)

Sky 304; Virgin 404; BT 504/518

Lord of War ★★★

9.45-11.50pm ***Sky Hits***

Showing in a day of Nicolas Cage movies to mark his 59th birthday. (2005, 15)

Sky 303, Virgin 403, BT 503/517

Labor Day ★★★★

10.20pm-12.15am ***Sky Drama***

Josh Brolin is wanted. (2013, 12)

Sky 310; Virgin 410; BT 510/524

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Sky Showcase

Batman Begins *9.00pm* The Dark Knight rescues Rachel

6.00am Monkey Life (S) (HD) **7.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **9.00** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **10.30** ***New.*** Soccer AM (HD) **12 noon** The Simpsons: six back-to-back episodes (S) (HD) **3.00pm** ***New.*** Soccer Saturday (HD) **5.00** Celts: the Untold Story

6.00pm Strangest Things ***Ep 1*** *Series 2.* A look at perplexing and unusual objects hidden in museums, laboratories and storage rooms. (HD)

7.00 Shark with Steve Backshall ***1/3.*** The naturalist celebrates the diversity of sharks in the oceans. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Hold the Front Page ***1/6*** Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe work for local newspapers. (HD)

9.00 Batman Begins ★★★★ Action fantasy starring Christian Bale, Michael Caine and Liam Neeson. Bruce Wayne goes on a crusade to cleanse Gotham City of crime under the guise of "the Batman". (S) (W) (HD)

11.30 Never Mind the Buzzcocks ***Ep 1*** *Series 2.* With guests Nile Rodgers, Russell Howard and Mae Muller. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15am The Force: Manchester (S) (HD) **1.10** Road Wars (S) (HD) **2.05** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00–6.00am** Nothing to Declare: six episodes (S) (AD)

Sky Showcase Sky 106 **Virgin** 110/**HD** 109 **BT** 340/**HD** 355 **+1 Sky** 206

Sky Atlantic

Game of Thrones *7.50pm* It's decision time for Ned Stark

6.00am Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Gomorrah (S) **2.25pm** True Blood: three back-to-back episodes (S)

5.40pm True Blood ***6/10*** *Series 6* Bill seeks out Lillith for advice on handling the escalating human-vampire crisis. Meanwhile, Eric, Pam, Nora, Jason and Jessica experience the perils of Vamp Camp. (S) **6.45** ***7/10.*** Eric makes a last-ditch attempt to save Nora. Sam ignores Alcide's warning as a tragedy forces him to return to Bon Temps. (S)

7.50 Game of Thrones ***1/10*** *Series 1.* Fantasy drama based on George RR Martin's novels. Lord Eddard Stark is asked to serve at King Robert Baratheon's side. **9.00** ***2/10.*** Bran clings to life as Ned prepares to head south with the king – only for the youngster to come under attack once more. **10.05** ***3/10.*** Ned finally takes up his role in the king's court, but struggles to deal with the monarch's cunning advisers. **11.10** ***4/10.*** Ned refuses to trust either Pycelle or Littlefinger as he searches for the truth about Jon Arryn's death. (S)

12.15am The Wire (S) **1.20** The Tunnel: Sabotage: crime thriller. English and French +subtitles (S) (AD) **2.25** In Treatment (S) **3.00–6.00am** Urban Secrets (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic Sky 108 (Wales 109) **BT** 342/**HD** 357 **+1 Sky** 208 (Wales 209)

Sky Max

A League of Their Own Road Trip: Dingle to Dover *9.00pm*

6.00am Highway Patrol (S) (HD) **8.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **12 noon** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **2.00pm** Hawaii Five-0: four episodes (S) (HD)

6.00pm Agatha Raisin ***1/6*** *Series 2.* Mystery starring Ashley Jensen. The sleuth's hairstylist becomes the centre of a maelstrom involving blackmail, conspiracy and murder. (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** ***2/6.*** Agatha digs deeper into her charming hairstylist's supposed crimes. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Hold the Front Page ***1/6*** Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe work for local newspapers, beginning in Blackpool. (HD)

9.00 A League of Their Own Road Trip: Dingle to Dover ***1/6*** Freddie Flintoff and Jamie Redknapp travel around Britain and Ireland. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Banshee ***7/10*** *Series 3* Despite Job's reservations, Lucas and his team pull off a heist at Camp Genoa. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.15 Never Mind the Buzzcocks ***Ep 1*** *Series 2.* With guests Nile Rodgers, Russell Howard and Mae Muller. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight The Force: Manchester (S) (HD) **1.00am** Road Wars (S) (HD) **2.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00–6.00am** Stop, Search, Seize: triple bill (S) (HD)

Sky Max Sky 113 (Wales 114) **Virgin** 122/**HD** 121 **BT** 346/**HD** 361

Gold

Only Fools and Horses *6.00pm* Sandra and Rodney

7.05am My Hero (S) **7.50** The Fosters **8.55** Citizen Khan (S) (AD) (HD) **10.15** Only Fools and Horses (S) (AD)

6.00pm Only Fools and Horses Rodney starts going out with a policewoman, much to the consternation of dodgy dealer Del. **6.40** Del tries to sell two antique urns – but one of them contains the ashes of Trigger's late grandfather. **7.20** Del takes up cards in his latest bid to make a fortune – much to the annoyance of Rodney and Grandad. **8.00** An old watch promises to hold the key to the Trotters' fortunes at last, but there's a nasty shock in store. **9.20** Del jumps at the opportunity to decorate the local Chinese restaurant to make a quick profit. **10.00** Del and Rodney reluctantly agree to let Grandad accompany them on their holiday abroad. **10.35** The glass chandelier episode, where Del tries to ingratiate himself with the green-welly set. (S) (AD)

11.15 Billy Connolly Does... Billy reveals why you should never buy a house with mattresses in the garden. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.15am** Billy talks about his lifelong love of nature. (S) (AD) (HD)

1.15 French and Saunders (S) **2.25** Lenny Henry's Race through Comedy (S) (AD) (HD) **3.20–4.00am** Citizen Khan (S) (AD) (HD)

Gold Sky 110 (Wales 111) **Virgin** 124 **BT** 344/**HD** 359 **+1 Sky** 210 (Wales 211) **Virgin** 194

Alibi

Inspector George Gently *6.00pm* Back-to-back murders

7.30am Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Inspector George Gently ***3/4*** *Series 6.* A murder in a Turkish baths appears to offer Bacchus a pleasingly straightforward case when witnesses confirm that ex-serviceman Scott Tanner killed the victim. But when the suspect's psychiatrist is also found dead, the case takes a sinister turn. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Father Brown ***7/10*** *Series 9* A visit to Chummy's holiday camp leads to another murder mystery for the sleuthing cleric. Featuring a guest appearance by Ted Robbins. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** ***8/10.*** Bunty reunites with Father Brown to uncover a dark secret and mysterious goings-on at the local girls' borstal. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Death in Paradise ***5/8*** *Series 10.* A celebrated concert pianist is murdered one night in his studio, and Catherine's friendship with the victim's family places her in danger. (AD) (HD) **11.00** ***6/8.*** Neville must solve a mystery from the past that unlocks the truth of who murdered the concert pianist and why. Help is at hand, though, with the return of a former sergeant. (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Inspector George Gently (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00–4.00am** Father Brown: double bill (S) (AD) (HD)

Alibi Sky 109 (Wales 110) **Virgin HD** 126 **BT** 343/**HD** 358 **+1 Sky** 209 (Wales 210) **Virgin** 191

Sky Sci-Fi

6.00am Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00 FILM** Jurassic Domination ★ Action adventure starring Jack Pearson **1.00pm FILM** Moon Crash ★ Sci-fi thriller **3.00 FILM** Attack on Titan ★ Sci-fi action adventure starring Michael Paré

5.00pm Stargate SG-1 ***11/22*** *Series 3.* O'Neill and the team find a world suffering from amnesia, and its leader returns to Earth with them in the hope of finding a cure. **6.00** ***12/22.*** Samantha Carter battles to access her memories of Jolinar to save her father from the evil Goa'uld System Lord Sokar. **7.00** ***13/22.*** The team is subjected to painful memories. **8.00** ***14/22.*** The team returns from a mission to discover staff at Stargate Command are not who they appear to be.

9.00 Lavalantula ★★ Science-fiction horror starring Steve Guttenberg. Giant lava-spewing spiders erupt from the bowels of the Earth and threaten to incinerate LA – unless a washed-up 1990s action star can save the day for real.

11.00 2 Lava 2 Lantula! ★★ Sci-fi horror starring Steve Guttenberg. The residents of Florida face a living hell when fire-spitting arachnids emerge from sink holes.

1.00am Stargate SG-1: double bill **3.00** The Librarians: double bill **5.00–6.00am** Most Haunted

Sky Sci-Fi Sky 139 **Virgin** 139/**HD** 138 **BT** 348/**HD** 363 **+1 Virgin** 229

Sky Witness

6.00am Motorbike Cops (S) (HD) **7.00** Border Patrol (S) (HD) **10.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (HD) **11.00** UK Border Force (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Send in the Dogs (S) **1.00pm** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD)

6.00pm Nothing to Declare A nervous passenger is found with something in his luggage that may spell the end of his trip. (S) (HD) **6.30** An unusual travel itinerary through China and an empty suitcase raise suspicion. (S) (HD)

7.00 Blue Bloods ***19/20*** *Series 12* Erin is stalked by a man who was just released from jail. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 New Amsterdam ***9/13*** *Series 5.* Reynolds gets creative to help a mother in need. Max learns a hard truth. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Coroner ***8/12*** *Series 4* Jenny, Donovan and Malik come face to face with a monster in their midst. (HD)

10.00 Bull ***19/22*** *Series 6* Marissa is forced to go to court without Bull as she and Chunk defend her childhood friend. (HD)

11.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit ***15/16*** *Series 22* Benson investigates an unusual domestic violence case. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **2.00–6.00am** Nothing to Declare: eight episodes (S)

Sky Witness Sky 107 **Virgin** 112/**HD** 111 **BT** 341/**HD** 356 **+1 Sky** 207 **Virgin** 220

Sky Replay

7.00am Dragons: Rescue Riders: five episodes (S) (HD) **9.05** Four Weddings: triple bill (S) (HD) **12 noon** Merlin: six episodes (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Merlin: double bill. Dignitaries from rival kingdoms descend on Camelot for a peace summit, then a warlock sends Mordred to steal a priceless magical relic Uther has locked deep within Camelot's vaults (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Road Wars: a drug dealer tries to escape being searched (S) (HD) **9.00** Hold the Front Page: Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe work for local newspapers, beginning by heading to Blackpool (HD) **10.00** A League of Their Own: four editions hosted by Romesh Ranganathan, with team captains Jamie Redknapp and Andrew Flintoff (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00am** Night Cops: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00–6.00am** Four Weddings (S) (HD)

Sky Replay Sky 152 **Virgin** 180

Sky Crime

6.00am Road Wars (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Highway Patrol (S) (AD) **11.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response **12 noon** The Force: Manchester (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Murdered at First Sight (S) (AD) **2.00** World's Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **4.00** Britain's Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **5.00** Forensics: Catching the Killer (S) (HD) **7.00** What the Killer Did Next: the disappearance of a student becomes a murder investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** World's Most Evil Killers: the crimes of American abductor, rapist and serial killer Mark Goudeau (HD) **9.00** The Priest and the Paedophile Hunter (S) (HD) **11.00** Forensics: Catching the Killer (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Britain's Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00–6.00am** Motorway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Crime Sky 122 **Virgin** 137/**HD** 136 **BT** 349/**HD** 364 **+1 Sky** 222 **Virgin** 221

Sky Comedy

8.00am Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD) **9.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **11.30** Pen15 (S) (HD) **1.30pm** Will & Grace (HD) **4.00** Futurama (S) (AD) **6.30** The Office US: five episodes. Pilot episode. An overbearing paper-supply manager welcomes a documentary crew into his workplace **7.00** Michael holds a seminar on racial sensitivity **7.30** Dwight takes on a new responsibility **8.00** Michael arranges a birthday party for Meredith **8.30** Michael challenges the warehouse staff to a basketball match (S) (HD) **9.00** Curb Your Enthusiasm: triple bill (S) (HD) **10.45** ***New.*** The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon (HD) **11.45** SMILF: four episodes of the semi-autobiographical comedy (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05am** Sex and the City (S) (HD) **3.40–5.00am** Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD)

Sky Comedy Sky 114 (Wales 115) **Virgin** 135/**HD** 123 **BT** 347/**HD** 362

Comedy Central

8.00am Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **3.35pm FILM** You, Me and Dupree ★★ Comedy starring Owen Wilson, Kate Hudson and Matt Dillon (HD) **5.40 FILM** Nacho Libre ★★★ Sports comedy starring Jack Black (HD) **7.25 FILM** Along Came Polly ★★ Romantic comedy starring Ben Stiller and Jennifer Aniston (S) (HD) **9.00 FILM** Zoolander 2 ★★ Comedy sequel starring Ben Stiller, Owen Wilson and Penélope Cruz (S) (HD) **11.00 FILM** Jackass Presents: Bad Grandpa ★★★ Comedy starring Johnny Knoxville **12.50am** Ugly Americans (S) (HD) **1.20** South Park (S) (HD) **4.10–5.00am** Friends: double bill (S) (AD) (HD)

Comedy Central Sky 112 (Wales 113) **Virgin** 181/**HD** 132 **BT** 345/**HD** 360 **+1 Sky** 212 (Wales 213) **Virgin** 133

Discovery

6.00am Building Off the Grid (S) (HD) **12 noon** Combat Dealers (S) (HD) **6.00pm** ***New.*** Bitchin' Rides: after years of planning, Dave celebrates the opening of his passion project (HD) **7.00** The Dino Hunters: the Abercrombie family discovers a mammoth fossil map on their ranch (S) (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (S) (HD) **9.00** Gold Rush: White Water: Dakota Fred and his son Dustin risk their lives to find a fortune in gold nuggets (HD) **10.00** Alaskan Killer Bigfoot: Keith fears Portlock is cursed when he learns the horrifying history of the mysterious coin (S) (HD) **11.00** Hunting Atlantis: Stel and Jess begin their search for the lost city of Atlantis (S) (HD)

12 midnight Expedition Bigfoot: four editions (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** How Do They Do It? (S) (HD)

Discovery Sky 125 **Virgin** 250 **BT** 320/**HD** 325 **+1 Sky** 225 **Virgin** 258

Discovery History

6.00am How the Universe Works (S) **9.00** Blowing Up History (S) **12 noon** Combat Dealers (S) **3.00pm** Expedition Unknown (S) **5.00** Combat Dealers: triple bill (S) **8.00** Mummy King Mystery: Rameses: Egyptologist Zahi Hawass examines the pharaoh warrior dynasty and tries to determine the fate of Rameses I **9.00** King Tut 100 Year Anniversary Special: Egypt's most prominent archaeologist Zahi Hawass is on a quest to solve the last great mysteries of Tutankhamun, uncovering the secrets on the discovery of his tomb **11.00** Egypt's New Tomb Revealed: following Dr Otto Schaden as a gold coffin is unearthed in the Valley of the Kings, near Tutankhamun's tomb

12 midnight–5.00am Combat Dealers (S)

Discovery History Sky 177 **Virgin** 257 **+1 Sky** 277 **Virgin** 261

ALL PROGRAMMES ON THE ABOVE CHANNELS ARE REPEATS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen

Sky Documentaries

Phoenix Rising *9.00pm* Evan Rachel Wood pursues justice

6.00am Discovering: Grace Kelly (S) (HD) **7.00** Discovering: Ginger Rogers (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Dan Carter: a Perfect Ten (S) (AD) (HD) **10.50** Premier League Legends: Paolo Di Canio (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** I Am MLK Jr (S) (AD) (HD) **1.30pm** At the Heart of Gold: inside the USA Gymnastics Scandal (S) (HD) **3.20** Say Hey, Willie Mays! (HD) **5.20** Never Surrender: a Galaxy Quest Documentary (S) (AD) (HD)

7.10pm The Alpinist A look at the elusive Canadian climber Marc-André Leclerc, who has made some of the boldest solo ascents in history, away from cameras and with no margin for error. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Phoenix Rising *1/2.* Actor and activist Evan Rachel Wood takes her experience as a survivor of domestic violence to pursue justice and reclaim her story. (S) (HD) **10.30** *2/2.* As more witnesses speak out, Evan Rachel Wood continues to share her story in the hope of helping fellow survivors, and meets with investigators. (S) (HD)

12.10am Dave Not Coming Back: two divers' efforts to retrieve a dead body from a cave (S) (HD) **2.00** ***New series.*** Spector (HD) **3.00** 15 Minutes of Shame (S) (HD) **4.45** My Icon: Johnny Nelson (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Documentaries **Sky** 121 **Virgin** 278/**HD** 277 **BT** 352/**HD** 367

Nat Geographic

8.00am Lords of War (HD) **9.00** Car SOS: nine episodes (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Car SOS: eight editions. Tim and Fuzz restore a 1997 Lotus Elise belonging to a cancer patient **7.00** The duo take on a neglected 1988 Fiat Uno Turbo **8.00** Tim and Fuzz are off to Huddersfield to rescue a 1992 VW Corrado **9.00** A 1984 Opel Manta GTE owned by a former amateur rally driver **10.00** Tim and Fuzz take on carpenter Mike's 1980 Ford Escort RS2000 **11.00** A 1992 Saab 900 Turbo belonging to a former electrical engineer **12 midnight** Restoring a 1962 Triumph TR4 **1.00am** Tim Shaw and Fuzz Townshend travel to Northern Ireland to restore a classic Japanese sports coupé (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Lords of War (HD) **2.30** Food Factory (S) (HD) **4.10** When Sharks Attack (HD) **4.35–5.00am** Prairie Dog Dynasty (HD)

Nat Geographic **Sky** 129 **Virgin** 266/**HD** 268 **+1** **Sky** 229 **Virgin** 267

Sky History

6.00am Counting Cars (HD) **7.00** The Proof Is Out There (HD) **8.00** Mountain Men (HD) **11.00** WWII's Most Daring Raids (HD) **2.00pm** Pawn Stars (HD) **5.00** Ancient Skies (HD) **6.00** Strangest Things (HD) **7.00** The Boer War: double bill. An investigation into the conflict, then the sieges of Kimberley, Mafeking and Ladysmith (S) (HD) **9.00** On the Trail of Bigfoot: the Legend: researchers, investigators and historians uncover the story behind a centuries-old mystery (HD) **10.50** Alien Autopsy: the Search for Answers: investigating what really happened in the desert of Roswell, New Mexico in 1947 (HD) **11.50** Pawn Stars (HD) **2.10am** Alien Autopsy: the Search for Answers (HD) **3.10–6.00am** Mountain Men (HD)

Sky History **Sky** 123 **Virgin** 270 **BT** 353/**HD** 368 **+1** **Sky** 223 **Virgin** 271

Sky Nature

Alien Abyss *9.00pm* A coconut crab climbs a tree

6.00am Monkey Life (S) **7.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) **9.00** Big Beasts: Last of the Giants (S) (AD) **12 noon** Wildlife ER **1.00pm** Monkey Life **2.00** Hotspots: the Last Hope (S) **4.00** Into the Big Blue Heart: two editions (S)

6.00pm Into the Big Blue Heart Exploring the planet's oceans in the temperate zone. (S)

7.00 Shark with Steve Backshall The naturalist examines the variety of sharks in the Atlantic, visiting the Bahamas. (S) (AD)

8.00 Wildlife ER A look at the work of staff at the RSPCA Hospital in Brisbane, Australia.

9.00 Alien Abyss An insight into the creatures that live in the ocean's darkest depths and the skills they have built up. (S)

10.00 Monkey Life Rescued marmoset Jangles summons up the courage to go outside. (HD) **10.30** Daily life at Monkey World Ape Rescue Centre in Dorset. (HD)

11.00 Nature's Mass Attacks The complex world of spectacularly brutal mass attacks. (S)

12 midnight Planet Shark (S) (AD) **1.00am** Micro Monsters with David Attenborough (S) (AD) **2.00** A Wild Year on Earth (S) (AD) **3.00** as 9pm **4.00–6.00am** Equator (S) (AD)

Sky Nature **Sky** 124 **Virgin** 280/**HD** 279 **BT** 354/**HD** 369

Eden

9.00am Wild Colombia with Nigel Marven (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** China's Ten Deadliest Snakes with Nigel Marven (HD) **2.00** Sea of Creepy Monsters (HD) **3.00** Wild Colombia with Nigel Marven: four editions (AD) (HD) **7.00** China's Ten Deadliest Snakes with Nigel Marven: the wildlife presenter, author and ornithologist travels to the Far East for a closer look at China's deadliest snakes (HD) **8.00** Sea of Creepy Monsters: underwater creatures that thrive around the Indonesian island of Sulawesi (HD) **9.00** Wild Colombia with Nigel Marven: four editions (AD) (HD) **1.00am** China's Ten Deadliest Snakes with Nigel Marven (HD) **2.00** Sea of Creepy Monsters (HD) **3.00** Wild Colombia with Nigel Marven (AD) (HD) **5.30–6.00am** David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities (AD) (HD)

Eden **Sky** 166 **Virgin** **HD** 245 **+1** **Sky** 266 **Virgin** 246

Animal Planet

8.00am Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **9.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **10.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **12 noon** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **2.00** Jungle Shark (S) (HD) **3.00** Deadliest Sharks (S) (HD) **4.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **5.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **6.00** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **7.00** How Do Animals Do That? (S) (HD) **8.00** Swimming with Monsters with Steve Backshall (S) (HD) **9.00** Rugged Justice (HD) **10.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **11.00** Intruders (HD) **12 midnight** Monsters inside Me (S) (HD) **1.00am** The Last Alaskans (S) (HD) **2.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **3.00** as 5pm **4.00–5.00am** as 6pm

Animal Planet **Sky** 162 (NI 178) **Virgin** 251 **+1** **Sky** 262 (NI 278) **Virgin** 259

SPORT

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 **Virgin** 511/**HD** 501 **BT** 420/**HD** 440

5.00am LIVE Test Cricket Pakistan v New Zealand, the fifth day of the second and final Test from Multan Cricket Stadium. **12 noon LIVE League Two Football** Salford City v Northampton Town from Moor Lane (kick-off **12.30pm**). **3.00pm** Soccer Saturday **5.30** Sky Sports News **6.30 LIVE PGA Tour Golf** Day three of the Sentry Tournament of Champions in Kapalua, Hawaii. **9.00 LIVE NFL** Coverage of a crucial game from week 18; **1.00am** A second week 18 game. **4.30–6.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 **Virgin** 513/**HD** 503 **BT** 422/**HD** 442

6.00am Classic Play-Off Finals **9.00** Scottish Premiership Highlights **9.30** Saturday Social **10.30** Soccer AM **12 noon LIVE League Two Football** Salford City v Northampton Town from Moor Lane (kick-off **12.30pm**). **3.00pm** Soccer Saturday **5.30** Scottish Premiership Highlights **6.00** Lionesses Special **7.00** German Football **8.00** League Two Football **11.00** Scottish Premiership Highlights **11.30** League Two Highlights **11.45** EFL Greatest Games **12 midnight** League Cup Retro **1.00am** Scottish Premiership Highlights **1.30** Best Goals (AD) **4.00–6.00am** SPFL Greatest Games

Sky Golf

Sky 405 **Virgin** 515/**HD** 505 **BT** 424/**HD** 444

6.00am PGA Tour Golf **12 noon** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer (AD) **1.00pm** PGA Tour Golf **5.00** Junior Golf **5.30** Roots: double bill **6.30 LIVE PGA Tour Golf** Day three of the Sentry Tournament of Champions in Kapalua, Hawaii. **1.00am** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer (AD) **2.00** Roots: double bill **3.00** PGA Tour Golf **4.00–6.00am** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer (AD)

Sky Mix

Sky 416 **Virgin** 520/**HD** 510 **BT** 429/**HD** 449

7.00am LIVE Big Bash League Cricket Melbourne Renegades v Hobart Hurricanes. **10.00–2.00pm LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Perth Scorchers v Brisbane Heat at Optus Stadium. **11.00–1.30am LIVE NBA** San Antonio Spurs v Boston Celtics from AT&T Centre (tip-off **11.00**).

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 **Virgin** 521 **BT** 412/**HD** 435

6.00am Dakar Rally **7.00** Best of Downhill 2022 **7.15** Alpine Skiing **8.15 LIVE Alpine Skiing** World Cup, women's giant slalom, first run from Kranjska Gora, Slovenia; **9.30** Men's giant slalom, first run from Adelboden, Switzerland. **10.30 LIVE Cross-Country Skiing** World Cup, men's 15km classic mass start from Italy. **11.30 LIVE Alpine Skiing** The women's giant slalom, run two; **12.30pm** Men's giant slalom, second run from Adelboden. **1.30** Ski Jumping: Four Hills **2.30 LIVE Nordic Combined Skiing** World Cup, women's and men's HS97 ski jump in Estonia. **5.00** Alpine Skiing **7.00** Ski Jumping **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Alpine Skiing **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Cyclo-Cross **12.45am** Cycling **1.00** Hall of Fame **2.00** Dakar Rally **3.00** Alpine Skiing **5.00–6.00am** Ski Jumping

Premiership Rugby Union *4.15pm* ***BT Sport 1*** Exeter Chiefs centre Henry Slade

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 **Virgin** 512/**HD** 502 **BT** 421/**HD** 441

6.00am Premier League Greatest Games **7.00** Premier League Years (AD) **9.00** The Big Interview **9.30** Saturday Social **10.30** Soccer AM **12 noon** The Big Interview **12.30pm** Stories **1.00** Premier League 30 **2.00** Soccer Saturday **5.30** Review **6.30** Premier League 30 **7.30** Premier League Retro **10.00** Class of 92 **1.00–6.00am** Premier League

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 **Virgin** 514/**HD** 504 **BT** 423/**HD** 443

6.00am LIVE Test Cricket Pakistan v New Zealand, continued coverage of day five of the second Test at Multan Cricket Stadium. **12 noon LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Perth Scorchers v Brisbane Heat, joined in progress. **2.00pm** Best of the Big Bash **3.00** Big Bash League **5.00** Test Highlights **6.00** Big Bash League **8.00** Test Highlights **9.00** Big Bash League **11.00** Test Highlights **12 midnight** Big Bash League **1.00am** Test Highlights **2.00** Best of the Big Bash **3.00** Big Bash League **5.00–6.00am** Test Highlights

Sky NFL

Sky 407 **Virgin** 517/**HD** 507 **BT** 426/**HD** 446

6.00am NFL **11.30** NFL Gameday **12 noon** NFL Bitesize **1.00pm** Around the NFL **3.00** Jaguars Weekly **3.30** One Jets Drive **4.00** NFL Highlights **8.00** Her Huddle **8.30** NFL Gameday **9.00 LIVE NFL** Coverage of a crucial game from week 18; **1.00am** A second week 18 game. **4.30–6.00am** NFL Highlights

Sky Arena

Sky 408 **Virgin** 518/**HD** 508 **BT** 427/**HD** 447

6.00am Super League **10.00** Darts **2.00pm** Boxing **3.30** NBA **5.30** World Darts Championship **9.00** NBA **11.00 LIVE NBA** San Antonio Spurs v Boston Celtics. **1.30am** NBA **5.00–6.00am** Boxing

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 **Virgin** 522 **BT** 413/**HD** 436

6.00am Superbikes **7.00** Motorcycling **7.20 LIVE Ski Jumping** World Cup, women's HS134 from Japan. **9.00** Snooker **11.00** Cyclo-Cross **12 noon** Cycling: Strade Bianche **12.20pm LIVE Cross-Country Skiing** World Cup, men's 15km classic mass start from Italy. **1.20** Olympics **1.50** Alpine Skiing **2.00 LIVE Cyclo-Cross** Men's Superprestige from Gullegem. **3.15** Cyclo-Cross **4.00** Dakar Rally **5.00** Snooker **7.00** Cycling **7.15** Cyclo-Cross **9.00** Formula E **11.00** Alpine Skiing **1.00am** Dakar Rally **2.00** Snooker **4.00** Motor Racing **5.00–6.00am** Dakar Rally

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 **Virgin** 527 **BT** 408/**HD** 430

6.00am LIVE Australian Football Sydney FC v Wellington Phoenix, A-League (kick-off **6.00**). **8.00** Scottish Football Extra **8.30** Premier League Reload **8.45 LIVE Australian Football** Melbourne City v Western United. **10.45** BT Sport Reload **11.00** The Rugby's On **12 noon** Rugby Union **1.30pm LIVE Premiership Rugby Union** Newcastle Falcons v Leicester Tigers (kick-off **2.00**); **4.15** Exeter Chiefs v Northampton Saints (kick-off **4.30**). **6.45** Sport in Focus **7.00** Reload **7.30 LIVE Italian Football** Monza v Inter Milan (kick-off **7.45**). **9.45** Wrestling **11.15** Reload **11.30pm–6.00am LIVE Test Cricket** Australia v South Africa, day five of the third Test from Sydney. Continues until 7.30am.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 **Virgin** 528 **BT** 409/**HD** 431

6.00am LIVE Test Cricket Continued coverage of Australia v South Africa, day four in Sydney. **7.30am** BT Sport Reload **8.00** Serie A: Full Impact **8.30** Inside Serie A **9.00** Wrestling **10.30** ESPN FC **11.00** Scottish Football **11.30** Premier League Review **12.30pm** Premier League Stories (AD) **1.00** The Big Interview **1.30** Serie A: Full Impact **2.00** Inside Serie A **2.30** Fishing **3.30** Badminton **4.00** Test Cricket Highlights **5.00** Sport in Focus (AD) **5.15 LIVE Italian Football** Juventus v Udinese in Serie A. **7.00** Australian Football **10.00–5.00am LIVE Super Smash T20 Cricket** Auckland Hearts v Canterbury Magician, a women's match; **1.30am** Auckland Aces v Canterbury Kings, a men's match.

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 **Virgin** 529 **BT** 410/**HD** 432

7.00am ESPN FC **7.30** Premiership Rugby Union **9.00** Kite Masters (AD) **9.30** Badminton **10.00** Brothers in Football (AD) **11.45** What I Wore **12 noon** Champions League Football (AD) **12.30pm** Rallying (AD) **1.30** Reload **2.00** Wrestling **5.30** 30 for 30: Nixon's National Champs (AD) **6.00 LIVE Basketball** Alabama Crimson Tide v Kentucky Wildcats. **8.00** Joe Cole Cast **8.30 LIVE Portuguese Football** Casa Pia v FC Porto (kick-off **8.30**). **10.30** Italian Football **1.30am** The 85 Bears (AD) **3.30** Reload **4.00–6.00am LIVE Australian Football** Macarthur FC v Newcastle Jets, A-League (kick-off **4.00**).

BT Sport 4

Sky 423 **Virgin** 530 **BT** 411/**HD** 434

6.00am LIVE Australian Football Central Coast v Adelaide United. **8.00** Around the Horn **8.30** Pardon the Interruption **9.00** Gymnastics **12 noon** ESPN FC **12.30pm** Around the Horn **1.00** Basketball: two games **4.30 LIVE Basketball** A double header of US college games. **8.30** Pardon the Interruption **9.00 LIVE Basketball** A triple header of US college games. **3.00am LIVE Lacrosse** Colorado Mammoth v Calgary Roughnecks. **5.30–6.00am** Pardon the Interruption

Amazon Prime

6.00am LIVE United Cup Tennis The second semi-final from Sydney. **2.00am LIVE United Cup Tennis** The opening session of the final.

Sunday

TOUGH CALL Sgt Catherine Cawood (Sarah Lancashire) has her hands full

DRAMA

Happy Valley

9.00pm ***BBC1*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

There are undeniable monsters in *Happy Valley*. Evildoers beyond remedy whose malevolence rises from them like a toxic stink. But writer Sally Wainwright is just as concerned with those fraught, flawed members of society whose desperate circumstances or poor decision-making have tipped them over into criminality.

In this latest series, abused wife Joanna Hepworth (Mollie Winnard, previously seen pulling pints in the Drovers Arms on *All Creatures Great and Small*) has already found her way onto Catherine's radar, but it's surely only a matter of time before pharmacist Faisal Bhatti (Amit Shah) goes the same way. He has the haunted look and pulsing Adam's apple of a man about to be pushed to extremes.

Though, at this present time, Catherine (Sarah Lancashire) is distracted by the actions of her increasingly volatile grandson Ryan (Rhys Connah), who's smashing up his room after another run-in with PE teacher and sadist Rob Hepworth (Mark Stanley). He's the devil in a tracksuit, but Ryan appears intent on taking him on. **DAVID BROWN**

Jane Garvey: p13; see feature: p14

FANTASY

His Dark Materials

7.00pm ***BBC1*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

As Lyra heads to the Land of the Dead to track down her murdered pal Roger, she has to make a terrible choice – but it's her shapeshifting daemon Pan who feels the sting of it.

When casting the voice of Pantalaimon (Pan), the *Dark Materials* team got lucky with Kit Connor. When hired, he was an up-and-coming child actor – now, thanks to a lead role in Netflix's acclaimed *Heartstopper*, he's a bona fide star.

But despite his new fame, Connor is still back to reprise his role as Pan for this third and final series, and in this episode he does his best work yet. Even when he's playing a magic pine marten, his performance won't leave a dry eye in the house.

HUW FULLERTON

DRAMA

Call the Midwife

8.00pm ***BBC1*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

There are few characters on TV who engender sympathy to the degree the Nonnatus midwives do, so fans' hearts are surely destined to break when they witness the struggles of Lucille (Leonie Elliott). She remains upset by the absence of a baby in her and husband Cyril's life, but those feelings of failure are now coupled with fears that they're unwelcome in the country they've made their own. And as anxieties mount, there's even talk of – to use the terminology of the times – "a nervous breakdown".

For light relief (and there are always glimmers of hope in even the darkest of episodes), preparations are being made for a maypole routine. Might Sister Monica Joan be the nun with the dance knowhow? **DBr**

HISTORY

Digging for Britain

8.00pm ***BBC2*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

To the west this week, and an eclectic set of archaeological sites for a busy Professor Alice Roberts to visit, always accompanied by lovely music courtesy of Johnny Flynn and Robert Macfarlane. And as ever, the context is frequently as interesting as what's actually uncovered.

It's fascinating to learn about the renowned Arthur's Stone chambered tomb in Herefordshire or rare rectangular neolithic houses uncovered in Derry-Londonderry, but I was equally intrigued by the mine in Cheshire that only existed because Napoleon had blockaded supplies of cobalt – it closed down after Waterloo – or the 17th-century Mediterranean pottery revealed in rubble at Plymouth harbour. We are islands, but we're not alone... **GILL CRAWFORD**

DRAMA

Midsomer Murders

8.00pm ***ITV1*** *Catch up via ITVX*

Barnaby comes face to face with Lewis. Or Kevin Whately, at least. But still, it's the kind of meet-up you'd expect to tear a hole in the space-time continuum. Whately, though, isn't on detecting duties – rather, he's found his way onto the suspect list, playing a member of a murderous amateur dramatics group performing *The Pirates of Penzance*.

As you'd expect, it's a plotline as distanced from real-world struggles as *Happy Valley* is enmeshed in them. So it certainly offers an escapist alternative to tonight's offering on BBC1. This has the bonus of seeing Barnaby's sidekick Winter taking to the stage – and proving that a policeman's lot is not a happy one. **DBr**

See feature: page 26

ALSO ON TODAY

Ski Sunday
6.15pm (10.55pm in Wales) ***BBC2***
Great Britain's Dave Ryding hopes to be in World Cup slalom action from Adelboden in Switzerland.

Countryfile
7.00pm ***BBC2***
Charlotte Smith is in north Wales to report on the effects of avian flu on shooting; Sean Fletcher looks at eco-tourism in Scotland.

Romantic Getaway
9.00pm, 9.30pm
Sky Comedy
Romesh Ranganathan and Katherine Ryan (left) star as a couple who have turned thieves to fund their IVF treatment.

ARTS

Twelfth Night from Shakespeare's Globe

8.00pm ***BBC4*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

Shot at the London theatre in 2021, this production sets out its stall with an arresting opening. Its first words are sung in a mournful solo, prompting Orsino (Bryan Dick) to respond with one of Shakespeare's best-known lines: "If music be the food of love, play on." An Americana-inspired set renders the play's fictional setting of Illyria as a sort of dilapidated Las Vegas, striking a strong aesthetic against the Globe's traditional wood-framed interior.

Otherwise, director Sean Holmes's take on the mistaken identity tale is a faithful one, its cast bringing out the madcap humour characteristic of the text, with Ciarán O'Brien's Sebastian a particular joy. **ORLA THOMAS**

DOCUMENTARY

The Kardashians: a Billion Dollar Dynasty

9.00pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

Whatever your feelings about the First Family of Reality TV, you can't deny the Kardashians have the Midas touch when it comes to monetising their lives. This two-parter attempts to answer how they did it by charting the family's trajectory from being semi-well known (thanks to patriarch lawyer Robert Kardashian defending OJ Simpson) to mega-famous after Kim's 2007 sex tape propelled her, then her siblings, to global stardom.

This first instalment uses archive footage and contributors including Kim's media strategist to set the scene of where Kim started out and ends with her well-documented 72-day marriage to basketball player Kris Humphries. **KAY RIBEIRO**

DOCUMENTARY

Spector

9.00pm ***Sky Documentaries***
Catch up via Sky Go/Now

NEW SERIES

We know where this four-part story of US record producer and songwriter Phil Spector is going. It opens in February 2003 with a 911 call reporting the death of actor Lana Clarkson at Spector's LA mansion, an event that casts a long shadow over everything that follows.

We learn of Spector's early years in a dysfunctional family, of his father's suicide when Spector was nine and the effect that was to have, and of his controlling, then cruel behaviour. It draws heavily on a taped interview with British journalist Mick Brown and the views of pop luminaries like LaLa Brooks and Darlene Love, and is steeped in a terrible foreboding. **MB**

ANOTHER SPIN Keith Brymer Jones, Siobhán McSweeney and Rich Miller seek sublime ceramics

CRAFT

The Great Pottery Throw Down

7.45pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

"I watch it on TV and I think, 'They're crying over a pot!'" That was the opinion of retired head teacher Helen. But then she joined the latest clay-based collective and all became clear.

Less a TV competition, more a collective of creative souls and like minds, *Throw Down* returns for a new series with leg-mended Siobhán McSweeney back on hosting duty and Keith Brymer Jones and Rich Miller taskmastering as usual. And straight away, the first challenge raises the emotional stakes with a tea set "dedicated to someone you love". Soon it's not just Keith with a lump in his throat but the contestants, too.

There are nerves and droppages, and despite all the clay wedging, the creations are in the lap of the kiln gods. Yet the warm, catch-all camaraderie is infectious. Who wouldn't be sad to be shown the studio door by the judges? **MARK BRAXTON**

LIVE SPORT

FA Cup Football
Manchester City v Chelsea
4pm (k/o 4.30pm) ***BBC1***
A third-round clash of the heavyweights as Manchester City under Pep Guardiola (above) seek to topple last season's runners-up.
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Cardiff City v Leeds United
1.15pm (k/o 2pm) ***ITV1***
Championship plays Premier League in what's sure to be a passionate cup tie.

Premiership Rugby Union
Harlequins v Sale Sharks
2pm (k/o 3pm) ***BT Sport 1***
Top Premiership action from the Twickenham Stoop.

FILM OF THE DAY

Pulp Fiction ★★★★★ 18
10.00pm ***C4***
Hitman John Travolta's night out with moll Uma Thurman (above) takes a wild turn, while boxer Bruce Willis has a fateful run-in with crime boss Ving Rhames, in Quentin Tarantino's endlessly inventive and stylish cult crime classic. (1994)

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SUNDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Roger Johnson, Nina Warhurst. (S) (HD)

7.30 FA Cup Highlights Shown yesterday 10.40pm (S) (HD)

9.00 Sunday with Laura Kuenssberg Interviews with key politicians and public figures. (S) (HD)

10.00 Sunday Morning Live Sean Fletcher and Holly Hamilton present topical debate. (S) (HD)

11.00 Scotland's Sacred Islands with Ben Fogle The presenter explores the spiritual legacy of remote islands, beginning with the Inner Hebrides. (R) (S) (HD)

12 noon Bargain Hunt Charlie Ross presents the show from Nottingham racecourse. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00pm BBC News Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)

1.15 Songs of Praise Claire McCollum celebrates the 250th anniversary of *Amazing Grace* from Olney, Buckinghamshire, while Mark De-Lisser meets a new gospel choir formed for the celebrations. (S) (HD)

1.50 Money for Nothing Sarah Moore salvages a pair of seats and an Edwardian armchair. (R) (S) (HD)

2.15 Escape to the Country A property-hunting mission spanning Somerset and Devon. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00–4.00 Frozen Planet II: Worlds of Wonder Highlights from the series, in a journey from the Arctic to the Antarctic. Shown last Monday (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2

6.35am Countryfile At the National Hedge Laying Championship. Shown last Mon BBC1 Signed rpt Mon 2.05am (S) (HD)

7.30 Coast Great Guides Neil Oliver and Tessa Dunlop explore East Anglia's shoreline. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 Weatherman Walking Derek Brockway takes a stroll with singer Beverley Humphreys. (R) (S) (HD)

9.00 Around the World in 80 Gardens From Mexico to the Caribbean island of Cuba. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites Highlights. (S) (HD)

11.30 The Hairy Bikers Go Local *2/8.* A Malaysian-Scottish fusion eatery in Glasgow. Shown last Wed (S) (AD) (HD)

12.30pm Tom Kerridge's Fresh Start Eight families are challenged to ditch convenience food. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00–5.15 LIVE Snooker Coverage of Neil Robertson v Shaun Murphy, the opening match of the first round of the Masters from Alexandra Palace in London, played over the best of 11 frames. Robertson of Australia is the reigning champion, having defeated Englishman Barry Hawkins 10–4 in last year's final. (S) (HD)

ITV1

6.00am CITV See page 56 **9.25 ITV News** (S) (HD)

9.30 Love Your Weekend with Alan Titchmarsh The presenter welcomes farmer Jimmy Doherty and chef James Martin, plus a look at British rum. (S) (HD)

11.30 Love Your Garden Alan Titchmarsh and the team create a family garden in Walsall. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 noon Ninja Warrior UK: Race for Glory Ben Shephard, Rochelle Humes and Chris Kamara host the final of the all-action game show. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00pm ITV News Weather; Regional Weather (S) (HD)

1.15–4.25 LIVE FA Cup Football Cardiff City v Leeds United Laura Woods presents coverage of the third-round tie at Cardiff City Stadium (kick-off **2.00**). Leeds will be out to avenge their famous 2–1 defeat to the Bluebirds back in 2002. Commentary by Clive Tyldesley and Ally McCoist. (S) (HD) **Sport: page 29**

Channel 4

6.25am 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S)

7.15 The King of Queens Two episodes. (R) (S) (AD)

8.05 The Simpsons Triple bill. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.30 Sunday Brunch With Dick and Dom, Lara Pulver, Adam Thomas, Sally Lindsay and Alex Jones. (S) (HD)

12.30pm The Simpsons A professor gives Bart and Lisa a worrying glimpse into their potential futures.

12.55 Homer retaliates when Lisa sacks him as the manager of her burgeoning singing career. (R) (S) (AD)

1.25–3.50 We Bought a Zoo ★★★ Comedy drama with Matt Damon and Scarlett Johansson. After the death of his wife, Benjamin Mee impulsively moves with his children to a private zoo in California, where his ignorance of animals becomes apparent. His teenage son, meanwhile, is having his own lessons in the birds and the bees. Available on All 4 for 7 days. **Review p57.** Director Cameron Crowe (2011, PG) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

BBC1

His Dark Materials *7.00pm*
Protection plan: Mrs Coulter (Ruth Wilson) attempts to keep Lyra safe

4.00pm FA Cup Match of the Day Live
Manchester City v Chelsea
Gary Lineker presents all the action from the third-round tie at Etihad Stadium (kick-off **4.30**).
Coverage of Aston Villa v Stevenage 4.20–6.30 via the red button. Highlights 10.30pm. (S) (HD)
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6.35 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

7.00 His Dark Materials
RT *4/8 Series 3.* **Lyra and Her Death.** Lyra and Will journey through the Suburbs of the Dead and reach a seemingly infinite bureaucratic space. The whole of series 1–3 is on iPlayer in UHD. **See page 50.**

Lyra Silvertongue	**Dafne Keen**	Father Jerome	**Martin Bell**
Will Parry	**Amir Wilson**	Peter	**Jamie Kenna**
Mrs Coulter	**Ruth Wilson**	Bureaucrat Nemo	**Gerard Horan**
Commander Roke	**Jonathan Aris**	Customs Officer Alexander	**Mark Holden**
Father President MacPhail	**Will Keen**	Larissa	**Souad Faress**
Dr Mary Malone	**Simone Kirby**	Death Lyra	**Naomi Battrick**
Father Gomez	**Jamie Ward**	Voice of Pantalaimon	**Kit Connor**
Dr Cooper	**Lia Williams**	Voice of Atal	**Kate Ashfield**

Dramatised by Jack Thorne; Producer Stephen Haren
Director Charles Martin (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Call the Midwife
RT *2/8 Series 12.* The Nonnatus team are concerned as Lucille struggles with her own health. A box set of previous series is on iPlayer. **See page 50.**

Sister Julienne	**Jenny Agutter**	Angela Turner	**Alice Brown**
Nurse Phyllis Crane	**Linda Bassett**	May Tang	**April Rae Hoang**
Sister Monica Joan	**Judy Parfitt**	Teddy Turner	**Edward Shaw**
Nurse Trixie Franklin	**Helen George**	Janet Norris	**Phoebe Horn**
Nurse Shelagh Turner	**Laura Main**	Lilian Reynolds	**Lydia Larson**
Nurse Lucille Robinson	**Leonie Elliott**	Mrs Wallace	**Linda Hargreaves**
Dr Patrick Turner	**Stephen McGann**	Colette Corrigan	**Francesca Fullilove**
Fred Buckle	**Cliff Parisi**	Mr Sawyer	**Richard Brimblecombe**
Nurse Nancy Corrigan	**Megan Cusack**	Tommy Woodleigh	**Barry McCarthy**
Sister Veronica	**Rebecca Gethings**	Ronnie Reynolds	**James Alexandrou**
Miss Millicent Higgins	**Georgie Glen**	Voice of mature Jennifer Worth	**Vanessa Redgrave**
Cyril Robinson	**Zephryn Taitte**		

Writer Lena Rae; Producer Ann Tricklebank
Director Syd Macartney (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Happy Valley
RT *2/6 Series 3.* The discovery of the gangland murder victim leads Catherine back to Tommy Lee Royce. Series 1 and 2 are on iPlayer. **See page 50.**

Catherine Cawood	**Sarah Lancashire**	Alison Garrs	**Susan Lynch**
Tommy Lee Royce	**James Norton**	Florence Hepworth	**Bethany Stott**
Clare Cartwright	**Siobhan Finneran**	Poppy Hepworth	**Bonnie Stott**
Ann Gallagher	**Charlie Murphy**	Ivan Sertic	**Oliver Huntingdon**
Richard Cawood	**Derek Riddell**	Ryan Cawood	**Rhys Connah**
Faisal Bhatti	**Amit Shah**	Neil Ackroyd	**Con O'Neill**
Mike Taylor	**Rick Warden**	Rob Hepworth	**Mark Stanley**
Joanna Hepworth	**Mollie Winnard**	Sledge	**Chord Melodic**
Gorkem Tekeli	**Mete Dursun**	Anisha Bhatti	**Rina Mahoney**
Maira Bhatti	**Yasmin Ali**	Shafiq Shah	**Shane Zaza**
Cesco	**Freddy Smith**	David Baines	**John Tueart**
Haniya Bhatti	**Myra-Sofia Iftikhar**	Prisoner	**Wayne Dobson**

Writer Sally Wainwright; Producer Jessica Taylor
Directors Patrick Harkins and Sally Wainwright (S) (AD) (HD)

Jane Garvey on the box: page 13; See feature: p14

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

10.30 FA Cup Highlights
Action from games including Manchester City v Chelsea and Cardiff City v Leeds United. (S) (HD)

11.30 Legend ★★★
Biographical drama. The Kray twins rule London's East End underworld. But while no outsider dare challenge their dominance, Reggie suffers a personal battle. Available on iPlayer for 30 days. **Review page 57.**

Ronald Kray/Reginald Kray	**Tom Hardy**	Leslie Payne	**David Thewlis**
Frances Shea	**Emily Browning**	Mad Teddy Smith	**Taron Egerton**
Nipper Read	**Christopher Eccleston**	Frankie Shea	**Colin Morgan**
Albert Donoghue	**Paul Anderson**	Jack "the Hat" McVitie	**Sam Spruell**

Director Brian Helgeland (2015, 18) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
Also showing Thursday 10pm BBC3

1.35am Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)
1.40–6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

BBC1 Freeview 1/HD 101 Freesat 101/HD 106 Sky 101/HD 115 Virgin 101

BBC2

Digging for Britain *8.00pm*
No stone unturned: Alice Roberts visits a chambered tomb in Herefordshire

5.15pm Flog It!
Philip Serrell and Nick Davies value items at Wallasey Town Hall in Wirral, and Paul Martin goes behind the scenes with National Museums Liverpool. (R) (S) (HD)

6.15 Ski Sunday
New series. Ep 1. Action from the World Cup classic slalom race in Adelboden, Switzerland, where Great Britain's Dave Ryding hopes to be in contention. Meanwhile, Jenny Jones travels to the USA to meet inspirational amputee skier Vasu Sojitra.
Series producer John Nicholson (S) (HD)

7.00 Countryfile
Charlotte Smith is at the 12,500-acre Rhug Estate in Denbighshire to investigate the impact of avian flu on shooting. Tom Heap examines the threat the disease poses to the shooting industry in Wiltshire, while Sean Fletcher explores how Perthshire's Bamff Estate has eschewed shooting for eco-tourism. And Adam Henson puts his new sheepdog through her paces. Includes **Weather for the Week Ahead**.
Series producer Mark Beech; Series editor Jane Lomas (S) (HD)

BBC RED BUTTON 7.00–11.00 Snooker Live coverage of the Masters tournament from Alexandra Palace

8.00 Digging for Britain
RT *2/6 Series 10.* **Arthur's Stone and a Georgian Mine.** This week, Alice Roberts visits excavations in the west of the UK. Located near Dorstone, on the border of England and Wales, Arthur's Stone is a chambered tomb thought to predate Stonehenge, and a new investigation has unearthed evidence of a remarkable ceremonial entranceway. In Cheshire, a 200-year-old mine network is explored, while in west Wales, a long-lost medieval friary has been uncovered. The whole series is available on iPlayer. **See page 50.**
Producer Denis Minihan; Series producer Theo Williams
Repeated Tuesday 2.05am (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Antiques Roadshow
Fiona Bruce and the team of experts are at Bodnant Garden in Conwy, where the curios brought in include an unusual box decorated with rats, a pair of Wedgwood tigers and a toothpick box with political connections. There are also valuable artworks by Sir Quentin Blake and one of the Parisian naturalists.
Exec producer Gill Tierney; Series editor Robert Murphy (R) (S) (HD)

10.00 Mary Queen of Scots ★★★
Historical drama. In 1561, young Catholic queen Mary returns to Scotland to reclaim her throne, which threatens the status of her cousin, Elizabeth, the Protestant queen of England. When Elizabeth attempts to intervene by sending English suitors up to Scotland, a vicious power struggle commences. Available on iPlayer for 30 days. **Review page 57.**

Mary Stuart	**Saoirse Ronan**	Earl of Bothwell	**Martin Compston**
Elizabeth I	**Margot Robbie**	Rizzio	**Ismael Cruz Cordova**
Lord Darnley	**Jack Lowden**	Earl of Lennox	**Brendan Coyle**
Robert Dudley	**Joe Alwyn**	Lord Maitland	**Ian Hart**
John Knox	**David Tennant**	Lord Randolph	**Adrian Lester**
Sir William Cecil	**Guy Pearce**	Earl of Moray	**James McArdle**
Bess of Hardwick	**Gemma Chan**		

Director Josie Rourke (2018, 15) (S) (W) (HD)
Also showing Friday 9pm BBC3

11.55 Snooker
Action from the opening day's play of the Masters at Alexandra Palace, featuring three-time champion Mark Selby against China's Zhao Xintong. (S) (HD)

12.45am Snooker Extra Extended day one highlights of the match between Neil Robertson and Shaun Murphy. (S) (HD)

2.45–4.30am Sign Zone **2.45 I'm an Alcoholic: inside Recovery** A look inside an Alcoholics Anonymous meeting in central England as members share their stories. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.45 The Travelling Auctioneers Christina Trevanion and Will Kirk help a Shropshire couple downsize. (R) (S) (HD)

BBC2 Freeview 2/HD 102 Freesat 102 Sky 102 Virgin 102

ITV1 3

Midsomer Murders *8.00pm* There's a fright at the opera for Kevin Whately and Neil Dudgeon

4.25pm Tipping Point: Best Ever Finals
Ben Shephard relives two gripping endgames from the quiz where contestants try to hit the jackpot on the giant arcade machine. (R) (S) (HD)

4.55 The Scorpion King ★★★
Action adventure fantasy. In ancient times, powerful warrior Memnon presides over the desert with the aid of sorceress Cassandra. In an attempt to bring down the mighty duo, the assassin Mathayus is hired to kill Cassandra and become king of the last free tribes. **Review p57.**

Mathayus, the Scorpion King	**The Rock**	Arpid	**Grant Heslov**
Balthazar	**Michael Clarke Duncan**	Prince Takmet	**Peter Facinelli**
Memnon	**Steven Brand**	Thorak	**Ralf Moeller**
Cassandra	**Kelly Hu**	Queen Isis	**Sherri Howard**
Philos	**Bernard Hill**	King Pheron	**Roger Rees**

Director Chuck Russell (2002, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

6.35 ITV News
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

7.00 Coronation Street
Damon tells Jacob to accept a special delivery. Daisy enquires about a wedding venue. David hurries to protect Max from Griff, while Spider discharges himself from hospital.
Writers Sam Holdsworth and Chris Fewtrell
For cast see Wednesday and Friday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Midsomer Murders
RT *Series 22.* **For Death Prepare.** The Midsomer Mummers, an amateur operatic society, are rehearsing for a charity concert when the body of a man is discovered in the theatre. For DCI Barnaby and DS Winter, the investigation becomes a race to identify who is desperate to be centre stage. **See page 51.**

DCI John Barnaby	**Neil Dudgeon**	Shaila Handsworth	**Shobna Gulati**
DS Jamie Winter	**Nick Hendrix**	Faith Dunlow	**Jenna Russell**
Sarah Barnaby	**Fiona Dolman**	Katisha Empson	**Jane Bertish**
Fleur Perkins	**Annette Badland**	Graham Handsworth	**David Rubin**
Marcus Dunlow	**Alexander Hanson**	Luke Dunlow	**Dylan Wood**
Derek Sharrow	**Clive Rowe**	Phoebe Whittingdale	**Tessa Wong**
Jeremy Whittingdale	**Kevin Whately**	Dr Simon Charteris	**Rajat M Bose**
Phyllis Cuttle	**Samantha Spiro**		

Writer Julia Gilbert; Producer Carol Ann Docherty
Director Toby Frow (S) (AD) (HD)
See feature: page 26

10.00 ITV News
Weather; Regional Weather (S) (HD)

10.15 The Real Stonehouse
Documentary chronicling the amazing real-life story of Labour MP John Stonehouse. In 1974, his clothes were discovered on a Miami beach, and his wife and family believed he was dead, until they received a phone call from Australia to say detectives had found him living under an assumed name after faking his own death.
Producer Claire Savage; Executive producer Mike Blair
Shown last Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

11.10 Premiership Rugby Highlights
David Flatman and Topsy Ojo present the best action from the weekend's matches, featuring Gloucester v Saracens, Newcastle Falcons v Leicester Tigers and Harlequins v Sale Sharks.
Repeated tomorrow 6.55pm ITV4 (S) (HD)

12.10am Home Shopping (HD)
3.00 Martin Lewis's Extreme Savers The money expert meets a couple who are living off the grid in a converted horse box. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
3.25 Unwind A sequence to calm the mind. (S) (HD)
4.40–6.00am Dancing on Thin Ice with Torvill and Dean Jayne Torvill and Christopher Dean fulfil a lifelong dream by travelling to Alaska to skate on natural ice, and encounter the dramatic effects of climate change on the wilderness. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

ITV1 **Freeview** 3/**HD** 103 **Freesat** 103 **Sky** 103 **Virgin** 113/**HD** 103
+1 **Freeview** 35 **Freesat** 112 **Sky** 203 **Virgin** 114

Channel 4 4 / 7 in Wales

Pulp Fiction *10.00pm* Shake it up: Uma Thurman stars as Mia in Quentin Tarantino's cult crime movie

3.50pm Maid in Manhattan ★★
Romantic comedy. Senatorial candidate Christopher Marshall falls for hotel maid Marisa Ventura after mistaking her for a socialite. Available on All 4 for the next 7 days. **Review p57.**

Marisa Ventura	**Jennifer Lopez**	Lionel Bloch	**Bob Hoskins**
Christopher Marshall	**Ralph Fiennes**	Ty Ventura	**Tyler Garcia Posey**
Caroline Lane	**Natasha Richardson**	Paula Burns	**Frances Conroy**
Jerry Siegel	**Stanley Tucci**	John Bextrum	**Chris Eigeman**

Director Wayne Wang (2002, PG) (S) (W) (HD)

5.50 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

6.15 2022: the Year from Space
Images of the world filmed by satellites over the course of last year, including footage of the conflict in Ukraine and crowds returning to cities in the wake of the global Covid-19 lockdowns.
Directors Sean Smith, Lina Zilinskaite; Exec producers Nick Catliff, Anthony Geffin Shown last Tue Rptd Thu 11.25pm 4seven (S) (HD)

7.45 The Great Pottery Throw Down
RT ***New series. Ep 1.*** Siobhán McSweeney hosts as 12 of Britain's home potters compete to become king or queen of the clay. Tonight, judges Keith Brymer Jones and Rich Miller will be watching closely as the contestants whip up a birthday tea set. For the second challenge, they must make handleless milk jugs – but whose will end up in the bucket of doom? **See page 51.**
Series director Mark Drake; Series producer Jennifer Morrison
Repeated Tuesday 3.40am Channel 4, Wednesday 7.45pm 4seven and Friday 7.45pm More4 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Kardashians: Billion Dollar Dynasty
RT ***1/2.*** This documentary explores how the Kardashians built a family brand that secured them enormous wealth. Drawing on archive material and interviews, the first episode looks at socialite Kim Kardashian in 2007, when she was working for Paris Hilton in LA. Journalists and producers also look at how the infamous sex tape played a crucial role in the commissioning of the reality-television series *Keeping Up with the Kardashians*. Continues tomorrow 9pm. The next episode will be available on All 4 after tonight's edition is shown. **See page 51.**
Repeated 11.35pm 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Pulp Fiction ★★★★★
Award-winning, multi-stranded crime drama. Downtown LA: lovebirds Honey Bunny and Pumpkin plan to hold up a diner. Washed-up boxer Butch is paid to throw his last fight, but has other ideas. "Fixer" the Wolf has to get hitmen Vincent and Jules out of a sticky situation. And Vincent is nervous when he has to escort his boss's wife for the night – with good reason. Available on All 4 for the next 30 days. **Film of the Day: p57.**

Vincent Vega	**John Travolta**	Fabienne	**Maria de Medeiros**
Jules Winnfield	**Samuel L Jackson**	Marsellus Wallace	**Ving Rhames**
Mia Wallace	**Uma Thurman**	Lance	**Eric Stoltz**
The Wolf	**Harvey Keitel**	Jody	**Rosanna Arquette**
Pumpkin	**Tim Roth**	Captain Koons	**Christopher Walken**
Honey Bunny	**Amanda Plummer**	Butch Coolidge	**Bruce Willis**

Director Quentin Tarantino (1994, 18) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
Also showing Friday 11.40pm 4seven

12.55am The Art of Racing in the Rain ★★ Comedy drama with Amanda Seyfried. The ups and downs of a family are seen through the eyes of their golden retriever. Available on All 4 for the next 7 days.
Director Simon Curtis (2019, PG) (S) (W) (HD)
2.45 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA Gordon tackles an Irish pub in the Hamptons. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)
3.35 Come Dine with Me In Edinburgh. (R) (S) (HD)
5.45–6.10am Food Unwrapped Investigating why cucumbers are wrapped in so much plastic. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

Channel 4 **Freeview** 4/**HD** 104 **Freesat** 104 **Sky** 104 **Virgin HD** 104
+1 **Freeview** 15 **Freesat** 121 **Sky** 204 **Virgin** 142

BBC4 9 / 24 in Scotland

Twelfth Night from Shakespeare's Globe *8.00pm* Michelle Terry stars as Viola

7.00pm Come Dancing
Terry Wogan introduces a 1979 edition of the interregional amateur dance contest from Southampton's Top Rank. Home Counties South compete against North East, with Ray Moore commentating on latin, ballroom, old time, formation and disco. (R) (S)

8.00 Twelfth Night from Shakespeare's Globe
RT Shakespeare's comedy of mistaken identity, music and love, performed at the Globe Theatre in London in 2021. Following a shipwreck, Viola is washed up on the shores of Illyria, believing that her twin brother Sebastian has drowned. Disguising herself as a boy, Viola finds work as a servant for Duke Orsino. **See p51.**

Viola	**Michelle Terry**
Orsino	**Bryan Dick**
Sebastian	**Ciarán O'Brien**
Olivia	**Shona Babayemi**
Malvolio	**Sophie Russell**
Antonio	**Peter Bourke**
Feste	**Victoria Elliott**
Andrew Aguecheek	**George Fouracres**
Sir Toby Belch	**Nadine Higgin**
Maria	**Nadi Kemp-Sayfi**
Fabian	**Jacoba Williams**
Curio	**Rachel Hannah Clarke**

Director Sean Holmes (S) (HD)

10.35 Shakespeare in Italy
1/2. **Land of Love.** Francesco da Mosto reveals how the Mediterranean country influenced the Bard. Visiting the locations that inspired the playwright, he begins in Padua, setting of *The Taming of the Shrew*, before heading to Verona to explore *Romeo and Juliet*. The presenter also meets actress Emma Thompson in Sicily to discuss *Much Ado about Nothing*, and ends his journey in Venice for a look at the city's connection with *Othello*.
Repeated Wednesday 1.55am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
11.35 ***2/2.*** **Land of Fortune.** To conclude his tour of the country, Francesco begins in Venice, where he meets actor Ciarán Hinds to discuss why the Bard chose the city as the setting for *The Merchant of Venice*. He joins Mark Rylance in Rome to explore how the playwright used the Italian capital for the plots of *Julius Caesar* and *Antony and Cleopatra* to avoid Elizabethan censors. Finally, on the island of Stromboli, off the northern coast of Sicily, Francesco uncovers the location for Shakespeare's late masterpiece – *The Tempest*.
Series producer Andrea Carnevali
Executive producer Basil Comely (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
RT TRAVEL An eight-day tour of Venice, Verona and Lake Garda, departing May to October 2023: see travel supplement, centre pages

12.35am Discovering... Graal Théâtre: Kaija Saariaho. Tom Service presents analysis and a performance. (R) (S) (HD)
1.35 Wild China ***6/6.*** Environmental concerns on the country's eastern seaboard. Shown last Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)
2.35–3.15am Mary Beard Interviews Philip Pullman: Front Row Late Mary Beard talks to the *His Dark Materials* author Philip Pullman. Shown New Year's Day (S) (HD)

BBC4 **F'view** 9/**HD** 106 **F'sat** 108 **Sky** 116 **Virgin** 108

BBC1 SCOTLAND
11.30pm Sportscene: Premiership Highlights: featuring Dundee Utd v Rangers at Tannadice
12.30am FILM: Legend **2.35** Weather for the Week Ahead
2.40–6.00 BBC News

BBC SCOTLAND
7.00pm The Seven
7.15 Sportscene: Premiership Highlights
8.15 Rewind 1980s
8.30 Accidental Renovators
9.00 Still Game
9.30 Life on the Bay: new series. The return of the documentary about a caravan park on the Fife coast **10.00** Who Owns Scotland?
11.00–12 midnight Seven Days

STV
3.25–4.40am Night Vision

BBC2 WALES
5.15pm Flog It!: from St Albans Cathedral
6.00–7.00 Scrum V Sunday: United Rugby Championship action
9.00 FILM: Mary Queen of Scots
10.55 Ski Sunday: new series **11.40–11.55** Nigel Slater's Simple Cooking: pumpkin stew with sour cream

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND
10.00pm Walkin' Hame: new series. Exploring the Ulster leg of the International Appalachian Trail
10.30 FILM: Mary Queen of Scots
12.25am Snooker: highlights of the opening day's play at the Masters
1.15–2.45am Snooker Extra: extended highlights from a match on day one of the Masters

Channel 5 listings are overleaf

SUNDAY Freeview

Channel 5 5

Motorhoming with Merton and Webster *9.00pm* A Cotswolds trip

5.35am Milkshake! See page 56
10.00 The Smurfs Gargamel tempts Clumsy with a magic amulet. (S) (HD)
10.15 SpongeBob SquarePants SpongeBob and Patrick are excited about a Mermaid Man and Barnacle Boy special. (S) (HD)
10.25 Entertainment News (S) (HD)
10.30 *New.* NFL End Zone Action from the latest matches in the NFL. (S) (HD)
11.00 Friends *Series 3.* Ross finds a growth.
11.30 Chandler's boss is over-friendly.
12 noon Phoebe receives some shocking news regarding her past. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.30pm The Teagarden Mysteries Mystery with Candace Cameron Bure. A member of Aurora's crime group is murdered. (S) (HD)
2.20 Mrs Caldicot's Cabbage War ★★
Comedy drama starring Pauline Collins as Thelma Caldicot, a widow who decides to rebel against the repressive regime in a suburban rest home. Peter Capaldi also stars. **Review page 57.**
Director Ian Sharp (2000, 12) (S) (W) (HD)
4.40pm Jane McDonald's Sunshine Cruises
Highlights of the singer's voyages around the Mediterranean. (S) (HD)
6.25 5 News (S) (HD)
6.30 When Luxury Holidays Go Horribly Wrong
Interviews with people whose holidays ended in disaster. Contributors include Jody and Stacey Mortlock, whose dream honeymoon turned into a nightmare when the Covid-19 pandemic started.
Directors David Donnelly and Andy Merry (S) (HD)
8.00 *New series.* 22 Kids and Counting
1/10 Series 3. Return of the series following the Radford family, beginning as Noel and Sue's pregnant 27-year-old daughter Chloe faces a medical emergency.
Director/Producer Alex Ash (S) (HD)
9.00 *New.* Motorhoming with Merton and Webster
2/6 Series 2. Paul Merton and Suki Webster's travels continue in the Cotswolds, where they hope to restore a Romany caravan and build a dry-stone wall, before visiting Oxfordshire's answer to Stonehenge – the Rollright Stones.
Series producer Meriel Beale (S) (HD)
10.00 Hotel Benidorm: Sunloungers and Sangria
Behind the scenes of the Rio Park in Benidorm. New assistant manager Mario has a problem when the lifts break down.
Series producer Satnam Authi (S) (HD)
10.55 Most Shocking Celebrity Moments
Memorable incidents from the 2000s, including Katie Price and Peter Andre finding love on *I'm a Celebrity…* (S) (HD)
12.55am Entertainment News (S) (HD) **1.00 *New.*** Casino (S) (HD) **3.00** Entertainment News (S) (HD) **3.05** You Are What You Eat (S) (HD) **3.55** Get Your Tatts Out: Kavos Ink (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** Divine Designs (S) (SL) (HD) **5.10–5.35am** House Doctor (S) (SL)

C5 **F'view** 5/**HD** 105 **F'sat** 105 **Sky** 105 **Virgin** 154/**HD** 105
+1 **Freeview** 46 **Freesat** 128 **Sky** 205 **Virgin** 155

BBC4 listings are overleaf

BBC3 23

The Woman in Black *9.00pm* Arthur (Daniel Radcliffe) discovers a secret

7.00pm Press X to Continue
3/10. BBC gaming reporter Steffan Powell chats about forgotten titles. (S) (HD)
7.10 Gassed Up
1/6. Taking on celebrities in high-octane challenges, rapper Mist and comedian Joel Dommett turn a village into a race track. The whole series is on iPlayer. (S) (HD)
7.55 *New series.* Top Gear America
1/11. **Supercars.** Dax Shepard, Rob Corddry and Jethro Bovingdon attempt a trip across America. (S) (HD)
8.25 *New. 2/11.* Overlanding for 5K. The guys head to an ancient lava field to see if they need big bucks to go overlanding. (S) (HD)
9.00 The Woman in Black ★★★
Horror thriller starring Daniel Radcliffe, Ciarán Hinds and Janet McTeer. A solicitor discovers a property's dark secrets. Available on iPlayer.
Director James Watkins (2011, 12) (S) (W) (HD)
10.30 The Instagram Effect
The story of the social media giant and how it became the dominant force it is today, told by former staff and insiders. (S) (HD)
11.30 Planet Sex with Cara Delevingne
4/6. Cara investigates the idea of gender, what it is and why it matters so much.
12.15am *5/6.* Cara explores monogamy, polyamory and the secret science of love.
1.00 *6/6.* Cara looks at the meaning of beauty in the 21st century. (S) (HD)
1.45 The Instagram Effect (S) (HD) **2.45** Gassed Up (S) (HD) **3.30–4.00am** Hire Me: Competing for a Dream Job (S) (HD)

BBC3 **F'view** 23/**HD** 109 (not Scot/Wales) **F'sat** 179/**HD** 107 **Sky** 117 (173 London; 141 Scot) **Virgin** 107 (157 Scot/Wales)

ITV2 6

6.00am Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **6.35** Secret Crush (S) (HD) **9.25** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **11.25** The Masked Singer Shown Sat 7pm ITV (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00pm Celebrity Catchphrase (S) (AD) (HD)
2.05 FILM Rio 2 ★★★ Animated comedy sequel with the voice of Jesse Eisenberg (S) (W) (HD) **4.10 FILM** Cloudy with a Chance of Meatballs ★★★★ Animated comedy featuring the voice of Bill Hader (S) (W) (HD)
6.00pm FILM Evan Almighty ★★★
Comedy fantasy sequel starring Steve Carell and Morgan Freeman. Newsman Evan Baxter is newly elected to Congress on a "Save the World" ticket and trying to ignore God's instruction to build an ark. Forced to comply after the Almighty transforms him into a modern-day Noah, Baxter sets out to convince everyone of impending disaster. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
8.00 FILM Fast & Furious: Hobbs & Shaw ★★★★ Action adventure starring Dwayne Johnson and Jason Statham. Bickering agents Luke Hobbs and Deckard Shaw are paired up to track down a supervirus that has been stolen by a terrorist, Brixton Lore, who has superhuman strength. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
10.40 Family Guy *Series 12.* Lois tires of Peter's performance in the bedroom. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.05 The residents of Quahog become embroiled in a treasure hunt. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.35 American Dad! *Series 16.* Hayley and Steve look into mysterious markings. (S) (AD) (HD)
12 midnight Stan, Roger and Jeff go on Klaus's wild stag weekend. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.30am The Sex Lives of College Girls (S) (HD)
1.35 All American (S) (HD) **2.30–3.00am** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD)

ITV2 **Freeview** 6 **Freesat** 113 **Sky** 118 **Virgin** 115/**HD** 176
+1 **Freeview** 29 **Freesat** 114 **Sky** 218 **Virgin** 116

ITV3 10

Maigret *10.00pm* The detective (Rowan Atkinson) is under pressure

6.00am George & Mildred (S) **6.35** Emmerdale: omnibus Rptd 3.05am (S) (SL) (HD) **9.20** George & Mildred (S) **9.50** Agatha Christie's Marple: *The Body in the Library*. The corpse of a mysterious woman is found; **11.50** *The Murder at the Vicarage.* A colonel is found dead; **1.55pm** *4.50 from Paddington.* The sleuth investigates a friend's claim to have witnessed a murder on a passing train (S) (AD) (HD) **3.55** Doc Martin: *1/6 Series 1. Going Bodmin*. A surgeon takes a job as a GP in a sleepy Cornish village; **4.55** *2/6. Gentlemen Prefer*. The medic delivers bad news to a former teacher (S) (AD)
6.00pm Rosemary and Thyme
1/6 Series 1. **And No Birds Sing.** A wealthy businessman is found unconscious. (S)
7.00 *2/6.* **Arabica and the Early Spider** The duo make a gruesome discovery in the grounds of a pop star's mansion. (S) (AD)
8.00 Martin Clunes: Islands of the Pacific
1/3 Series 1. The actor begins his journey by exploring French Polynesia through French baguettes and coral wine. He also takes a swim with sharks. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Joanna Lumley's Great Cities of the World
1/3. **Paris.** Joanna Lumley explores the idiosyncratic side of three European capitals, starting in Paris. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Maigret
Maigret Sets a Trap. It's 1955, and Paris is in the grip of fear. Four women have been murdered in Montmartre in a killing spree of seemingly unconnected attacks. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.50 Upstairs, Downstairs
Series 1. **On Trial.** Lady Bellamy employs a cockney parlourmaid who claims to be French and calls herself Clemence. (S)
12.55am Magic Casements. Lady Bellamy has a secret affair with one of her son's friends while at odds with her husband over his political career. (S)
2.00 George & Mildred: double bill (S)
3.05 Emmerdale: omnibus Shown 6.35am (S) (SL) (HD) **5.40–6.00am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV3 **Freeview** 10 **Freesat** 115 **Sky** 119 **Virgin** 117/**HD** 177
+1 **F'view** 59 *(9pm–4am)* **F'sat** 116 **Sky** 219 **Virgin** 174

ITV4 26

6.00am Great World Cup Goals (S) (HD) **6.10 *New.*** Motorsport Mundial (S) (HD) **6.35 *New.*** Auto Mundial (S) (HD) **7.05** Minder **8.00** The Professionals **9.00** Made in Britain (S) (AD) (HD) **9.35** The Big Fish Off (S) (HD) **10.35** Sherlock Holmes: the Eligible Bachelor (S) (AD) (HD) **12.50pm FILM** Lawman ★★ Western (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **2.55 FILM** Rio Lobo ★★★ Western starring John Wayne (S) (W) (HD) **5.10 FILM** Aces High ★★★ First World War action drama (S) (AD) (W)
7.30pm LIVE Spanish Football Atlético Madrid v Barcelona Semra Hunter presents all the action from the La Liga clash at Cívitas Metropolitano (kick-off **8.00**). (S) (HD)
10.15 FILM Taken ★★★★ Action drama starring Liam Neeson as former CIA operative Bryan Mills, who calls upon his tried-and-tested skills in a race-against-time bid to rescue his daughter from the sex traffickers who have kidnapped her during a holiday in France. English, French, Albanian, Arabic +subtitles. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
12.10am FILM Enemy of the State ★★★★ Conspiracy thriller starring Will Smith, Gene Hackman and Jon Voight (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
2.50–3.00am Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV4 **Freeview** 26 **Freesat** 117 **Sky** 120 **Virgin** 118/**HD** 178
+1 **Freesat** 118 **Sky** 220 **Virgin** 175

Drama 20

David Copperfield *10.55am* David gets to know Betsey Trotwood

7.05am The Bill: four episodes. Jack and Neil are taken hostage; **7.55** Abi stuns Samantha; **8.55** Hugh Wallis turns the tables on Sam; **9.55** Sam struggles to build a case against Hugh **10.55** David Copperfield: *1/4.* Adaptation of the Dickens classic, starring Daniel Radcliffe. The idyllic childhood of eight-year-old David Copperfield is brought to an abrupt end when his widowed mother Clara remarries; **11.55** *2/4.* David is sent to a workhouse following his mother's death; **12.55pm** *3/4.* David revisits Peggotty; **1.55** *4/4.* David returns to Canterbury once again (S) **2.55** Catherine Cookson's Tilly Trotter: period drama. A young woman from Durham fights to make a life for herself, no matter how hard she will have to work and how far from home it will take her (S)
5.00pm Call the Midwife
1/6 Series 1. Sent to a nursing convent in east London, newly qualified midwife Jenny Lee cares for a woman during her 25th pregnancy (S) (AD) (HD)
6.20 *2/6.* A chance encounter with a young, pregnant runaway forces Jenny to see a darker side of life. (S) (AD) (HD)
7.40 New Tricks
1/10 Series 10. **The Rock.** Brian's future at Ucos is left hanging in the balance. (AD) (HD)
9.00 Frankie Drake Mysteries
6/10 Series 4. **The Guilty Party.** The team investigates whether a man acquitted of murder is innocent or guilty. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Rebus
1/4 Series 3. **The Black Book.** When the body of a prostitute is found wrapped in cellophane at a local landmark, Rebus is reminded of an identical case 20 years prior that went unsolved. (S)
11.30 The Inspector Lynley Mysteries
2/4 Series 2. **In the Presence of the Enemy.** A radical left-wing politician's illegitimate daughter is kidnapped. (S)
1.30am Zen: *1/3.* Crime drama based on the novels of Michael Dibdin (S) (AD) (HD)
3.20–4.00am As Time Goes By: *6/10 Series 4.* Sandy walks out on her boyfriend (S)

Drama **Freeview** 20 **Freesat** 158 **Sky** 143 **Virgin** 130
+1 **Freeview** 60 **Sky** 243 **Virgin** 226

ITVBe 28

7.00am Dinner Date: Love at First Bite (S) (HD)
8.00 Masters of Flip (S) (HD) **9.00** LittleBe (HD)
12 noon Best Cake Wins (S) (HD) **12.25pm** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD)
5.00pm *New series.* Great Chocolate Showdown The contestants create a dessert that represents their personality. (S) (HD)
6.00 *New.* The bakers use everyday items to make lasting impressions. (S) (HD)
7.00 Gino's Italian Coastal Escape Gino D'Acampo tours the east of Italy. (S) (AD) (HD)
7.30 Gino visits the world heritage sites of Ravenna and San Marino. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Jacqueline Jossa: Me and Periods
The actress investigates the experience of painful periods with medical experts. (S) (HD)
9.00 The Footballer, His Wife and the Car Crash *1/2.* Documentary revealing the truth about footballer Jlloyd Samuel. (S) (HD)
10.35 Botched A New Jersey housewife suffers from agitated breasts. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.30 Don't Be Tardy Kim and Kroy plan to take the kids on an epic family vacation. (S) (HD)
12 midnight Arianna and Brie are single and ready to mingle in the Music City. (S) (HD)
12.30–1.00am Unwind (S) (HD)

ITVBe **Freeview** 28 **Freesat** 119 **Sky** 131 **Virgin** 119/**HD** 179
+1 **Virgin** 120 (Scotland 162)

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More4 18

Super Surgeons: a Chance at Life *10.00pm* Jade has a voice box tumour

8.55am George Clarke's Amazing Spaces (AD) **9.55** Ugly House to Lovely House with George Clarke (AD) **11.00** George Clarke's Old House, New Home: in Stratford-upon-Avon (AD) **12 noon** Come Dine with Me: dinner parties from Essex **2.35pm** Four in a Bed **5.20pm Come Dine with Me** Dinner parties from the Midlands, featuring a Cornish-themed menu and Caribbean dishes. **8.00 Emergency Helicopter Medics** A freak car accident in Cumbria leaves a man fighting for his life. In Hampshire, horse rider Pat takes a nasty fall when her animal is spooked. (AD) **9.00 24 Hours in A&E** Alex, 26, was cycling through a park when he collided with a stampede of deer. Doctors at St George's are concerned about the extent of the blood loss from the puncture wounds in Alex's thigh, and that he may have internal bleeding. (AD) **10.00 Super Surgeons: a Chance at Life** Jade is a mother of one with a tumour in her throat. In order to try to save her voice, the Royal Marsden Hospital's Professor Paleri must use a surgical robot to attempt a procedure that has never been done before. **11.05 Emergency Helicopter Medics** In the Peak District, a dirt-buggy smash has left a rider with serious injuries. A farm worker tears his arm with a potato harvester. (AD) **12.10am** 24 Hours in A&E (AD) **1.15** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown **2.20** Emergency Helicopter Medics (AD) **3.25–3.50am** Food Unwrapped Investigates: a look at allergies (AD)

More4 **F'view** 18 **F'sat** 124 **Sky** 136 **Virgin** 147/**HD** 195
+1 **Freesat** 125 **Sky** 236 **Virgin** 196

E4 13

6.00am Hollyoaks: omnibus (AD) **8.20** Modern Family **10.50** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **1.50pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **4.15** Junior Bake Off (AD) **5.50** ***New.*** Lego Masters Australia: the teams must construct a stunt vehicle that can climb up a ramp and jump through a ring of fire **7.10pm FILM Fantastic Four** ★★ Fantasy action adventure with Miles Teller, Michael B Jordan and Kate Mara. A group of gifted young scientists works together to build a machine capable of travelling to another dimension. However, when they decide to test the invention out, the faraway world they visit changes each of them irrevocably. (AD) (W) **9.00 FILM A Quiet Place** ★★★★★ Horror thriller with Emily Blunt and John Krasinski. After blind insectoid monsters with super-sensitive hearing wipe out most of humanity, a family of survivors adapts to living in silence. But with a baby on the way, their way of life is about to become a lot more difficult. English, American sign language +subtitles. (AD) **10.45 Gogglebox** Opinions on *Celebrity Antiques Road Trip* and *Mary Berry: Love to Cook*. First shown in November 2021. (AD) **11.50** Critiques from April 2017, including *Line of Duty* and *Big Little Lies*. (SL) (AD) **12.55am** Naked Attraction (AD) **2.50** Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **3.45–6.00am** Hollyoaks: omnibus (SL) (AD)

E4 **Freeview** 13 **Freesat** 122 **Sky** 135 **Virgin** 106/**HD** 145
+1 **Freeview** 30 **Freesat** 123 **Sky** 235 **Virgin** 146
E4 Extra **Freeview** 31 **Freesat** 181 **Sky** 138 **Virgin** 337

Really 17

6.00am Fantasy Homes by the Sea **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Fantasy Homes by the Sea **10.00** A Place in the Sun **3.00pm** Posh Pawnbrokers **4.00** Antiques Road Trip **7.00** The Repair Shop **9.00** The Bad Skin Clinic: Dr Emma Craythorne and her team of experts solve complex skin conditions **10.00** ***New.*** Faking It: Tears of a Crime **11.00** Help! My House Is Haunted **12 midnight** Destination Fear **1.00am** Ghost Brothers: Lights Out **2.00** Home Shopping **4.00–6.00am** Fantasy Homes by the Sea

Really **Freeview** 17 **Freesat** 160 **Sky** 142 **Virgin** 128

Sky Arts 11

The Agatha Christie Hour *7.00pm* Madeleine and Major Wilbraham

6.00am Funny Girl: the Musical **8.30** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **11.00** More than This: the Story of Roxy Music: profile of the band **12 noon** Classic Albums **1.00pm** The Hollies: Look through Any Window **3.20** Queen: Live at the Rainbow **5.00** Discovering: Clint Eastwood: a look at the life and career of the actor and Oscar-winning director **6.00pm Discovering: Harrison Ford** A profile of the American actor, whose roles in the *Star Wars* and Indiana Jones franchises have made him one of the biggest stars in the world. **7.00 The Agatha Christie Hour** Drama based on a short story. A retired major who seeks advice on spicing up his mundane life soon finds himself involved in an adventure. (AD) **8.00 Alfred Hitchcock Presents** A burglar bargains with his victims when he discovers that robbery will not be as profitable as capitalising on a life insurance payout. **8.30** A used car salesman is driven to murder by his big-spending wife. Starring Russell Collins and Ida Moore. **9.00 James Last: Live at the Royal Albert Hall** A 2007 concert by the German big-band leader and his orchestra. **11.30 The Directors** The life and work of Fred Zinnemann, who won Oscars for *From Here to Eternity* and *A Man for All Seasons*. **12.30am** The Barry White Story: Let the Music Play **1.45** The Great Songwriters **2.45** The Ronnie Wood Show **3.20** Ronnie Wood: Somebody up There Likes Me **4.45–6.00am** The Art of Drumming

Sky Arts **Freeview** 11 **Freesat** 147 **Sky** 130 **Virgin** 165/**HD** 140 **BT** 350/**HD** 365

4seven 49

9.00am Four in a Bed **11.30** A New Life in the Sun **1.30pm** A Place in the Sun **7.00pm FILM The Greatest Showman** ★★★★ Musical drama based on a true story, starring Hugh Jackman and Zac Efron. Would-be impresario PT Barnum throws every penny into opening a freak show. But he aspires to greater cultural acceptance, and his ambition could jeopardise more than his business. (AD) **9.00 Gogglebox Festive Special** Jenny and Lee, the Siddiquis, and Marcus and Mica are among the armchair critics casting their eyes over the festive season's best small-screen offerings, from new dramas to traditional treats and classic movies. Shown last Mon C4 (AD) **10.30 First Dates at Christmas** Jeweller Phoebe will be hoping that portrait artist Charlie is the gem she's looking for. **11.35** RT **CHOICE The Kardashians: Billion Dollar Dynasty** *1/2.* This two-part documentary explores how the Kardashians built a family brand that secured them enormous wealth. Continues tomorrow 9pm Channel 4. **See p51.** Shown 9pm Channel 4 (AD) **12.40am** The Great Pottery Throw Down (AD) **1.55** The Great New Year Bake Off (AD) **3.20** Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It (AD) **4.15–5.15am** Sarah Beeny's New Life in the Country (AD)

4seven **F'view** 49 **F'sat** 127 **Sky** 137 **Virgin** 143/**HD** 193

Quest 12

6.00am Mighty Trains (AD) **7.00** Plane Reclaimers (AD) **8.00** The Woodland Workshop **9.00** Nick Knowles Heritage Rescue **10.00** The Repair Shop **11.00** Salvage Hunters **2.00pm** The Yorkshire Auction House **3.00** Shed and Buried **5.00** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **7.00** The Woodland Workshop: master-crafters in the New Forest unite to build extraordinary items **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** The Repair Shop: a saxophone that hasn't made a sound in more than 40 years **10.00** Outback Opal Hunters **11.00** Gem Hunters Down Under **12 midnight** Robson Green's Australian Adventure **1.00am** World's Greatest Motorcycle Rides **3.00** Fifth Gear Recharged **4.00–5.00am** How It's Made

Quest **Freeview** 12 **Freesat** 172/**HD** 167 **Sky** 144 **Virgin** 169
+1 **Freeview** 70 **Freesat** 168 **Sky** 244 **Virgin** 213

Yesterday 27

'Allo 'Allo! *8.00pm* René's cafe is used to conceal two British airmen

6.00am Impossible Engineering (AD) **8.00** Churchill's Bodyguard: four editions **12 noon** Hornby: a Model World: four back-to-back editions (AD) **4.00pm** Bangers and Cash: two editions of the series (AD) **6.00pm Bangers and Cash** Derek is given a tour of Hadlow Castle in Kent when he arrives to collect the owner's pre-war Alvis. (AD) **7.00** Derek picks up two Batmobile replicas in the home counties and Dave can't control his enthusiasm for a Ford US wartime jeep. (AD) **8.00 'Allo 'Allo!** First episode of the Second World War comedy. The Resistance uses René's cafe to conceal two British airmen. **8.50** Herr Flick tries to trace a valuable painting in the village, so René and the Colonel decide to smuggle it out. **9.25** A case of mistaken identity prompts communist partisans to capture the disguised airmen, leaving René to mastermind a plan. **10.00 Bangers and Cash** As 6pm. **11.00 Bangers and Cash: Restoring Classics** The team gambles on restoring a Vanden Plas saloon from the 1970s and a child's tricycle from the 1960s. (AD) **12 midnight** Bangers and Cash (AD) **1.00–3.00am** Impossible Engineering (AD)

Yesterday **Freeview** 27 **Freesat** 159 **Sky** 155 **Virgin** 129
+1 **Freeview** 75 **Sky** 255 **Virgin** 217

Dave 19

7.10am Lazy Boy Garage: double bill (AD) **8.00** Rick Stein's French Odyssey **9.00** Soapbox Race **11.00** Top Gear (AD) **2.00pm** James May's Cars of the People (AD) **3.00** Soapbox Race 2022 **4.00** Room 101 **6.00pm Top Gear** Jeremy Clarkson, Richard Hammond and James May put a trio of supercars, including McLaren's MP4-12C, through their paces in Italy. (AD) **7.00 Special Ops: Crime Squad UK** Crimes in Kent and Manchester. (AD) **8.00 QI XL** Extended edition. With Sarah Millican, Ross Noble and Colin Lane. **9.00 Have I Got a Bit More News for You** Satirical current affairs quiz hosted by Clive Myrie, with Andy Hamilton and Helen Lewis. **10.00 Mock the Week** Host Dara O Briain is joined by guests Ed Byrne, Ed Gamble, Kerry Godliman, Nish Kumar and Rachel Parris. **10.40 QI** Stephen Fry poses some unusual questions about jelly, jam and juice to Jo Brand, Liza Tarbuck and Sue Perkins. **11.20 Would I Lie to You?** With Dion Dublin, Debbie McGee, Bob Mortimer and Lucy Porter. **12 midnight** Red Dwarf (AD) **2.00am** Have I Got a Bit More News for You **3.00–4.00am** The Misadventures of Romesh Ranganathan (AD)

Dave **F'view** 19 **F'sat** 157 **Sky** 111 (Wales 112) **Virgin HD** 127
Dave Ja Vu **Freeview** 74 **Sky** 211 (Wales 212) **Virgin** 131

London Live 8

6.00am London's Weekend **7.00** The Chiffy Kids **8.00** The Prisoner **9.00** Europe's Wilderness **10.00** The World's Most Incredible Hotels **11.00 FILM** The Way Ahead ★★★★ Second World War drama starring David Niven (BW) **1.20pm FILM** Death of a Salesman ★★★ Adaptation of Arthur Miller's celebrated stage play **4.05** Solo for Sparrow **5.15 FILM** One Hour to Zero ★★★ Mystery drama **6.30** Tabernacle Choir: Music and Words **7.00** Skies above Britain **8.00** My Greek Odyssey **9.00 FILM** Jeffrey ★★★★ Romantic comedy **11.00 FILM** Doorways ★★★ Comedy drama thriller **12.45am** London Live Film Festival **1.40** London Districts **1.55** An Englishman in New York **3.30** News Rewind **5.00–6.00am** Talking Points

London Live **Freeview** 8 **Sky** 117 **Virgin HD** 159
Other regional stations are available on Freeview 7 or 8 around the country

5 USA 21

9.00am Columbo: four episodes (AD) **5.00pm** Columbo: double bill. A health-club owner murders his business partner and makes it look like an accident, then a vineyard owner kills his brother to protect his business interests and makes the crime look like a scuba-diving accident (AD) **9.00** Lucifer: double bill. *Series 3.* After hearing that Candy is missing, Lucifer heads to Vegas to find her, then a serial killer from Lucifer's past resurfaces **11.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit *Series 19.* Noah is kidnapped **12 midnight** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: triple bill **2.55am** The Blacklist: Red and Liz go under cover to stop an assassin **3.35–4.00am** Street Crime UK: Caught on Camera

5 USA **Freeview** 21 **Freesat** 129 **Sky** 141 **Virgin** 153
+1 **Freesat** 130 **Sky** 241 **Virgin** 185

5 Star 32

8.00am Entertainment News **8.10** Call the Bailiffs: Time to Pay Up **1.00pm** Traffic Cops **3.00** Traffic Cops: on the Edge **5.00pm** Police Interceptors: double bill **7.00pm Police Interceptors** The driver of a stolen VW Beetle flouts the Highway Code. **8.00** A routine check on a car uncovers a case of suspected drug dealing. **9.00 FILM Shutter Island** ★★★ Mystery thriller starring Leonardo DiCaprio. In 1950s Boston, US marshal Teddy Daniels is called upon to investigate the disappearance of a female murderer from an institution for the criminally insane. But Teddy's work becomes hampered by misinformation. **Review p57.** **11.50 FILM Godzilla** ★★★ Monster movie starring Aaron Taylor-Johnson. When two giant monsters begin tearing their way from Japan to America, humanity struggles to find a way to stop them. Then the mysterious giant creature known as Godzilla, last seen in the 1950s, emerges to take the pair on. **2.15am** Gabby Petito: the Murder That Gripped the World **3.35–4.00am** Criminals: Caught on Camera

5 Star **Freeview** 32 **Freesat** 131 **Sky** 128 **Virgin** 151
+1 **Freesat** 141 **Sky** 228 **Virgin** 186

5 Action 33

9.00am Trucking Hell **10.00** ***New.*** Wrestling **11.00** Wrestling **11.55** Entertainment News **12.05pm** Police Interceptors **3.10 FILM** Attack on the Iron Coast ★★ Second World War drama starring Lloyd Bridges **5.05 FILM** Apache ★★★★ Western starring Burt Lancaster **6.55pm FILM Destry** ★★★ Western with Audie Murphy. An unarmed lawman's attempts to bring order to a chaotic town attract the attention of the local saloon's singer. **9.00 FILM True Grit** ★★★★ Remake of the John Wayne western from the Coen brothers, starring Jeff Bridges and Matt Damon. When farmer Frank Ross is murdered by a hired hand, his teenage daughter Mattie decides to take the matter in hand and find a man with "true grit" to bring the killer to justice. **11.20 FILM Tombstone** ★★★★ Western starring Kurt Russell and Val Kilmer. Arizona 1879: Wyatt Earp arrives in Tombstone to start a business, his career as a lawman behind him. But, with the town in the grip of an organised crime ring, he is soon forced to take up arms. **1.00am** Police: Night Shift 999: triple bill **4.50–5.00am** Entertainment News

5 Action **F'view** 33 **F'sat** 132 **Sky** 150 **Virgin** 187/**HD** 150

5 Select 56

9.00am GPs: behind Closed Doors: triple bill (AD) **12 noon** Secrets of the Royal Palaces **6.00pm Secrets of the Royal Palaces** A look at the tragic history of Holyroodhouse, the royal residence in Edinburgh. **7.00** Exploring the Palace of St James in London, built by Henry VIII for Anne Boleyn, who was executed before it was finished. **8.00 Diana: the Curse of the Spencers** Documentary examining the difficult upbringing of Diana, Princess of Wales. **9.30 Royal Servants in Their Own Words** Stories from the royal household's staff. **11.00 Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild** Ben revisits the Watkinson family, who live on a mountainside in Pembrokeshire. **12 midnight** A Farm through Time **1.00am** The Yorkshire Vet **2.00** Walking Britain's Lost Railways **3.45–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Select **F'view** (HD only) 56 **F'sat** 133 **Sky** 153 **Virgin** 152

FREEVIEW TV and film channels continue overleaf

BBC News **Freeview** 231 **Freesat** 212 **Sky** 503 **Virgin** 601 **Sky News** **Freeview** 233 **Freesat** 202 **Sky** 501 **Virgin** 603 **BT** 313

SUNDAY Freeview & films

W 25

DNA Family Secrets *9.00pm* Stacey Dooley breaks the news

6.10am Tipping Point (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Property Brothers: Double Down (S) (HD) **3.00** My Family (S)

7.00pm Alex Jones: Making Babies *1/10.* Presenter Alex Jones starts her training as a fertility assistant at King's Fertility, London. (AD) (HD)

8.00 Inside the Operating Theatre *1/10.* Seven-year-old Nancy has an operation to straighten her squint. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 DNA Family Secrets *2/3 Series 1.* Stacey Dooley meets a woman who fears she may carry a genetic mutation. (HD)

10.20 Louis Theroux: Mothers on the Edge The film-maker spends time in two specialist psychiatric units in the UK. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.40 Louis Theroux: Dark States – Trafficking Sex *2/3* Louis explores the sex trade in Houston. (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00am Fashion's Dirty Secrets: Stacey Dooley Investigates (S) (AD) (HD) **2.10–3.00am** Tipping Point (S) (HD)

W **F'view** 25 **F'sat** 156 **Sky** 132 **Virgin HD** 125 **+1** **Sky** 232 **Virgin** 190

Pick 36

6.00am Border Patrol **8.00** Highway Patrol **10.00** Motorway Patrol (AD) **11.00** Neighbourhood Blues **12 noon** The Chase Celebrity Special **2.00pm** Agatha Raisin (AD) **4.00** Highway Cops (AD) **5.00** Caught Red Handed: triple bill **7.00** Motorway Patrol **8.00** Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK: police officers in west Wales deal with a dangerous domestic incident **9.00** The Killer Within: a man who blamed evil spirits for the murder of his wife **10.00** Killer in My Village: a look at the murder of Natalie Jarvis, a 24-year-old woman who was stabbed to death by her boyfriend in October 2012 **11.00** Britain's Most Evil Killers **1.00am** Caught on Dashcam **2.00** Motorway Patrol: four episodes **4.00–6.00am** Border Patrol

Pick **F'view** 36 **F'sat** 144 **Sky** 151 **Virgin** 156

HGTV 44

7.00am Love Your Garden **10.00** The Restoration Man **3.00pm** A Place in the Sun **6.00pm** A Place in the Sun **8.00** My Dream Derelict Home in the Sun: salvaging a neglected presbytery in Normandy on a tight budget **9.00** The Restoration Man: double bill. A water tower in Congleton, Cheshire, needs attention, then a rural Cumbrian church is turned into a dream home **11.00** 100 Day Dream Home: double bill. Newlyweds build their dream home in Tampa, Florida, then a young family wants to build a home on a two-acre lot in Florida (AD) **1.00am** For the Love of Kitchens: a chef's kitchen **2.00** Love Your Garden **3.00–4.00am** The Restoration Man

HGTV **F'view** 44 **F'sat** 166 **Sky** 158 **Virgin** 286 **+1** **Sky** 258 **Virgin** 290

FREEVIEW channels continued from overleaf

Food Network 43

Jamie's Great Britain *9.00pm* Visiting east London

6.00am Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives (S) (HD) **8.00** Cake Boss (S) (HD) **1.00pm** James Martin's Brittany (S) **3.00** The Great British Bake Off: three editions (S) **6.00pm** The Great British Bake Off: three editions. The British classic, the pudding, takes centre-stage today as the five remaining contestants arrive in Bakewell, Derbyshire **7.00** The penultimate round sees the remaining contestants arrive in Mousehole, Cornwall, to take on the most difficult of all baking skills: pastry **8.00** The three remaining contestants head for Fulham Palace in London for the grand final, where they are challenged to re-create a 19th-century tea party (S) **9.00** Jamie's Great Britain: Jamie Oliver tours the length and breadth of the nation to discover the origins of the UK's favourite dishes, visiting east London in the first edition (S) (HD) **10.00** Restaurant: Impossible: triple bill (HD) **1.30am** Diners, Drive-Ins and Dives (HD) **2.00–3.00am** Michel Roux's French Country Cooking (S) (AD) (HD)

Food Network **Freeview** 43 **Freesat** 148 **Sky** 140 **Virgin** 285

Great TV 50

6.00am Highway to Heaven **11.00** Murder, She Wrote **6.00pm** Murder, She Wrote: triple bill. A missing Mark Twain manuscript proves to be only the first chapter in a story of forgery, arson and murder **7.00** Jessica visits a country music star **8.00** Jessica and old friend Dr Seth Hazlitt are kidnapped by the vengeful son of a mobster who died of his wounds while in the medic's care **9.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **1.00am** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased) **2.00–6.00am** Body of Proof

Great TV **Freeview** 50 *(limited)* **Freesat** 142 **Sky** 157 **Virgin** 189 **+1** **Freesat** 143 **Sky** 257

RealityXtra 68

9.00am 48 Hours **12 noon** Fatal Vows **2.00pm** Medical Detectives: six editions. A single mother goes missing **2.30** The deadliest highway in America **3.00** Navy lieutenant Lee Hartley is murdered **3.30** The use of DNA in solving crime **4.00** A mortally wounded woman crawls to call 911 **4.30** A case of thallium poisoning **5.00** Judge Judy: 17 editions **12.05am** World's Most Unexplained **1.00** Perry Mason **3.00–6.00am** 48 Hours

RealityXtra **Freeview** 68 **Freesat** 134 **Sky** 147 **Virgin** 197

BBC Parliament 232

BBC News simulcast, with news every hour plus: **6.00am** Breakfast **9.00** Laura Kuenssberg **10.30** as 2.30pm **11.30** as 4.30pm **12.30pm** Click **1.30** Media Show **2.30** Extreme Conservation **3.30** HARDtalk **4.30** Travel **5.30** Media Show **6.00** BBC News **7.30** Sportsday **7.45** Click **8.30** Travel **9.30** Big Cases **10.30** Papers **10.45** Click **11.00** Newsday **11.30** Papers **11.45** Travel **12 midnight** Newsday **12.30am** HARDtalk **1.00** Newsday **1.30** as 2.30pm **2.30** Big Cases **3.30** Media Show **4.30** HARDtalk **5.30–6.00am** Business News

BBC Parliament **Freeview** 232 **Freesat** 201 **Sky** 504 **Virgin** 605

PBS America 84

Egyptian Tomb Hunting *8.05pm* Tony Robinson

8.00am The True Story of King Tut's Treasure **9.10** Egypt's Lost Cities **11.05** Egyptian Tomb Hunting **1.00pm** Muhammad Ali (S) **3.35** Jazz (S)

4.55pm Jazz *4/12.* How New York became America's jazz capital during the Great Depression.

6.10 Egypt's Lost Cities Dallas Campbell and Liz Bonnin join Dr Sarah Parcak on a journey to Egypt to find out whether cities, temples and pyramids are lying beneath the sands.

8.05 Egyptian Tomb Hunting *1/2.* Tony Robinson searches for a pharaoh's lost pyramid in Cairo and examines the remains of an Ancient Egyptian prime minister in Luxor. **9.00** *2/2.* Tony Robinson enters tombs that have been sealed shut, discovering hieroglyphs that have only ever been seen by the Ancient Egyptians who created them.

10.05 Egypt's Lost Cities As 6.10pm.

12 midnight–2.00am Egyptian Tomb Hunting

PBS America **F'view** 84 (1pm-12 midnight only) **Freesat** 155 **Sky** 174 **Virgin** 273

Blaze 64

6.00am Banned from the Bible **7.00** Deep Water Salvage **8.00** Conspiracy Files: Unsealed **10.00** The UnXplained with William Shatner **11.00** The Flatwoods Monster **12 noon** Top Secret UFO Projects Declassified **1.00pm** Westall '66: a Suburban UFO Mystery **2.00** Close Encounters Down Under **3.00** MysteryQuest **8.00** The Curse of Oak Island **9.00** ***New.*** Deep Water Salvage: the team at America's largest shipwreck must remove 4,000 wrecked cars **10.00** Cutty Sark: Out of the Ashes: Ben Fogle commemorates the 140th anniversary of the ship **11.00** The UnXplained with William Shatner **1.00am** Paranormal Survivor **2.00** Uncharted Mysteries **3.00** Wicked Tuna **5.00–6.00am** Counting Cars

Blaze **F'view** 64 **F'sat** 162 **Sky** 164 **Virgin** 199

Challenge 48

7.00am The Chase **9.00** Wheel of Fortune (AD) **10.30** Family Fortunes (AD) **12.30pm** Bruce's Price Is Right (AD) **1.30** Play Your Cards Right: Bruce Forsyth offers contestants the chance to win big cash prizes on the turn of a card **3.00** Lily Savage's Blankety Blank: three editions of the comedy quiz show featuring celebrity guests. Presented by Lily Savage **5.00** The Chase: four editions **9.00** The Celebrity Chase: Bradley Walsh presents as *EastEnders* star Charlie Brooks, paralympian Richard Whitehead, comedian Shappi Khorsandi and presenter David Dickinson pit their wits against ruthless quiz genius the Chaser in the hope of winning a potential prize pot worth thousands of pounds **10.00–6.00am** The Chase

Challenge **Freeview** 48 **Freesat** 146 **Sky** 145 **Virgin** 160

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

5.35am Peppa Pig **5.40** Paw Patrol **5.50** Pip and Posy **6.00** Peppa Pig **6.10** Pip and Posy **6.20** Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom **6.30** Shane the Chef **6.40** Noddy: Toyland Detective **6.55** Fireman Sam **7.05** Thomas & Friends **7.15** Pip and Posy **7.25** Peppa Pig **7.30** Paw Patrol **7.40** Baby Shark's Big Show! **8.00** Pirata & Capitano **8.25** Santiago of the Seas **8.40** The Adventures of Paddington **8.50** Pop Paper City **9.00** Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom **9.15** Cooking with the Gills **9.30** ***New.*** Show Me How… **9.35** Mimi's World **9.50–10.00am** The World According to Grandpa

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CBeebies 202

6.00am Baby Jake **6.10** Twirlywoos **6.25** Bing **6.30** Love Monster **6.40** Chuggington **6.50** Go Jetters **7.00** Postman Pat: SDS **7.15** Bing **7.35** Hey Duggee **7.50** Go Jetters **8.00** Peter Rabbit **8.15** Octonauts **8.25** Chuggington **8.35** Bitz & Bob **8.50** The Furchester Hotel **9.00** Something Special **9.25** Bluey **9.40** Hey Duggee **9.55** Supertato **10.00** ***New.*** Spidey and His Amazing Friends **10.25** ***New.*** Pfffirates **10.35** Swashbuckle **11.00** Pinocchio and Friends **11.10** Dog Loves Books **11.15** Tee and Mo **11.25** Kiri & Lou **11.30** Colourblocks **11.35** Olga Da Polga **11.50** JoJo & Gran Gran **12 noon** ***New.*** Big Cook Little Cook **12.20pm** Old Jack's Boat: Rockpool Tales **12.35** Hey Duggee **12.40** Messy Goes to OKIDO **1.00** Bitz & Bob **1.10** Love Monster **1.25** Go Jetters **1.45** Dog Loves Books **1.55** Timmy Time **2.00** Something Special **2.20** Ranger Hamza's Eco Quest **2.35** Molly and Mack **2.50** Kiri & Lou **2.55** Pablo **3.05** Supertato **3.10** Dog Squad **3.25** Apple Tree House **3.40** Andy's Wild Adventures **3.50** Roots and Fruits **4.00** Hey Duggee **4.05** Magic Hands **4.15** Treasure Champs **4.30** Supertato **4.35** Bluey **4.45** Andy's Aquatic Adventures **5.00** Ranger Hamza's Eco Quest **5.15** Princess Mirror-Belle **5.35** Nick Cope's Popcast **5.45** Sarah & Duck **5.50** Charlie and Lola **6.05** Tee and Mo **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden… **6.50–7.00pm** CBeebies Bedtime Stories

CBeebies **F'view** 202 **F'sat** 608 **Sky** 608 **Virgin** 702

CBBC 201

7.00am Shaun the Sheep **7.05** Sketchy Comedy **7.10** Danger Mouse **7.20** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **7.35** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **7.45** Newsround **7.50** Ninja Express **8.05** Odd Squad **8.15** Oswaldo **8.30** ***New.*** The Dengineers **9.00** Blue Peter **9.30** ***New.*** Love! Love! Love! **9.50** Monster Loving Maniacs **10.25** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **11.00** Oswaldo **11.35** One Zoo Three **11.55** The Dengineers **12.25pm** Horrible Histories **1.20** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **1.55** Danger Mouse **2.30** Dennis & Gnasher Unleashed! **3.05** Ninja Express **3.20** Bro's in Control **3.35** Operation Ouch! **4.05** Theodosia **4.25** The Next Step **4.50** Jamie Johnson **5.20** The Dumping Ground **5.45** Malory Towers **6.10** Book of Dragons: animated short based on the 2010 fantasy film *How to Train Your Dragon* **6.30–7.00pm** Horrible Histories

CBBC **F'view** 201 **F'sat** 607 **Sky** 607 **Virgin** 701

CITV

6.00am Dare Master **6.05** The Rubbish World of Dave Spud **6.40** Lloyd of the Flies **7.05** Lego Marvel Avengers: Loki in Training **7.30** Dorg Van Dango **8.00** Dodo **8.25** Lloyd of the Flies **8.55** How **9.25** Dare Master **9.30** Be Cool, Scooby-Doo! **10.30** Lego Marvel Avengers: Climate Conundrum **11.25** Teen Titans Go! **12.55pm** Tata and Kuma **1.00** Don't Unleash the Beast **1.30** Mini Movies **2.00** DC Super Hero Girls **3.00** Inspector Gadget **4.00** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **5.00** Scooby-Doo! Mystery Incorporated **6.25** Tata and Kuma **6.30** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **7.30** The Rubbish World of Dave Spud **7.55** Don't Unleash the Beast **8.25** Mini Movies **8.55–9.00pm** Mission Employable

CITV **F'view** 203 **F'sat** 602 **Sky** 612 **Virgin** 734

FILMS

Film4 14

11.00am Turner & Hooch ★★★ Tom Hanks stars as a detective who teams up with a slobby dog in this enjoyable comedy. (1989, PG) (S) (AD)

1.05pm The Hound of the Baskervilles ★★★★★ Peter Cushing gives one of his finest ever performances as unflappable Baker Street sleuth Sherlock Holmes. André Morell, Christopher Lee (1959, PG) (S) (AD)

2.50 A Dog's Purpose ★★ Family adventure that aims for adorable weepie but overdoes the schmaltz. Britt Robertson (2017, PG) (S)

4.50 Monsters vs Aliens ★★★★ Five freaks of nature stave off an alien invasion in this charming and ingeniously detailed cartoon caper. Reese Witherspoon, Seth Rogen (2009, PG) (S)

6.45pm The Eagle ★★★ Historical drama in which a Roman commander and his slave venture beyond Hadrian's Wall to retrieve a ceremonial standard. **Review, right.** Channing Tatum, (2010, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Bad Boys II ★★ Will Smith and Martin Lawrence reteam for this high-octane but overlong comedy thriller sequel. (2003, 15) (S)

11.55 Blockers ★★★★ Raucous and refreshing comedy in which parents attempt to foil the party plans of their daughters. Ike Barinholtz, Leslie Mann, John Cena (2018, 15) (S) (AD)

1.55–4.00am Heal the Living ★★★★ Sensitive and moving French medical drama. Tahar Rahim, Emmanuelle Seigner, Anne Dorval (2016, 12)

Film4 **Freeview** 14 **Freesat** 300 **Sky** 313 **Virgin** 428/HD 429 **+1** **F'view** 47 **F'sat** 301 **Sky** 314 **Virgin** 430

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6.00am Mods and Rockers Short film following a romance. **6.30 The Outlaw** ★★★ Most notable for Jane Russell's impressively cantilevered cleavage, this laid-back western about Billy the Kid and his gang also boasts some memorably salty dialogue. (1943, U) (S) **8.45 The Earth Dies Screaming** ★ Disastrous sci-fi tale from veteran Hammer director Terence Fisher. Willard Parker (1964, PG) (S) **10.00 The Saint: Vendetta for the Saint** Action adventure starring Roger Moore. (S) **12.15pm Operation Amsterdam** ★★★ Effective Second World War drama about a bunch of spies sent into Holland to recover a hoard of industrial diamonds before the Nazis can get to them. (1958, PG) (S) **2.25 North West Frontier** ★★★ Kenneth More gives an assured performance as the soldier entrusted with the safety of a Hindu prince in this cracking adventure. (1959, U) (S) **5.00 The Footage Detectives** Caravanning in the 1960s. (S) **6.00pm The Saint** TV thriller. (S) **7.00 Ransom** ★ Confusing action drama. Sean Connery, Ian McShane (1975, PG) **9.00 The Onedin Line** TV drama starring Peter Gilmore. (S) **10.00 In Cold Blood** ★★★★ Grim but engrossing adaptation of Truman Capote's book about the brutal slayings of a Kansas family in 1959. Robert Blake, Scott Wilson (1967, 15) (S) **12.45am The Winter Guest** ★★★ Touching drama about a widow trying to come to terms with grief. Emma Thompson (1996, 15) (S) **2.55 The Heritage Chart Show with Mike Read** Songs you love from popular artists. **4.00–5.45am Afraid of the Dark** ★★★ Eerily effective thriller in which James Fox's cop attempts to keep his family safe from a psycho. Fanny Ardant (1991, 18) (S)

Talking Pictures TV **Freeview** 82 **Freesat** 306 **Sky** 328 **Virgin** 445

ALL PROGRAMMES ON THE ABOVE CHANNELS ARE REPEATS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

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Sky Premiere

6.25am P **The Last Son** As 6.05pm **8.20 Hounded** As 4.20pm **10.10 Operation Mincemeat** As 8pm **12.25pm The Bad Guys** ★★★ Witty animation about a gang of criminal critters. Sam Rockwell (2022, U) **2.10 Downton Abbey: a New Era** ★★★★ Beautifully tailored second outing for the Crawley clan. Hugh Bonneville, Elizabeth McGovern (2022, PG) **4.20 Hounded** ★★ Satirical British survival horror. Samantha Bond (2022, 15) **6.05pm** P **The Last Son** ★★ Intriguing western. Sam Worthington (2021, 15) **8.00 Operation Mincemeat** ★★★★ Captivating re-enactment of a bizarre wartime mission. **Review p38.** Colin Firth (2022, 12) **10.10 Crimes of the Future** ★★★★ David Cronenberg's wonderfully weird sci-fi horror. **Review p38.** Léa Seydoux (2022, 18) **12 midnight Fantastic Beasts: the Secrets of Dumbledore** ★★★★ Thrilling, satisfying finale to the *Harry Potter* prequel series. Eddie Redmayne (2022, 12) **2.25am Downton Abbey: a New Era** As 2.10pm **4.35 The Bad Guys** As 12.25pm

Sky Premiere Sky 301 **Virgin** 401 **BT** 501/**HD** 515 **+1 Sky** 312

Great Movies 34

9.00am Lost Letter Mysteries: Truth Be Told **10.50** Lost Letter Mysteries: the Impossible Dream **12.35pm** Lost Letter Mysteries: From the Heart **2.25 Bill & Ted's Excellent Adventure** ★★★★ Gloriously dumb comedy about two slackers who try to avoid flunking an exam. Keanu Reeves (1988, PG) **4.15 Mean Girls** ★★★★ Smart, dark teen comedy in which Lindsay Lohan struggles to find her way at school. **Review p107.** (2004, 12) **6.20pm Eat Pray Love** ★★ Sumptuously filmed guide to living well. Julia Roberts, James Franco (2010, 15) **9.00 Erin Brockovich** ★★★★ Compelling biopic in which a spirited campaigner takes on a big-business polluter. Julia Roberts (2000, 15) **11.40 Whiplash** ★★★★★ Miles Teller is the aspiring drummer and JK Simmons his tough-love tutor in this blistering drama. (2014, 15) **1.55am Tracker** ★★★ Satisfying Kiwi western. Ray Winstone, Temuera Morrison (2010, 12) **4.00–5.50am** Garage Sale Mysteries: the Wedding Dress

Great Movies Freeview 34 **Freesat** 302 **Sky** 321 **Virgin** 425 **+1 Freeview** 61 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **Sky** 322

Great Romance 52

6.00am Sincerely, Yours, Truly ★★ Romance. Natalie Hall (2020) **7.45 The Birthday Wish** ★★ A glimpse of the future. (2017) **9.30 Hint of Love** ★★ Romance. (2020) **11.15 Strawberry Summer** ★★ Romcom drama. (2012) **1.00pm Blue Moon Ball** ★★ Sweet but vapid drama. (2021) **2.45 Home by Spring** ★★ Watchable romance. (2018) **4.30 Forever in My Heart** ★★ An Irish affair. Merritt Patterson (2019) **6.15pm Love, Bubbles & Crystal Cove** ★★ Romantic yarn. (2021) **8.00 A Vineyard Romance** ★★ Sunny romantic drama. (2021) **10.00 Love's Complicated** ★★ Rote TV-movie romance. (2016) **11.45 A Wish Come True** ★★ Romantic comedy. Megan Park (2015) **1.30am Love at Sunset Terrace** ★★ Amiable romance. (2020) **3.00 Autumn in the Vineyard** ★★ Picturesque romcom. (2016) **4.30–6.00am Romance Retreat** ★★ A yoga love match? Amanda Schull (2019)

Great Romance Freeview 52 *(limited)* **Freesat** 303 **Sky** 319 **Virgin** 424 **+1 F'view** 63 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **F'sat** 304 **Sky** 320

TCM Movies

6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.10** Off Set **7.50** The Man from UNCLE: five episodes **1.20pm Sierra Passage** ★★★ Watchable B-western about a boy who vows revenge on the men who killed his father. Wayne Morris (1950) **3.00 Copper Canyon** ★★★ Convoluted but incredibly stylish western starring Hedy Lamarr and Ray Milland. (1950, U) **4.45 Guns for San Sebastian** ★★ Bombastic western with a great score from Ennio Morricone. (1968, PG) **7.00pm A Thunder of Drums** ★★★ A bitter cavalry captain and an inexperienced lieutenant clash in this well-made western drama. (1961) **9.00 Hatfields and McCoys: Bad Blood** ★★ Christian Slater stars in this ropey TV-movie. Jeff Fahey (2012) **10.45 The Man from UNCLE** ★★★ The Swinging Sixties TV spy series gets an enjoyable movie makeover. Henry Cavill, Armie Hammer (2015, 12) **1.10am Young Guns** ★★★ Pacey western about the life of Billy the Kid. Emilio Estevez, Kiefer Sutherland (1988, 18) **3.20** Off Set **4.00** Close Up **5.00** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM Movies Sky 315 **Virgin** 415/**HD** 416 **+1 Sky** 316 **Virgin** 417

Great Movies Action 42

6.00am Field Punishment No 1 ★★ Shocking war story. (2014) **7.40 Atlantic Convoy** ★★ Cheaply made drama. (1942, U) **9.05 Hell below Zero** ★★★ Solid adventure yarn. Alan Ladd (1954, U) **11.00 Bitter Victory** ★★★ Taut war drama. Richard Burton (1957, PG) **1.05pm Stranger on Horseback** ★★★ Solid western. Joel McCrea (1955, PG) **2.30 Domino Kid** ★★ Western. (1957, U) **4.05 Apache Ambush** ★★★ Decent low-budget western. Bill Williams (1955, PG) **5.30 Battle of Rogue River** ★★★ Entertaining B-western. (1954, U) **7.00pm Fort Yuma** ★★ Action-packed western. Peter Graves (1955) **8.30 Wild West Chronicles** Drama documentary. **9.00 Extraction** ★★ Hastily assembled action yarn. Kellan Lutz (2015, 15) **10.50 Black Water** ★★ Action thriller. Jean-Claude Van Damme (2018, 15) **12.55am Transsiberian** ★★★ Intriguing and clever thriller. Woody Harrelson (2008, 15) **3.05–4.00am** Bombers of the Second World War

Great Movies Action Freeview 42 *(limited)* **F'sat** 305 **Sky** 323 **Virgin** 426 **+1 Sky** 324

Legend 41

7.00am Special Unit 2 **8.00 Ghost Storm** ★★ Straight-faced sci-fi horror. Crystal Allen (2012) **10.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation: five episodes **3.00pm Primal Force** ★ Derivative humans-in-peril-from-mutants adventure. Ron Perlman (1999, 15) **4.50 Ape vs Monster** ★ Two CGI titans battle it out in this low-budget *Godzilla vs Kong* mockbuster. (2021, 12) **6.40pm Eye of the Beast** ★★ The people of a small town battle a giant squid in this over-the-top horror thriller. James Van Der Beek (2007) **8.30 The Twilight Zone** TV sci-fi. **9.00 Tales That Witness Madness** ★★ Kim Novak, Donald Pleasance and Jack Hawkins star in four creepy horror stories. (1973, 18) **10.50 Horror Hospital** ★★ Fitfully amusing comedy horror about an aspiring musician who goes to a hotel, but finds mayhem. (1973, 18) **12.40am The Shed** ★★ Stylish horror drama. Jay Jay Warren, Cody Kostro (2019, 15) **2.35–4.30am Extreme Prejudice** ★★★ Two friends end up on opposite sides of the law in this tough action thriller. Nick Nolte (1987, 18)

Legend F'view 41 **F'sat** 137 **Sky** 148 **Virgin** 149

FILM REVIEWS

FILM OF THE DAY

Pulp Fiction ★★★★★

10.00pm-12.55am ***C4*** 18

CRIME DRAMA Quentin Tarantino's hip LA crime compendium is still thrilling to watch over 25 years after its release, not least for its sudden flourishes of violence and the quotable cool of its Oscar-winning dialogue. It's also worth noting the director's innate knack for casting. After this, John Travolta's career was given a new lease of life, Samuel L Jackson joined the A-list, and Uma Thurman provided the inspiration for "The Bride" in *Kill Bill*. *Pulp Fiction* is a gift, and Tarantino's deep love of cinema is in every frame. **ANDREW COLLINS** (US 1994, violence, swearing, sex scenes, drug abuse, nudity, HD)

We Bought a Zoo ★★★

1.25-3.50pm ***C4*** PG

DRAMA This cute tale sees a widower (a winningly wry Matt Damon) move with his two children from the city to a wildlife park in California, an upheaval that proves traumatic for his teenage son (Colin Ford). The father/son tension gives the film its pulse, and Ford's intensity tempers director Cameron Crowe's sentimental urges. **STELLA PAPAMICHAEL** (US 2011, edited for language, HD)

Mrs Caldicot's Cabbage War ★★

2.20-4.40pm ***C5*** 12

DRAMA This adaptation of Vernon Coleman's novel has initial promise, as Pauline Collins comes to embrace her new-found widowhood. Her son (Peter Capaldi) then puts her in a rest home, and the story takes a more conventional turn, with its gallows humour replaced by a glutinous plea for a revision of society's attitude towards the elderly. **DAVID PARKINSON** (UK 2000, edited for content, HD)

Maid in Manhattan ★★

3.50-5.50pm ***C4*** PG

ROMCOM Jennifer Lopez stars in this sugary fairy tale, playing a hotel maid and single parent. Ralph Fiennes is the senatorial candidate who falls for her, believing she's a socialite. While the leads are unconvincing in their roles, there's enough warmth to give this wide appeal. **SLOAN FREER** (US 2002, edited for language, HD)

The Scorpion King ★★★

4.55-6.35pm ***ITV1*** 12

FANTASY Director Chuck Russell's spin-off from *The Mummy Returns* is fine escapist hokum. When an evil warlord (Steven Brand) enslaves half the tribes in the desert, he is opposed by a lone warrior. Dwayne Johnson gives a star-making performance as the hero in an enjoyably unpretentious yarn. **ALAN JONES** (US/Ger 2002, may be edited for violence, HD)

The Eagle ★★★

6.45-9.00pm ***Film4*** 12

ADVENTURE A Roman commander ventures into the wilds beyond Hadrian's Wall to clear his family name in this gritty tale. Channing Tatum brings plenty of brawn but a rather one-note brooding to the role of Marcus Aquila, and his relationship with a freed slave (Jamie Bell) lacks depth. But the film succeeds in delivering a convincing, rugged portrait of second-century life. **TREVOR JOHNSTON** (UK/US 2010, violence, HD)

Shutter Island ★★★

9.00-11.50pm ***5 Star*** 15

MYSTERY Leonardo DiCaprio's fourth film with director Martin Scorsese finds him playing a federal marshal investigating the disappearance of a patient at an isolated mental asylum. This 1950s-set puzzle movie has a psychodrama twist in the tale that some may see coming, but there is still fun to be had as Scorsese weaves his operatic thrills in the gothic surroundings. **AJ** (US 2009, violence, swearing, nudity, HD)

Mary Queen of Scots ★★★

10.00-11.55pm ***BBC2*** *(starts 9.00pm in Wales, 10.30pm in N Ireland)* 15

HISTORICAL The rivalry between royal cousins Mary Stuart (Saoirse Ronan) and Queen Elizabeth I (Margot Robbie) is brought to the screen in this uneven drama. Ronan is regal fearlessness personified and Robbie brings quiet dignity to her Virgin Queen. Sadly, there's a lack of spark between them that means Josie Rourke's feature debut often borders on boredom. **AJ** (UK 2018, violence, HD)

Legend ★★★

11.30pm-1.35am ***BBC1*** *(starts 12.30am in Scotland)* 18

DRAMA With a title denoting the pedestal on which it places its subjects, this biopic stars Tom Hardy as East End gangster twins Ronnie and Reggie Kray. The film fashions their reign of terror into a battle for Reggie's soul, and Hardy manages to overcome the deficiencies of the script to create two compelling characters. **EMMA SIMMONDS** (UK 2015, violence, swearing, HD)

Sky Cinema picks

Earth to Echo ★★★
1.00-2.30pm ***Sky Family***
Kids help an alien. (2014, PG)
Sky 306; Virgin 406; BT 506/520

Interstellar ★★★★ *5.40-8.30pm* ***Sky British Icons***
A Christopher Nolan double bill with *Inception*. (2014, 12)
Sky 304; Virgin 404; BT 504/518

Supernova ★★★ *10.20pm-12 midnight* ***Sky Drama***
Melancholy drama starring Colin Firth. (2020, 15)
Sky 310; Virgin 410; BT 510/524

Films to stream from p30
Netflix, Amazon, Disney+ and more

U - suitable for all; PG Parental Guidance - for general viewing, but some scenes may be unsuitable for young or sensitive children; 12,15,18 - for viewers of these ages and over.

Sky Showcase

Spector *9.00pm* The music producer's life and career

6.00am Abominable and the Invisible City (HD) **8.05** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **10.05** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **11.30** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Gangs of Lemur Island (S) (HD) **4.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD)

6.00pm Predators Following a wild dog pack in Zimbabwe. (S) (HD)

7.00 The Beatles: Eight Days a Week – the Touring Years ★★★★ Music documentary that focuses on the Fab Four's years as a live band. (S) (W) (HD)

9.00 Spector RT *1/4.* A look at the life and career of music producer Phil Spector, and the events preceding him shooting Lana Clarkson dead in 2003. **See page 51.** (HD)

10.00 *New.* Romantic Getaway *3/6.* Kethan wants Deacon to carry out a job for him. (HD) **10.30 *New.* *4/6.*** Deacon and Allison steal a Ferrari to pay their blackmailer's demands. (HD)

11.00 Brassic *1/6 Series 1.* Nigel, Vinnie and his crew become tangled up with a crime boss. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Road Wars (S) (HD) **1.00am** The Force: Manchester (S) (HD) **2.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Nothing to Declare (HD) **5.00–6.00am** The Early Rundown (HD)

Sky Showcase Sky 106 Virgin 110/HD 109 BT 340/HD 355 +1 Sky 206

Sky Sci-Fi

6.00am Fact or Faked: Paranormal Files **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00 FILM** Apocalypse of Ice ★ Sci-fi adventure starring Tom Sizemore. A pandemic-beleaguered world is hit by a vast storm **1.00pm** V

5.00pm Warehouse 13 *9/20 Series 4.* Artie and Leena stay in the Warehouse to find Adrian. **6.00** *10/20.* Pete, Myka, Claudia and Jinks try to thwart Artie's plan. **7.00** *11/20.* Pete, Myka, Claudia, and Steve race to reverse the sweating sickness that Artie has unleashed before it becomes a pandemic. The only problem is, they are succumbing themselves. **8.00** *12/20.* Pete and Claudia investigate murders involving a radical environmentalist group, while Artie tries to make a return to work.

9.00 Evil Dead ★★★★ Horror remake starring Jane Levy, Shiloh Fernandez and Lou Taylor Pucci. Four friends decamp to an isolated cabin in the woods to help drug addict Mia kick her habit. However, when one of them quotes from an ancient book of the dead, the forces of hell are unleashed and no one is safe.

11.00 Stan Lee's Lucky Man *5/10 Series 2.* Harry starts to grow suspicious of Isabella. **12 midnight** *6/10.* A hitman kills all the passengers on a charter flight.

1.00am Stargate SG-1: double bill **3.00** The Librarians: double bill **5.00–6.00am** Most Haunted

Sky Sci-Fi Sky 139 Virgin 139/HD 138 BT 348/HD 363 +1 Virgin 229

Sky Atlantic

Euphoria *10.10pm* Rue leaves rehab and returns to drugs

6.00am Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) **8.00** Storm City (S) (AD) **9.00** Urban Secrets (S) **10.00** Gomorrah (S) **1.15pm** The Sopranos (S) **3.30** True Blood: three editions (S)

6.45pm True Blood *1/10 Series 7* The human residents of Bon Temps find themselves working with the uninfected vampires. (S) **7.50** *2/10.* Sookie and Jason visit a nearby town, hoping to find out what the future holds for Bon Temps. Meanwhile, Lettie Mae searches for her family's past. (S)

9.00 Succession *9/10 Series 2* Logan, Kendall, Gerri and Tom testify before Congress, while Shiv speaks candidly to Kira, a victim set to be a key witness. (S) (AD)

10.10 Euphoria *1/8 Series 1* Provocative drama offering a fresh look at the complexities of teenage life in a social-media-obsessed world. Starring Zendaya. (S) (AD)

11.20 Britannia *1/9 Series 1* Historical drama, starring David Morrissey and Kelly Reilly. Nine decades after Caesar failed to conquer Britannia, the Roman army is back on the island. (S) (AD)

12.50am My Dad Wrote a Porno (S) (AD) **2.00** The Wire (S) **3.05** The Tunnel: Sabotage (S) (AD) **4.10** Richard E Grant's Hotel Secrets (S) (AD) **5.10–6.00am** Urban Secrets (S)

Sky Atlantic Sky 108 (Wales 109) BT 342/HD 357 +1 Sky 208 (Wales 209)

Sky Witness

6.00am UK Border Force (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Customs UK (S) (HD) **8.00** Border Patrol (S) **11.00** The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** 999 Frontline (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Sun, Sea and A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD)

6.00pm Nothing to Declare Officers uncover a backpack filled with drugs. (S) (HD) **6.30** A deadly parcel turns up at the mail centre. (S) (HD)

7.00 Blue Bloods *20/20 Series 12* Jamie and Joe search for an undocumented teenage girl who has been sex-trafficked. (HD)

8.00 Coroner *8/12 Series 4* Suspicious deaths lead to awkward truths as Jenny, Donovan and Malik come face to face with a monster in their midst. (HD)

9.00 Bull *19/22 Series 6.* Marissa is forced to go to court without Bull as she and Chunk defend her childhood friend Kyla. (HD)

10.00 New Amsterdam *9/13 Series 5.* Reynolds gets creative to help a mother in need. Max learns a hard truth when taking a chance with Wilder. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit *16/16 Series 22* Benson and Rollins try to help a homeless single mother. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **2.00–6.00am** Nothing to Declare: eight editions (S)

Sky Witness Sky 107 Virgin 112/HD 111 BT 341/HD 356 +1 Sky 207 Virgin 220

Sky Max

Rob and Romesh vs the NFL *10.00pm* American football

6.00am Highway Patrol (S) (HD) **7.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD)

5.00pm Grimm *17/23 Series 5* The severed head of a young man is found under a bridge. **6.00** *18/23.* A man is found dead, with all of his bones seemingly liquefied and removed. **7.00** *19/23.* Sgt Wu becomes entangled in an altercation that threatens to land him in hot water. **8.00** *20/23.* Nick worries he may lose everything as he continues to battle Black Claw, Renard ramps up his campaign as election time nears. (HD)

9.00 Hold the Front Page *1/6* Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe travel around the UK working for a local newspaper, beginning by heading to Blackpool. (HD)

10.00 Rob and Romesh vs the NFL *2/6 Series 1.* The comedians meet and train with American football players. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Brassic *1/6 Series 1.* Nigel, Vinnie and his crew become tangled up with a crime boss. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Road Wars (S) (HD) **12.50am** The Force: Manchester (S) (HD) **1.40** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) (HD) **2.35** Road Wars (S) (HD) **3.05–6.00am** Stop, Search, Seize: triple bill (S) (HD)

Sky Max Sky 113 (Wales 114) Virgin 122/HD 121 BT 346/HD 361

Sky Replay

7.00am Four Weddings (S) (HD) **10.00** Manifest (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Road Wars: triple bill. Thames Valley Police participate in Slough's largest ever drug raid **7.00** Police officers raid a massive cannabis factory capable of producing £25,000 worth of the drug a week **8.00** A suspected car thief causes problems for the officers (S) (HD) **9.00** New Amsterdam: Reynolds gets creative to help a mother in need. Max learns a hard truth when taking a chance with Wilder (S) (HD) **10.00** Coroner: suspicious deaths lead to uncomfortable truths as Jenny, Donovan and Malik come face to face with a monster in their midst (HD) **11.00** Bull: Marissa acts as defence for her closest childhood friend (HD) **12 midnight** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00am** Highway Patrol (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Four Weddings (S) (HD)

Sky Replay Sky 152 Virgin 180

Sky Crime

6.00am Road Wars (S) (HD) **7.00** Motorway Patrol (S) **8.00** Highway Cops (S) (HD) **8.30** Caught Red Handed (S) (HD) **10.00** Murdered at First Sight (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Britain's Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **12 noon** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **1.00pm** When Life Means Life (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** World's Most Evil Killers (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **4.00** The Real Manhunter (S) (HD) **5.00** World's Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **8.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Murders at the Boarding House (S) (AD) (HD) **11.20** Forensics: Catching the Killer (HD) **12.10am** An Unexpected Killer (HD) **1.00am** Snapped (HD) **2.00** World's Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00–6.00am** Motorway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Crime Sky 122 Virgin 137/HD 136 BT 349/HD 364 +1 Sky 222 Virgin 221

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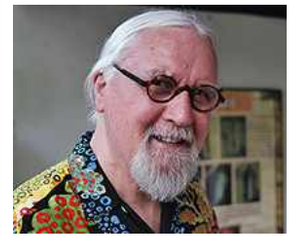

Billy Connolly Does... *9.00pm* A look at family holidays

7.10am The Fosters (S) **8.10** Citizen Khan (S) (AD) (HD) **9.25** Only Fools and Horses: nine episodes (S) (AD)

6.20pm Only Fools and Horses The Trotters meet a pregnant woman who is in need of help, so Del becomes her saviour and plans to make money at the same time. **7.00** A weeping statue in the local church gives Del an idea for a miraculous money-making scheme. However, his efforts are thwarted by the weather. **7.40** A routine trip to the supermarket turns into a tense night as an inept robber holds the Trotters hostage, along with the manager and security guard. (S) (AD)

8.20 Dad's Army Mainwaring's Home Guard heroes repaint Lady Maltby's Rolls-Royce just in time for an official engagement. (S)

9.00 Billy Connolly Does... The comedian ruminates on dream locations and nightmare family holidays. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Ranging from bad opera to toast portraits, Billy explains his approach to culture. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Only Fools and Horses Christmas special from 1987. Del goes in search of treasure. (S) (AD)

12.20am French and Saunders (S) **1.35** The Fosters (S) **3.10–4.00am** Absolutely Fabulous (S)

Gold Sky 110 (Wales 111) Virgin 124 BT 344/HD 359 +1 Sky 210 (Wales 211) Virgin 194

Sky Comedy

8.00am Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD) **9.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **11.25** Pen15 (S) (HD) **1.30pm** Will & Grace (HD) **4.00** Futurama (HD) **6.30** The Office US: five episodes. A beautiful woman causes a stir **7.00** Staff members endure an awards banquet **7.30** The team receives a lesson in sexual harassment **8.00** Jim and Pam arrange an "Office Olympics" **8.30** A fire forces the staff out of the office (S) (HD) **9.00** Romantic Getaway: double bill. Kethan wants Deacon to carry out a job for him, then Deacon and Allison steal a Ferrari to pay their blackmailer's demands (HD) **10.00** Girls: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **11.15** Sex and the City: two episodes (S) (HD) **12.40am** SMILF (S) (AD) (HD) **2.30** Black Monday (S) (AD) (HD) **3.05–5.00am** Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD)

Sky Comedy Sky 114 (Wales 115) Virgin 135/HD 123 BT 347/HD 362

Comedy Central

8.00am Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Friends: six episodes. Chandler plays racquetball with Monica's father **6.30** Rachel wrestles with a dilemma **7.00** Joey takes Tag out on the town **7.30** Monica struggles to choose a maid of honour **8.00** Janice receives a wedding invitation **8.30** Tag visits for Thanksgiving (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00 FILM** Made of Honor ★★ Romantic comedy starring Michelle Monaghan and Patrick Dempsey (HD) **11.00** David Spade: My Fake Problems: a stand-up special (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Tracy Morgan: Bona Fide: a stand-up performance (S) (HD) **1.00am** South Park (S) (HD) **4.15–5.00am** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

Comedy Central Sky 112 (Wales 113) Virgin 181/HD 132 BT 345/HD 360 +1 Sky 212 (Wales 213) Virgin 133

Alibi

Death in Paradise *5.00pm* On the case: Dwayne and Fidel

7.40am Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Inspector George Gently (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Father Brown: double bill (S) (AD) (HD)

5.00pm Death in Paradise *6/8 Series 1.* With Camille in Paris and Richard struck down by a tropical disease, it falls to Dwayne and Fidel alone to solve the murder of local diver Benjamin Lightfoot. **6.00** *7/8.* A plan to see Dwayne's favourite band is stalled by the murder of the lead singer. **7.20** *1/8 Series 2.* The owner of a plantation is found with a machete in his back – but all the suspects appear to have alibis. **8.40** *2/8.* A nun is found dead in a smoke-filled bedroom in her convent, but what seems to be a tragic accident caused by a lit cigarette is soon turned on its head by Richard. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 CSI: Vegas *2/21 Series 2* The agents investigate when a mannequin prop in a haunted house turns out to be a real body. (AD) (HD)

11.00 Father Brown *7/10 Series 9* A visit to a holiday camp leads to another murder mystery. (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** *8/10.* Bunty and Father Brown investigate a dark secret at a girls' borstal. (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00–4.00am Death in Paradise: triple bill (S) (AD) (HD)

Alibi Sky 109 (Wales 110) Virgin HD 126 BT 343/HD 358 +1 Sky 209 (Wales 210) Virgin 191

Discovery

6.00am Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **12 noon** Gold Rush: four editions (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Alaska: Homestead Rescue: a homesteader attracts bears with his bee hives (S) (HD) **7.00** Alaskan Bush People: Bird and Noah race to overcome obstacles to make their gold-mining set-up operational (HD) **8.00 *New.*** Alaskan Bush People: the Wolfpack struggles to bring its 50-year-old mining equipment back to life (HD) **9.00** Alaskan Bush People: the family finds itself at a crossroads after the passing of the patriarch (S) (HD) **10.00** The Dino Hunters: the Abercrombie family discovers a Mammoth fossil map (S) (HD) **11.00** Bitchin' Rides: after years of planning, Dave celebrates the opening of his passion project (HD) **12 midnight** Naked and Afraid (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** How Do They Do It? (S) (HD)

Discovery Sky 125 Virgin 250 BT 320/HD 325 +1 Sky 225 Virgin 258

Discovery History

6.00am Combat Dealers (S) (AD) **9.00** Greatest Events of World War II (S) **12 noon** Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **3.00pm** Expedition Unknown (S) **5.00** Combat Dealers: triple bill. Bruce Crompton races to ensure his Panther tank is ready to ship to Australia **6.00** Bruce and his team buy, repair and sell Second World War military gear **7.00** Bruce is asked to find items that help tell the story of Ian Fleming (S) **8.00** Tony Robinson's World War One: the presenter offers a unique perspective on the conflict (S) **9.00** Tony Robinson's Wild West (S) **10.00** Wings of War: double bill. The bombers of the 1940s and 50s, then high-altitude spy planes (S) **12 midnight–5.00am** Combat Dealers (S)

Discovery History Sky 177 Virgin 257 +1 Sky 277 Virgin 261

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Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen

Sky Documentaries

Tina *10.00pm* The queen of rock 'n' roll's rise to fame

6.00am Discovering: Cary Grant (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Discovering: Robert Mitchum (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Rise of the Superheroes (S) (HD) **11.10** Pretending I'm a Superman: the Tony Hawk Video Game Story (S) (HD) **12.30pm** The Loneliest Whale: the Search for 52 (S) (HD) **2.30 FILM** Hitsville: the Making of Motown ★★★ Memories of the record label (S) (W) (HD) **4.40** Mr Dynamite: the Rise of James Brown (S) (AD) (HD)

6.55pm The Beatles: Eight Days a Week – the Touring Years ★★★★
Music documentary that focuses on the Fab Four's years as a live band. (S) (W) (HD)

9.00 Spector
RT *1/4.* A look at the life and career of the music producer Phil Spector, and the events prior to him shooting Lana Clarkson dead in 2003. **See page 51.** (HD)

10.00 Tina ★★★★
Exploring the life and music of Tina Turner, leading up to the comeback she made in the 1980s. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

12.15am Whitey: United States of America v James J Bulger (S) (HD) **2.00** We Are Freestyle Love Supreme (S) (HD) **3.45** Children of Shanghai (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Documentaries **Sky** 121 **Virgin** 278/**HD** 277 **BT** 352/**HD** 367

Nat Geographic

8.00am Lords of War (HD) **9.00** Car SOS (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Car SOS: triple bill. Tim Shaw and Fuzz Townshend restore a rare French classic car **7.00** Tim and Fuzz take on a 1993 Toyota Supra Mk4 owned by a former motorcycle racer **8.00** A 1973 Dennis Fire Engine (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Secrets of Area 51: behind the scenes at the top-secret military base in Nevada (HD) **10.00** JFK: the Lost Bullet: an exploration of the theories surrounding the assassination of President John F Kennedy in 1963 (S) (HD) **11.00** New Air Force One: Flying Fortress (HD) **12 midnight** Inside North Korea: Then and Now with Lisa Ling (HD) **1.00am** Australia's Hardest Prison (HD) **2.00** Lords of War (HD) **2.30** Food Factory (S) (HD) **4.10** When Sharks Attack (HD) **4.35–5.00am** Prairie Dog Dynasty (HD)

Nat Geographic **Sky** 129 **Virgin** 266/**HD** 268 **+1** **Sky** 229 **Virgin** 267

Sky History

6.00am The Boer War (S) (HD) **8.00** The Proof Is Out There (HD) **9.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **11.30** Mountain Men (HD) **12.30pm** History's Greatest Mysteries (HD) **2.00** Ross Kemp: Shipwreck Treasure Hunter (HD) **6.00** The Curse of Oak Island **8.00** Auschwitz: Journey into Hell: the horrors of the Nazis' most notorious death camp (HD) **9.00** The Mothman Legacy: the legend of the Mothman, a creature seen by some as a harbinger of doom (HD) **10.45** UFO Town: an unexplained incident near Ottawa, Canada (HD) **11.45** What on Earth?: unexplained phenomena (HD) **1.45am** The Mothman Legacy (HD) **3.30** What on Earth? (HD) **4.30** Secret History of Humans (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Ross Kemp: Shipwreck Treasure Hunter (HD)

Sky History **Sky** 123 **Virgin** 270 **BT** 353/**HD** 368 **+1** **Sky** 223 **Virgin** 271

Sky Nature

The Wadden Sea *7.00pm* A seal pup struggles to survive

6.00am Battle of the Alphas (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **11.00** Hotspots: the Last Hope (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Gangs of Lemur Island (S) (HD) **4.00** Secret Life of the Koala (S) (HD)

6.00pm *New.* Monkey Life The chimps react to a fallen tree, and the guenons have a new home. (HD) **6.30 *New.*** Chimp Bryan needs to have a rotten molar removed. (HD)

7.00 *New series.* The Wadden Sea A seal pup navigates heavy storms and hungry predators. (HD)

8.00 Micro Monsters with David Attenborough The deadly weaponry existing within the world of bugs. (S) (AD) (HD) **8.30** Revealing how creepy-crawly predators defuse the defences of their prey. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Predators Following a wild dog pack in Zimbabwe. (S) (HD)

10.00 Africa's Claws and Jaws The weapons at the disposal of Africa's predators. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Nature's Mass Attacks The complex world of spectacularly brutal mass attacks. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Monkey Life (HD) **1.00am** The Wadden Sea (HD) **2.00** Predators (S) (HD) **3.00** Africa's Claws and Jaws (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00–6.00am** Equator (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Nature **Sky** 124 **Virgin** 280/**HD** 279 **BT** 354/**HD** 369

Eden

9.00am Africa from Above (HD) **6.00pm** Africa from Above: six editions. A trip to the most populous landlocked country on Earth to view Lake Tana, Ethiopia's largest lake **7.00** Discover the rich biodiversity of the "Pearl of Africa", where spectacular landscapes include the glacier-tipped Rwenzori mountains **8.00** Morocco is the gateway to Africa, and this epic adventure explores the Mediterranean coastline **9.00** A fresh perspective on the continent, taking viewers on a spectacular aerial adventure **10.00** Exploring the Kenyan Highlands and across the country's vast savannahs **11.00** Follow the Volta river from the Sahel savannahs of the north, through cocoa-laden hills (HD) **12 midnight** Africa from Above (HD) **5.30–6.00am** David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities (AD) (HD)

Eden **Sky** 166 **Virgin** **HD** 245 **+1** **Sky** 266 **Virgin** 246

Animal Planet

8.00am Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **9.00** How Do Animals Do That? (S) (HD) **10.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **11.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **12 noon** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **2.00** Guardians of Rescue (S) (HD) **4.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **5.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **6.00** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **7.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **8.00** Crikey! It's the Irwins (HD) **10.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **11.00** Swimming with Monsters with Steve Backshall (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Rugged Justice (HD) **1.00am** The Last Alaskans (S) (HD) **2.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **3.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD)

Animal Planet **Sky** 162 (NI 178) **Virgin** 251 **+1** **Sky** 262 (NI 278) **Virgin** 259

SPORT

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 **Virgin** 511/**HD** 501 **BT** 420/**HD** 440

6.00am Sky Sports News **7.00** Good Morning Sports Fans **7.45 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Sydney Thunder v Sydney Sixers from Showground Stadium. **11.45** Best of the Big Bash **12 noon** Sky Sports News **12.30pm LIVE Scottish Premiership Football** Motherwell v Hibs from Fir Park (kick-off **1.30**); **3.30** Dundee United v Rangers from Tannadice (kick-off **4.00**). **6.00 LIVE NFL** Coverage of a week 18 game (kick-off **6.00**); **9.15** The day's second game; **12.30am** A week 18 NFL game. **4.30–6.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 **Virgin** 513/**HD** 503 **BT** 422/**HD** 442

6.00am League One and Two Goals **6.30** Scottish Premiership Highlights **7.00** League Cup Highlights **8.00** League Two Highlights **8.15** League One and Two Goals **8.45** Scottish Premiership Highlights **9.15** League Two Highlights **9.30** League One and Two Goals **10.00** Greatest Games **12 noon** There's Only One Sauzée **12.30pm LIVE Scottish Premiership Football** Motherwell v Hibs from Fir Park (kick-off **1.30**); **3.30** Dundee United v Rangers from Tannadice (kick-off **4.00**). **7.00** League Cup Highlights **8.00** Scottish Premiership Football **11.00** League One and Two Goals **11.30** Scottish Premiership Highlights **12 midnight** League Cup Retro **1.00am** Classic Play-Off Finals **4.00–6.00am** Championship Retro

Sky Golf

Sky 405 **Virgin** 515/**HD** 505 **BT** 424/**HD** 444

6.00am Ryder Cup Memories (AD) **7.00** Chronicles **8.00** PGA Tour Golf **12 noon** PGA Championship Official Films **1.00pm** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer **1.30** PGA Tour Golf **5.30** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer **6.30 LIVE PGA Tour Golf** The final round of the Tournament of Champions from Kapalua, Hawaii. **1.00am** Junior Golf **2.00** Roots **3.00–6.00am** Chronicles (AD)

Sky Mix

Sky 416 **Virgin** 520/**HD** 510 **BT** 429/**HD** 449

6.00pm–1.00am LIVE NFL Redzone Scores, updates and live action from all the day's games.

Amazon Prime

6.30am LIVE United Cup Tennis The concluding session of the final from Ken Rosewall Arena, Sydney.

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 **Virgin** 521 **BT** 412/**HD** 435

6.00am Dakar Rally **7.00** Marco Odermatt **7.15** Alpine Skiing **8.15 LIVE Alpine Skiing** World Cup, women's giant slalom, first run from Kranjska Gora, Slovenia; **9.30** World Cup, men's slalom, first run from Adelboden, Switzerland. **10.30** Ski Jumping: Four Hills **11.30 LIVE Alpine Skiing** World Cup, women's giant slalom, second run from Kranjska Gora, Slovenia; **12.30pm** World Cup, men's slalom, second run from Adelboden. **1.30** Cyclo-Cross **2.30** Cycling **2.45** Sailing **4.30** Climbing Show **5.00** Alpine Skiing **7.00** Biathlon **7.30** Trail Running **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Alpine Skiing **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Cyclo-Cross **1.00am** Hall of Fame: Tokyo 2020 **2.00** Dakar Rally **3.00** Australian Open Tennis **4.00–6.00am** Snooker: the Masters

Scottish Premiership
3.30pm ***Sky Football*** Dundee United hitman Steven Fletcher

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 **Virgin** 512/**HD** 502 **BT** 421/**HD** 441

6.00am Premier League Greatest Games **7.00** Premier League Years **9.00** The Big Interview **9.30** Retro **12 noon** Highlights **5.00pm** Review **6.00** Premier League 30 **7.30** The Big Interview **8.00** Premier League Retro **10.00** Class of 92: Full Time **1.00–6.00am** Premier League

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 **Virgin** 514/**HD** 504 **BT** 423/**HD** 443

6.00am Best of the Big Bash **6.45** Test Highlights: Pakistan v New Zealand **7.45 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Sydney Thunder v Sydney Sixers from Showground Stadium. **11.45** Best of the Big Bash **12 noon** Best of England (AD) **1.00pm** Big Bash League Cricket **4.30** Best of the Big Bash **5.00** Best of England (AD) **6.00** Big Bash League Highlights **7.00** Test Highlights: Pakistan v New Zealand **8.00** Big Bash League Highlights **9.00** Test Highlights **10.00** Big Bash League Highlights **11.00** Test Highlights **12 midnight** Big Bash Highlights **1.00am** Test Highlights **2.00** Best of the Big Bash **3.00** Big Bash League Highlights **4.00** Best of England (AD) **5.00–6.00am** Test Highlights

Sky NFL

Sky 407 **Virgin** 517/**HD** 507 **BT** 426/**HD** 446

6.00am NFL **11.00** Bitesize **12 noon** NFL Highlights **2.00pm** NFL Gameday **5.00 LIVE NFL** Coverage of a week 18 game (kick-off **6.00**); **9.15** The day's second game; **12.30am** A week 18 NFL game. **4.30–6.00am** NFL Highlights

Sky Arena

Sky 408 **Virgin** 518/**HD** 508 **BT** 427/**HD** 447

6.00am International Netball **8.30** Basketball **10.45** NBA **11.00** Boxing **2.00pm** Super League **4.00** NBA **2.00am** World Darts Championship **5.30–6.00am** Legends of Darts (AD)

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 **Virgin** 522 **BT** 413/**HD** 436

6.00am Superbikes **7.55** Snooker **9.50 LIVE Cross-Country Skiing** World Cup, women's 10km freestyle. **10.45** Trail Running **11.15** Snooker **11.35 LIVE Cross-Country Skiing** World Cup, the men's 10km freestyle event at Val di Fiemme. **12.30pm** Snooker 147s **12.45 LIVE Snooker** Neil Robertson v Shaun Murphy in round one of the Masters. **4.30** Dakar Rally **5.30** Snooker **6.45 LIVE Snooker** Mark Selby v Zhao Xintong in the Masters. **10.30** Snooker: the Masters **12 midnight** Alpine Skiing **1.00am** Dakar Rally **2.00** Snooker **4.00** Formula E **5.00–6.00am** Tennis

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 **Virgin** 527 **BT** 408/**HD** 430

6.00am LIVE Test Cricket Australia v South Africa, continued coverage of day five of the third Test from Sydney Cricket Ground. **7.30** Premier League Review **8.30** Premier League Legends (AD) **9.00** Wrestling (AD) **11.00** ESPN FC **11.30 LIVE Italian Football** Salernitana v Torino (kick-off **11.30**). **1.30pm** Premier League: the Big Interview (AD) **2.00 LIVE Premiership Rugby Union** Harlequins v Sale Sharks at Twickenham Stoop (kick-off **3.00**). **5.15** Rugby Tonight: discussion **6.00** Test Cricket Highlights **7.00 LIVE Italian Football** AC Milan v AS Roma (kick-off **7.45**). **10.00** Wrestling **12.45am** What Went Down (AD) **1.45** Reload **2.00** Rallying (AD) **3.00** Australian Football **4.00** French Football **5.00–6.00am** Fishing

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 **Virgin** 528 **BT** 409/**HD** 431

5.00am LIVE Australian Football Western Sydney Wanderers v Melbourne City, A-League Women (kick-off **5.00**). **7.00** Italian Football **10.00** BT Sport Reload **10.30** Powerboating **11.00** Champions League Football (AD) **11.30** BT Sport Films: The Special 1 (AD) **12.45pm** Champions League Goals Show Retro **1.45** What I Wore **2.00 LIVE Italian Football** Lazio v Empoli (kick-off **2.00**). **4.00** Italian Football **5.00 LIVE Italian Football** Sampdoria v Napoli (kick-off **5.00**). **7.00 LIVE American Football** Coverage of the Division I FCS Football Championship game. **10.30** Premiership Rugby Union **12 midnight** Test Cricket **1.00am** Inside Sailing (AD) **1.30** Gearing Up (AD) **2.00** Powerboating **2.30** Kite Masters (AD) **3.00–6.00am** Motorcycling

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 **Virgin** 529 **BT** 410/**HD** 432

6.00am ESPN FC **6.30** BT Sport Reload **7.00** The Rugby's On **8.00** Premiership Rugby Union **11.00** What Went Down (AD) **12 noon** Badminton **12.30pm** Kite Masters **1.00** Fishing **2.00 LIVE Italian Football** Spezia v Lecce (kick-off **2.00**). **4.00** Premier League Reload **4.15** Reload **4.30** Wrestling **6.00 LIVE Basketball** Maryland Terrapins v Ohio State Buckeyes, a US college game (tip-off **6.00**); **8.00** Cincinnati Bearcats v Houston Cougars (tip-off **8.00**). **10.00** Australian Football **11.00** BT Sport Films: Make It or Die Trying (AD) **12.45am** Boxing **1.45** UFC **3.45** UFC Greatest Fights (AD) **5.15** BT Sport Reload **5.30–6.00am** Badminton

BT Sport 4

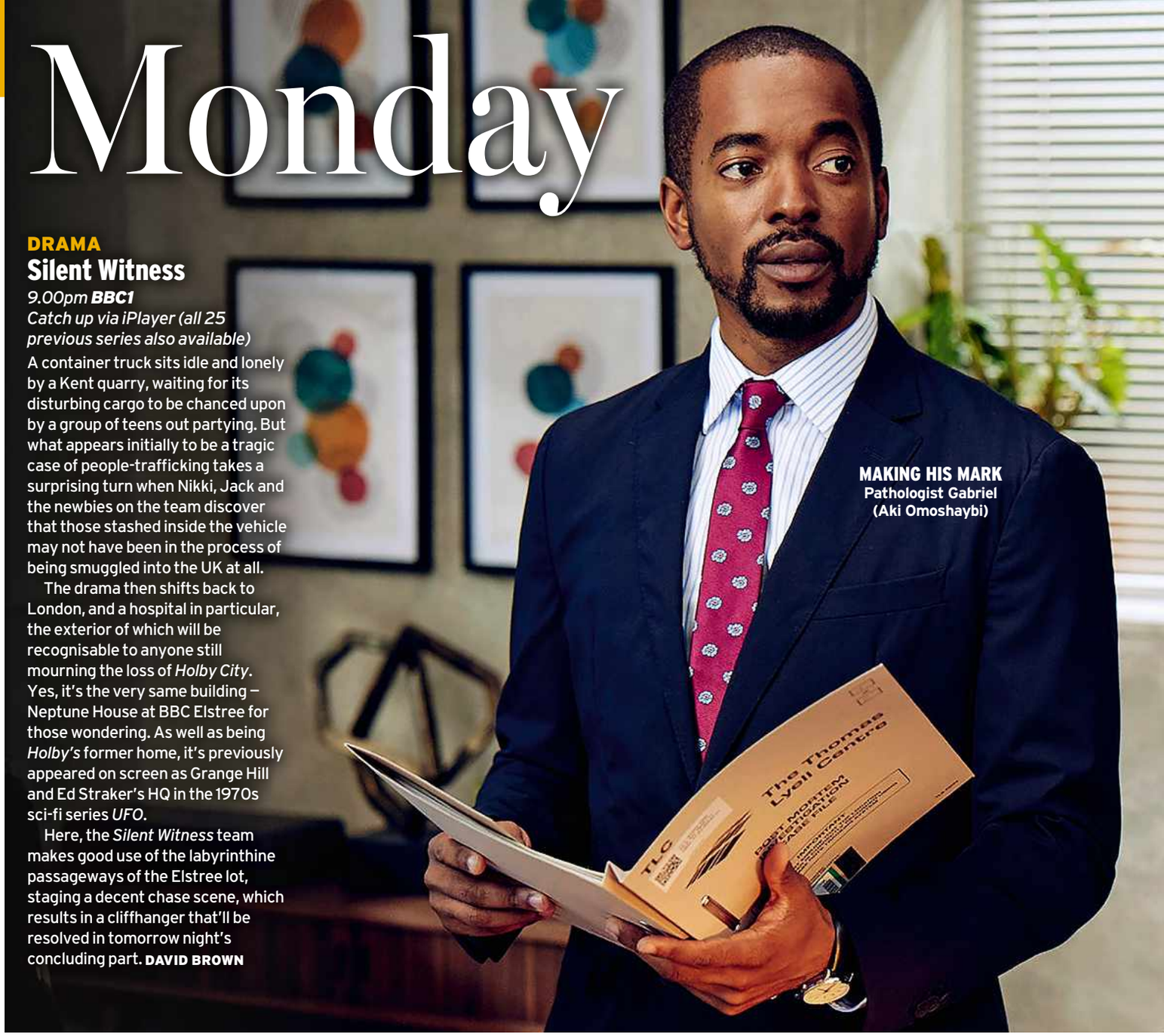
Sky 423 **Virgin** 530 **BT** 411/**HD** 434

6.00am MLB **6.30** Basketball **10.00** ESPN FC **10.30** Basketball **5.30pm** 30 for 30 (AD) **7.00** Gymnastics **10.00 LIVE Basketball** Arizona State Sun Devils v Washington Huskies (tip-off **10.00**); **12 midnight** Arizona Wildcats v Oregon Ducks, a women's game. **2.00am** MLB **2.30** Basketball **4.15** Reload **4.30–6.00am** Gymnastics

Viaplay Sports

3.00pm LIVE United Rugby Championship Glasgow Warriors v Stormers (kick-off **3.00**). **5.30 LIVE Spanish Football** Sevilla v Getafe (kick-off **5.30**); **8.00** Atlético Madrid v Barcelona (kick-off **8.00**).

Monday



MAKING HIS MARK
Pathologist Gabriel (Aki Omoshaybi)

DRAMA

Silent Witness

9.00pm ***BBC1***
Catch up via iPlayer (all 25 previous series also available)

A container truck sits idle and lonely by a Kent quarry, waiting for its disturbing cargo to be chanced upon by a group of teens out partying. But what appears initially to be a tragic case of people-trafficking takes a surprising turn when Nikki, Jack and the newbies on the team discover that those stashed inside the vehicle may not have been in the process of being smuggled into the UK at all.

The drama then shifts back to London, and a hospital in particular, the exterior of which will be recognisable to anyone still mourning the loss of *Holby City*. Yes, it's the very same building – Neptune House at BBC Elstree for those wondering. As well as being *Holby's* former home, it's previously appeared on screen as Grange Hill and Ed Straker's HQ in the 1970s sci-fi series *UFO*.

Here, the *Silent Witness* team makes good use of the labyrinthine passageways of the Elstree lot, staging a decent chase scene, which results in a cliffhanger that'll be resolved in tomorrow night's concluding part. **DAVID BROWN**

GAME SHOW

Richard Osman's House of Games

6.00pm ***BBC2*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

What felt at its outset like a *Pointless* side-dish for Richard Osman has become a quizzing colossus, with the board game and books having no doubt made their way into fans' stockings over Christmas. Though why the show's famous fondue sets and toolboxes haven't been marketed is a mystery.

This is a milestone week, as the series reaches its 500th edition on Friday, but the host is keeping things typically low-key tonight. Not that Jason Mohammad isn't excited about the chance of winning himself a shower curtain. "You do know, you can buy them in the shops *without* my face on them?" remarks Osman, missing the point that we'd all love to get hold of such merch. **DBr**

QUIZ

Only Connect

8.00pm ***BBC2*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

We're at the stage of the competition where not only are the teams recognisable; their gameplay is, too. The Scrummagers, for example, have been slow starters with few points earned in the opening round. Then, of course, their pace quickens. You can find out whether they remain true to form when they take on the Croots – whose leader, long-haired Liam, continues to radiate calm (he also tells a very funny story about the naivety of youth).

As for the quizzing aspect – well, if anyone dares to suggest that the BBC is dumbing down, please point them in the direction of tonight's missing vowels round. "Subjects of Francis Bacon essays"? You certainly don't get questions like that on *Tenable*. **DBr**

PROPERTY

George Clarke's Amazing Spaces

8.00pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

He must be one of the busiest men on TV, but infectiously enthusiastic architect George Clarke shows few signs of flagging. As his series celebrating bijou builds returns for an 11th run, Clarke unveils his own ambitious personal project: a one-of-a-kind arts and crafts caravan to replace the eccentric static he built in the debut series a decade ago.

He visits like-minded small builders, including a carpenter bidding to save a boat bound for the breakers yard and a woman turning a vintage caravan into a vegan café. Finally, our genial host heads to Israel to visit a stunning modern apartment carved out of three centuries-old rooms in Jaffa. **MICHAEL HOGAN**

DOCUMENTARY

Hornby: a Model World

8.00pm ***Yesterday***
Catch up via UKTV Play

"My heart and soul are part of Hornby," coos the firm's long-serving product director Simon Kohler. Still at the forefront of British model-train making, the beloved company offers a return to an age of innocence, where childhoods were more, well, childlike. As with every featured employee, Kohler is a big kid who can't quite believe his vocational luck.

This show basks in that sense of wonder, so Kohler's latest innovation is to develop Hornby's 48th version of the *Flying Scotsman*, this time to a scale of 1:120. Elsewhere, accountant turned modeller Kathy Millat constructs a miniature slate mine, while two tiny Stephenson's *Rocket* models need intricate repairs. It's all rather lovely. **JOHN AIZLEWOOD**

ALSO ON TODAY

Crown Court
2.30pm ***Talking Pictures TV***
Starting a rerun of the 1970s drama. The first case involves medical neglect. Continues Thursday and Friday.

University Challenge
8.30pm ***BBC2***
Two more teams go head to head, while Jeremy Paxman (right) asks the challenging questions.

Search Party
10pm, 10.25pm ***BBC3***
Double bill of the black comedy starring Alia Shawkat and John Reynolds. Dory tries to grill Chantal's awkward ex over supper.

DOCUMENTARY

The Mayfair Hotel Megabuild

9.00pm ***BBC2*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

You have to hand it to the owners of London hotel Claridge's. Few similar institutions would dream of an expansion programme of such complexity while staying open. But they did, embarking on a seven-year plan to create a five-floor basement and a four-storey roof extension.

It's a monster of a project. A giant crane installed in the centre of the building winches prefabricated dormers into position. There's no room to build on site, so everything is made elsewhere then transported to central London. Accuracy is everything, and everyone is nervous. In the basement, meanwhile, there are leaks... and Covid is just around the corner. **GILL CRAWFORD**

DOCUMENTARY

The Kardashians: a Billion Dollar Dynasty

9.00pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

The concluding episode of this investigation into the Kardashians' wealth covers Kim's rise from the ashes of her short-lived marriage to Kris Humphries to the ubiquitous reality star catching the eye of a man who will change her life for ever: Kanye West. On his arm, Kim is suddenly taken seriously in fashion circles and her social (and financial) currency increases stratospherically.

Little sister Kylie, just 21, turns into a successful businesswoman in her own right, launching a make-up range and becoming a billionaire. It seems nothing can stop this all-powerful family in their tracks – not even a "blackfishing" controversy or an acrimonious divorce. **KAY RIBEIRO**

DOCUMENTARY

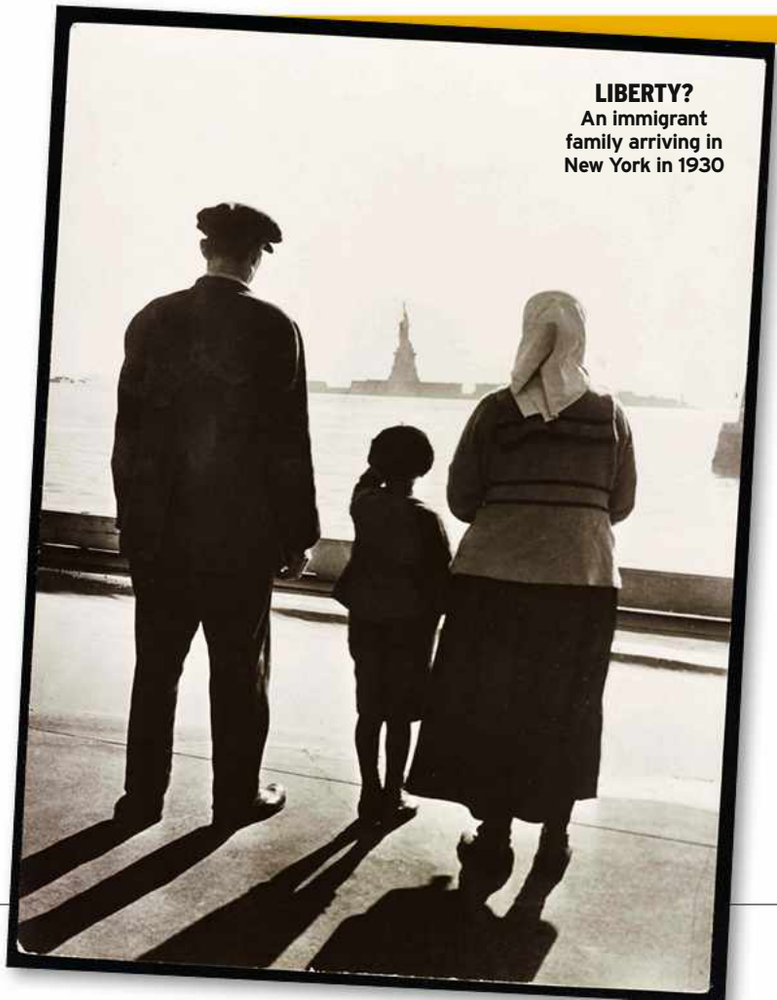
The Edinburgh Auction House *9.00pm* ***Really***

Catch up via UKTV Play

NEW SERIES

In 2021, cameras followed auctioneer Angus Ashworth as he trawled homes for hidden gems to go under the gavel in *The Yorkshire Auction House*. Now the same team have headed north.

Sybelle Thomson, fond of both tweed and her dog, Roscoe, is the MD of an Edinburgh-based auction group. But can she discern tat from treasure and identify winning lots on auction day? In this first episode she's come to England to help a family release some cash from a lifetime's collecting, and someone else has to sell his collectables to create some space for his fiancée. But will a bag of flags bring home the bacon? **GC**



LIBERTY? An immigrant family arriving in New York in 1930

DOCUMENTARY

The US and the Holocaust

10.00pm ***BBC4*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

NEW SERIES

Never one to shy away from a difficult topic, America's leading documentary-maker Ken Burns now grapples with his country's conflicted response to the Holocaust. As historian Rebecca Erbelding notes, "This is a story Americans have to reckon with."

Burns ticks his own boxes: Peter Coyote's stentorian narration; extraordinary contemporary footage and such detail that the Second World War is still a year away after the first episode's two hours. He entwines the Nazis' racial policies with the USA's evolution from a nation with no restrictions on entry into an isolationist country that erected legal barriers to certain potential immigrants, not least Jews. And while assorted presidents vacillated Hollywood was so keen not to alienate the German market that "between 1933 and 1939, not a single word was uttered against the Nazis on screen". **JA**

LIVE SPORT

FA Cup Football
Oxford United v Arsenal
7.30pm (k/o 8pm) ***ITV1***
League One Oxford United, under manager Karl Robinson (above), will be looking to cause a huge FA Cup third-round upset. *See p29*

Serie A Football
Hellas Verona v Cremonese *(k/o 5.30pm);* **Bologna v Atalanta** *(k/o 7.45pm)* ***BT Sport 1***
Top Italian football.

Tennis: Adelaide International
9.00am ***Eurosport 1***
The final countdown to the Australian Open, which starts next Monday.

FILM OF THE DAY

Gran Torino ★★★ 15
9.00pm ***ITV4***
Clint Eastwood (above) brings his customary grit to this slick drama, playing a grumpy retired war veteran who forms an unlikely bond with his Hmong neighbour (Bee Vang) after the teenager attempts to steal his beloved vintage car. (2008)

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DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Jon Kay, Sally Nugent. (S) (HD)
9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays Consumer affairs show investigating issues relating to travel. (S) (HD)
10.00 Big Little Crimes An everyday burglary helps solve a series of dramatic ram-raids and a consumer complaint leads to the arrest of prolific fraudsters. (S) (HD)
10.45 For Love or Money A woman who sent large sums to a man she had met on a dating site. (R) (S) (HD)
11.15 Homes under the Hammer From Derby, South Yorkshire and West Yorkshire. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
12.15pm Bargain Hunt Izzie Balmer and Nick Hall help two teams at Newark Showground. (S) (HD)
1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
1.45 Doctors Emma and Luca realise that they have both moved on. A courier prioritises her need to work over concerns about her health. (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 The Farmers' Country Showdown Emotions run high for Diana and Nigel as their shire horses are judged at Melplash Show. Rptd tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)
3.00 Escape to the Country A newlywed Olympian and his wife view properties in Wiltshire. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
3.45 The Repair Shop A toy lion, a cash register and a harbourmaster's telescope are revived. (S) (AD) (HD)
4.30–5.15 Make It at Market Featuring a textile designer from Fife intent on using sustainable fabrics and a Devon glassblower picking up her craft after an eight-year break. Repeated tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am Bargain Hunt Teams compete in Llandeilo, Carmarthenshire. Shown last Friday BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)
7.15 Make It at Market Turning a willow-weaving hobby into a home business. Shown last Fri BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00–9.00 Sign Zone Antiques Roadshow London's Museum of the Home is the venue as Fiona Bruce presents an episode looking at children's toys over the generations. With guest Jonathan Ross. Shown Thu 29 December BBC1 (S) (HD)
9.00 BBC News (S) (HD)
12.15pm Politics Live News from Westminster. (S) (HD)
1.00–5.15 LIVE Snooker Coverage of Ronnie O'Sullivan v Luca Brecel, the third match in the opening round of the Masters at Alexandra Palace in London. O'Sullivan is the most successful player in the tournament's history, having reached the final on 13 occasions and winning seven times, but his form this season has been inconsistent and Brecel will feel he has every chance of reaching the quarter-finals. (S) (HD)

ITV1

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)
9.00 Lorraine Fashion and showbiz news. (S) (HD)
10.00 This Morning Lifestyle features, cookery and celebrity interviews. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)
12.30pm Loose Women Daily discussion. (S) (HD)
1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)
2.00 Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers travel around the country assessing items brought in by members of the public. Signed repeat 5.05am (S) (AD) (HD)
3.00–4.00 Lingo Friends Cheryl and Ally take on mother and son Diana and Nigel, and pals Jane and Sue. Signed rpt 3am (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**

Channel 4

6.10am Countdown Richard Osman guests. (R) (S) (HD)
6.50 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S)
7.40 Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Frasier Three episodes of the sitcom. (R) (S) (AD)
10.25 Undercover Boss USA The CEO of Mood Media goes incognito. (R) (S) (HD) **11.25 News** (S) (HD)
11.30 Couples Come Dine with Me Three pairs from Bournemouth compete for the cash prize. (R) (S) (HD)
12.30pm Steph's Packed Lunch Magazine. (S) (HD)
2.10 Countdown With guest Heather Small. (S) (HD)
3.00 A Place in the Sun Craig and Suzy have a £200,000 budget to buy a holiday home in the seaside town of Los Gigantes on Tenerife. Rptd 5pm 4seven (S) (HD)
4.00–5.00 A New Life in the Sun In Spain, a dog owner opens a boutique B&B in Almería. Meanwhile, in France, an Essex couple snap up a stunning property from which they plan to run their events business. Repeated 6pm 4seven (S) (HD)

BBC1 1

Silent Witness *9.00pm* Sealed lips in an apparent trafficking case leave Nikki and co with an uphill task

5.15pm Pointless
Alexander Armstrong hosts the quiz. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 Regional news magazines (S)

7.00 The One Show
Presented by Jermaine Jenas and Alex Jones. (S) (HD)

7.30 EastEnders
Martin is stunned by what he learns, a blast from the past rattles Zack and Ricky Jr lashes out at Jack.
Writer Daran Little Cast Wednesday/Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 We Are England *8/9 Series 2*
***NORTH EAST/CUMBRIA* England's Next Lionesses**
Inspiring the next generation of female footballers.
Director/Producer Jack Collins (S)
***NORTH WEST/YORKSHIRE/LINCOLNSHIRE* Our Toxteth Cycle Club** An organisation set up to get more diverse groups interested in cycling.
Director/Producer Elliot Trundler (S)
***MIDLANDS* My Body: No Limits** Model Sian Green explores the barriers to amputees becoming active.
Director/Producer Jo Taylor (S)
***EAST* Let Us Entertain You** Two individuals trying to make it on the holiday-park entertainment circuit.
Director/Producer Charlotte Charlton (S)
***LONDON/SOUTH/SOUTH EAST* Born to Race**
Two youngsters who hope to make it in Formula One.
Director Stephen Mizelas; Exec producers Nisha Diu and Sarah Trigg
Repeated Thursday 12.40am (S)
***SOUTH WEST/WEST* Riding the Waves**
How police in Devon are using surfing to support fellow emergency service workers in need.
Director/Producer Jim Farthing (S)
All episodes postponed from Friday 9 December 2022

8.30 The Bidding Room
Items offered to the dealers include an old hairdryer found in an attic in France, a Corgi toy circus, movie posters signed by the stars and a ventriloquist's dummy which goes by the name of Jolly Jim.
Series producer Claire Egerton-Jones; Executive producer David Sayer
(Revised repeat) (S) (HD)

9.00 Silent Witness
RT *3/10 Series 26.* **Familiar Faces 1/2.** An abandoned lorry is found at a quarry with several dead and dying people in the back. At first it appears to be a case of sex trafficking, but all is not as it seems. With the survivors refusing to speak, Nikki and the team must use their pathological and forensic skills to identify the dead and piece together what happened. Continues tomorrow 9pm. A box set of previous series is on iPlayer. **See page 60.**
Writer Rebecca Wojciechowski; Producer Josh Dynevor
Director Max Myers For cast see tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

10.40 James Arthur: Out of Our Minds
As he prepares to go on tour, Middlesbrough-born singer-songwriter James Arthur opens up about his fragile mental health and the issues he has had with antidepressants. He also investigates male mental health more broadly, speaking to others like him who have struggled with antidepressants, but have instead found other ways to help themselves and to thrive.
Director Rob Gill; Executive producers Lucy Hillman and Sam Whittaker First shown on BBC3 (S) (AD) (HD)

11.40 The Graham Norton Show
With Jamie Dornan, James Norton and Lewis Capaldi.
Shown last Friday (S) (HD)

12.30am Have I Got News for You Jack Dee, Phil Wang and Baroness Sayeeda Warsi feature in a 2021 edition. (R) (S) (HD)
1.00 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)
1.05–6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

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BBC2 2

The Mayfair Hotel Megabuild *9.00pm* Erin O'Connor pops into Claridge's, but Covid-19 causes the renovation to stall

5.15pm Flog It!
Charles Hanson and Catherine Southon appraise items in Morecambe, including a Rolex watch. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Richard Osman's House of Games
RT In the week that marks the 500th edition, Jasmine Harman, Dave Johns, Suzannah Lipscomb and Jason Mohammad test their general knowledge skills. **See page 60.** (S) (HD)

6.30 Take a Hike
Comedian and tour guide Bruce hosts the first of five walks on the Isle of Skye, taking in Dunvegan Castle and the stunning Coral Beach. (S) (HD)

7.00 Nadiya's Fast Flavours
1/6. **Comfort Food.** Nadiya Hussain prepares macaroni cheese, beef vindaloo and french toast.
Producer Laia Niubo; Executive producer Katy Fryer (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC RED BUTTON 7.00–11.00 Snooker Live coverage of the Masters tournament from Alexandra Palace

7.30 Mastermind
Four contenders join host Clive Myrie for the show's 50th anniversary. Their specialist subjects are physicist Stephen Hawking, the music of Radiohead, the American silent film actress Theda Bara and the Richard Sharpe novels of Bernard Cornwell.
Series producer James Evans; Executive producers Kate Middleditch, Chris Jones, David Young and Jimmy Mulville (S) (HD)
RT PUZZLES Join the RT Puzzles website: radiotimespuzzles.com

8.00 Only Connect
RT Victoria Coren Mitchell hosts the quiz in which logic and lateral thinking are the keys to success. In tonight's edition, two family teams battle it out to stay in the competition. **See page 60.**
Director Siân G Lloyd; Series producer Nick Martin (S) (HD)

8.30 University Challenge
The second round continues, as two more teams fight for a place in the quarter-finals. Jeremy Paxman hosts.
Director Martin Lord; Producer Peter Gwyn (S) (HD)

9.00 The Mayfair Hotel Megabuild
RT *2/3.* In 2019, just over halfway through the hotel's seven-year renovation project, the team prepares for the four-storey roof extension, and the basement reaches its fifth and deepest level. Meanwhile, within the existing hotel, residents are enjoying Claridge's first new bar for 25 years, with milliner Stephen Jones and supermodel Erin O'Connor among the guests. But as the global pandemic hits and the hotel is forced to close, will the building team manage to get the works back on track? **See page 60.**
Director Rod Williams; Executive producers Rachel Morgan, Ninder Billing Khandelwal, Lucie Duxbury, Emma Tutty, Magnus Temple and Lucy Bowden (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 QI
Sandi Toksvig hosts an episode first shown last Friday as Rose Matafeo, Lou Sanders, Ross Noble and Alan Davies have fun with ticks, a bit of tax and a few toes.
Director Diccon Ramsay; Series producer Piers Fletcher
(Revised repeat) (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight With Victoria Derbyshire. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather (S) (HD)

11.15 Snooker
Highlights of John Higgins v Jack Lisowski in the first round of the Masters at Alexandra Palace. (S) (HD)

12.05am Snooker Extra First-round Masters action. (S) (HD)
2.05–5.00am Sign Zone 2.05 Countryfile At the National Hedgelaying Championship. Shown yesterday 6.35am (S) (HD)
3.00 Miriam Margolyes: Australia Unmasked *1/3.* Exploring the country's principle of the "fair go". (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
4.00 The Traitors *5/12.* Tempers at the round table are more frayed than ever as another player is sent home. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

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ITV1 3

FA Cup Football *7.30pm* Cameron Brannagan will be gunning for an Oxford United victory tonight

4.00pm Tipping Point
Three contestants take turns on the supersized arcade machine as they try to bank the jackpot of £20,000. Ben Shephard asks the questions.
Director Richard van't Riet; Executive producers Sara Doyle, Kate Lownds and Hugh Rycroft (S) (HD)

5.00 The Chase
Bradley Walsh hosts as Michael, Roger, Maddie and Theresa challenge one of the six fearsome Chasers in an attempt to scoop the prize pot.
Executive producers Michael Kelpie, Martin Scott and Helen Tumbridge (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S) (HD)

7.00 Emmerdale
Bernice faces upset, Dawn gets an opportunity and tension rises between Rhona and Naomi.

Bernice Blackstock	**Samantha Giles**	Paddy Dingle	**Dominic Brunt**
Dawn Fletcher	**Olivia Bromley**	Priya Kotecha	**Fiona Wade**
Rhona Goskirk	**Zoe Henry**	Rishi Sharma	**Bhasker Patel**
Naomi Walters	**Karene Peter**	Rodney Blackstock	**Patrick Mower**
Liam Cavanagh	**Jonny McPherson**	Ryan Stocks	**James Moore**
Lydia Dingle	**Karen Blick**	Sam Dingle	**James Hooton**
Mandy Dingle	**Lisa Riley**	Sarah Sugden	**Katie Hill**
Manpreet Sharma	**Rebecca Sarker**	Suzy Merton	**Martelle Edinborough**
Marcus Dean	**Darcy Grey**	Tracy Metcalfe	**Amy Walsh**
Marlon Dingle	**Mark Charnock**	Vanessa Woodfield	**Michelle Hardwick**
Mary Goskirk	**Louise Jameson**	Victoria Sugden	**Isabel Hodgins**
Matty Barton	**Ash Palmisciano**	Vinny Dingle	**Bradley Johnson**
Moira Dingle	**Natalie J Robb**	Wendy Posner	**Susan Cookson**
Nate Robinson	**Jurell Carter**	Will Taylor	**Dean Andrews**
Nicola King	**Nicola Wheeler**	Zak Dingle	**Steve Halliwell**
Noah Dingle	**Jack Downham**		

Writer Sue Mooney More cast Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 FA Cup Football
Oxford United v Arsenal
Live coverage of the third-round match from the Kassam Stadium (kick-off **8.00**).

League One side Oxford United welcome the Premier League pacesetters for what could be a classic cup tie. Arsenal have won the FA Cup more times than any other club, with 14 wins to their name, and Mikel Arteta's team have lit up the top flight this season with the skill and flair of players such as Bukayo Saka, Gabriel Jesus and Gabriel Martinelli. It should be a daunting challenge for Karl Robinson's men, but they'll have the backing of a sell-out crowd inside the compact Kassam Stadium to inspire them.

Mark Pougatch presents, with commentary by Sam Matterface and Lee Dixon and analysis from Karen Carney and Ian Wright.
Editor Sarah Nurse (S) (HD)
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10.20 ITV News
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

11.05 Heathrow: Britain's Busiest
Sue rescues a musician who's set to miss his concert while Airside Ian goes for promotion, and the team face a serious security breach.
Series producer Juliette Murray-Topham
Executive producers Eve Kay and Tom Barry (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.35 All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite
Hard-hitting action from the world of All Elite Wrestling featuring star fighters such as Jon Moxley, Chris Jericho and Bryan Danielson.
Shown last Friday ITV4 (S) (HD)

1.15am Home Shopping (HD)
3.00 Lingo Quiz show. Shown 3pm (S) (SL) (HD)
3.50 Unwind A sequence to calm the mind. (S) (HD)
5.05–6.00am Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers search for treasure. Shown 2pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

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Channel 4 4 / 7 in Wales

The Kardashians: Billion Dollar Dynasty *9.00pm* Kim dating Kanye West proves to be good for business

5.00pm Come Dine with Me: the Professionals
Full-time chefs battle it out in Manchester. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons
Kamp Krusty. Bart and Lisa are packed off to spend the summer at Kamp Krusty. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks
Maxine feels betrayed by James.
Writer Jonathan Larkin Cat Tue/Thu Shown last Fri E4 Rptd tomorrow 6.30am E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces
RT ***New series. Ep 1*** *Series 11.* George's project for this new series is an Arts and Crafts caravan, and, when he's not working on that, he catches up with other small-space builds. This week, he visits a carpenter who's trying to save a boat bound for the breakers yard and a woman who wants to turn a vintage caravan into a vegan café. The whole series will be available on All 4 after tonight's episode is shown. **See page 60.**
Directors Jonathan Profaska and Jack Thompson
Series producer Stephen Leigh
Repeated tomorrow 8pm and Friday 8pm 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Kardashians: Billion Dollar Dynasty
RT ***2/2.*** Kim Kardashian turns her back on the Kris Humphries scandal with the help of new boyfriend, Kanye West. Harnessing social media, the family generate stunning profits and, at the age of just 21, little sister Kylie Jenner takes Kim's playbook to the next level, launching a make-up range that makes her an overnight billionaire. With controversy and scandal appearing to boost their brand, Kim divorces Kanye, repositions herself as a human-rights lawyer and beckons in a new era. **See page 61.**
Director/Series producer Sam Wilkinson
Repeated 12.55am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 999: on the Front Line
Ep 2 *Series 8.* Two paramedic crews from the West Midlands hub rush to a man who is said to not be breathing, but there's a surprise in store when they arrive. Meanwhile, an emergency call is made when a woman collapses in the street.
Series producer Graeme Thomson; Exec producer Claire Simpson
Rptd Wednesday 12.10am 4seven First shown on More4 (S) (HD)

11.05 Emergency Helicopter Medics
Ep 6 *Series 4.* After Yvonne collapses with a cardiac arrest in Maulden, Bedfordshire, it's a race against time to get to her. In the Peaks, meanwhile, medics land on top of a steep ridge to reach Donna, who has collapsed while walking.
Directors Tina Curley, Timothy Penny and Nick Chapman
Series producer Abi Judge Repeated tomorrow 11.50pm 4seven
First shown on More4 (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Murder in the Outback: the Falconio and Lees Mystery *1/4.* Documentary examining the killing of British tourist Peter Falconio in Australia in July 2001. Continues tomorrow 12.05am. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
1.00 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA The chef visits a failing New York restaurant. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)
1.50 The Simpsons Three spooky tales. (R) (S) (AD)
2.15 Couples Come Dine with Me Three couples host parties in the Spanish resort of Marbella. (R) (S) (HD)
3.05 George Clarke's Old House, New Home Doing up a Victorian home in Worthing. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
4.00 Grand Designs A Brittany home built almost entirely from recycled materials. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
4.55 Sarah Beeny's New Life in the Country Sarah and Graham await news from the council. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
5.50–6.10am Kirstie's House of Craft Chris Hollins and Laura Hamilton craft paper gift bags. (R) (S) (HD)

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BBC4 9 / 24 in Scotland

The US and the Holocaust *10.00pm* Franklin D Roosevelt was concerned about the refugee crisis

7.00pm Great Indian Railway Journeys
3/4. **Mysuru to Chennai.** Michael Portillo travels through the modern south Indian states of Karnataka and Tamil Nadu, from the former princely state of Mysore to the first stronghold of the East India Company in Chennai. In Mysuru, he meets the Maharaja at Mysore Palace. More tomorrow 7pm.
Director Ben Rowland
Series producer Alison Kreps (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Vienna: Empire, Dynasty and Dream
2/3. Simon Sebag Montefiore looks at the city's triumph at the end of the 17th century as the Ottoman threat receded. Vienna was no longer an outpost defending the West from Islamic invaders, enabling the Habsburg emperors to transform the city into a cultural capital that was a magnet for musicians such as Mozart and Haydn.
Directors/Producers Dominic Ozanne and Richard Pearson (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Britain's Lost Masterpieces
2/3 *Series 3.* **Manchester.** Dr Bendor Grosvenor finds a painting from the 1770s at the Manchester Art Gallery which he believes has been incorrectly attributed to Nathaniel Dance. He feels strongly it is by the German painter Johann Zoffany, a favourite portraitist of the royal family under King George III.
Director/Series producer Spike Geilinger
Signed repeat Wednesday 2.55am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The US and the Holocaust
RT ***New series. 1/3.*** **The Golden Door (Beginnings: 1938).** An insight into how the American people and their leaders responded to one of the greatest humanitarian disasters of the 20th century, and how this catastrophe challenged their identity as a nation of immigrants and the ideals of American democracy. Following decades of open borders, a xenophobic backlash sees the US pass laws restricting immigration. In Germany, Hitler finds support for his anti-Semitic rhetoric and the Nazis begin their persecution of the Jews. The whole series will be on iPlayer after this episode is shown. **See p61.**
Directors Ken Burns, Lynn Novick and Sarah Botstein (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Ireland to Sydney by Any Means *5/6.* An excursion through Vietnam comes to an abrupt end. First shown in 2008. More tomorrow 12 midnight. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00–3.55am The Capture *1/6* *Series 1* **What Happens in Helmand.** Mystery crime drama. A soldier has his murder conviction overturned, but ends up the subject of another investigation when CCTV footage emerges.
1.55 *2/6.* Toy Soldier. Rachel is suspicious when MI5 seize evidence in Shaun's case.
2.55 *3/6.* Truffle Hog. Shaun is interrogated by the CIA. More tomorrow 1am.

DI Rachel Carey	**Holliday Grainger**
Frank Napier	**Ron Perlman**
Shaun Emery	**Callum Turner**
Danny Hart	**Ben Miles**
Det Supt Gemma Garland	**Lia Williams**
Hannah Roberts	**Laura Haddock**

More cast tomorrow (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

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MONDAY Television

BBC1 SCOTLAND
8.00–8.30pm Money for Nothing **10.40** Scot Squad **11.10** James Arthur: Out of Our Minds **12.10am** The Graham Norton Show **1.00** Have I Got News for You **1.30** Weather for the Week Ahead **1.35–6.00** BBC News

BBC SCOTLAND
2.00pm My Kind of Town: Girvan: signed **2.30** Iain Robertson Rambles: signed **3.00–4.00** This Farming Life: signed **7.00** My Kind of Town: Girvan **7.30** Iain Robertson Rambles **8.00** This Farming Life **9.00** The Nine **10.00** River City **10.30** The Scotts **11.00** Growing Up Scottish **11.30–12 midnight** Sky High Club: Scotland and Beyond

STV
10.20pm ITV News; STV News; Weather **11.00** Scotland Tonight; ITV Weather **11.25** All Elite Wrestling: Rampage **12.25–3.00am** Home Shopping **3.50–5.05** Night Vision

BBC1 WALES
3.00pm Wales's Home of the Year **3.30–3.45** Weatherman Walking: Aberdyfi **8.00–8.30** Question of Sport

BBC2 WALES
10.00–10.30pm Age of Outrage: a compilation of comedy sketches

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND
7.00pm Hope Street: Marlene is unable to investigate a racing pigeon theft, as she is allergic to birds **7.45** Northern Irish Holidays: stories and personal films of treasured holiday memories **8.00–8.30** EastEnders

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND
7.00–7.30pm The One Show **10.00–10.30** Trad Ar Fad!: new series. Music from the Festival Interceltique de Lorient in Brittany

UTV
11.05pm View from Stormont **12.05am** Heathrow: Britain's Busiest Airport: Sue saves a passenger who is a musician from missing his concert **12.35** Keepers of the Lough: a meeting with the RNLI's new female recruit on Strangford Lough **1.00–1.15** World of Sport: featuring archive footage of James Hunt, Barry Sheene and Kelvin Burt

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MONDAY Freeview

Channel 5 [5]

Police: Night Shift 999 *9.00pm*
PC Fox is left foxed by a strange shift

5.35am Milkshake! See page 66
9.15 *New.* Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)
12.45pm Traffic Cops Ant and Mark's dogged pursuit of a stolen moped takes them into the estates of Sheffield. (S) (HD)
1.40 5 News (S) (HD)
1.45 Home and Away The town waits for news of Marilyn's whereabouts.
Shown last Friday 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 The Mother-in-Law ★★ Thriller. A woman realises she is being stalked, and the culprit may be closer than she thinks.
Director David DeCoteau (2021) (S) (W) (HD)
4.00 *New.* Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun In Benidorm, we meet familiar faces and new characters living the affordable dream in the Costa sun. (S) (HD)
5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)
6.00 Holiday Homes in the Sun
Scenic rental properties in Combe Martin and Ilfracombe in north Devon.
Directors Ben Risley and Soraya Spiers (S) (HD)
6.55 5 News Update (S) (HD)
7.00 Police Interceptors
The officers are on the tail of a fast-moving Astra that has been reported as stolen, and Paul and Rich learn the delicate art of conducting police work with vulnerable suspects.
Directors/Producers Rachael Davies, Mike Parmenter and James Warner (S) (HD)
7.55 5 News Update (S) (HD)
8.00 *New.* Traffic Cops
Series 12. In North Yorkshire, a tip-off leads to the arrest of a driver travelling through the county with a massive haul of cannabis. Near York, police cameras trigger an alert for a stolen van. When the vehicle is stopped, officers are surprised to find two young children inside, being driven by their father, who doesn't have a licence.
Series director/producer Simon Meehan (S) (HD)
Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
9.00 *New.* Police: Night Shift 999
4/8 Series 2. PCs Hayes and Fox are called to a suspected fight, a lovers' spat spirals out of control and a firearms unit is deployed to storm a house.
Directors Greg Ashcroft, Simon Bowyer and Mark Stanton Repeated Thursday 12.05am (S) (HD)
10.00 Casualty 24/7: Every Second Counts
Staff at Barnsley Hospital deal with a heart attack, traffic collision injuries, allergic reactions and chainsaw wounds.
Series producer Fiona Keenaghan (S) (HD)
11.05 999: Critical Condition
A man with a torn aorta needs urgent medical attention to prevent catastrophic internal bleeding.
Directors Edmond Buckley and Jack Wood (S) (HD)
12.05am Police Interceptors (S) (HD) **1.00 *New.*** Casino (S) (HD) **3.00** Entertainment News (S) (HD) **3.05** Holiday Homes in the Sun (S) (HD) **3.55** Get Your Tatts Out: Kavos Ink (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** Divine Designs (S) (SL) **5.10–5.35am** House Doctor (S) (SL)

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BBC3 [23]

Search Party *10.00pm* Dory does some snooping at Chantal's house

7.00pm Hungry for It
4/8. The cooks level up vegetarian junk food and create meat alternatives for a packed-out hub. More tomorrow 7pm. (S) (AD) (HD)
Followed by ***New.* The Catch Up** (S) (HD)
8.00 *New.* Young MasterChef
4/10. The final nine cooks take on pizza night. More tomorrow 8pm. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.30 *New series.* Meet the Khans: Big in Bolton
1/5 Series 3. The Khans are back in the UK for the summer. Series 3 will join series 1 and 2 on iPlayer after this episode is shown. More tomorrow 8.30pm. (S) (HD)
9.00 Gordon Ramsay's Future Food Stars
1/8. The chef hunts for the UK's most exciting new food and drink businesses. More tomorrow 9pm. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 *New.* Search Party
3/10. **The Night of One Hundred Candles.** Dory attempts to reassure the missing woman's parents at a vigil. (S) (HD)
10.25 *New.* *4/10.* The Captive Dinner Guest. Dory tries to grill Chantal's ex. (S) (HD)
10.50 Back to Life
4/6. Oscar feigns a migraine.
11.15 *5/6.* Billy finds out the truth.
11.40 *6/6.* Miri stands up to a community trying to run her out of town. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.05am Meet the Khans: Big in Bolton (S) (HD) **12.35** as 8pm **1.05** Hungry for It (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** Back to Life: triple bill (S) (AD) (HD) **3.20** Young MasterChef (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **3.50–4.00am** Press X to Continue (S) (HD)

BBC3 **F'view** 23/**HD** 109 (not Scot/Wales) **F'sat** 179/**HD** 107 **Sky** 117 (173 London; 141 Scot) **Virgin** 107 (157 Scot/Wales)

ITV2 [6]

6.00am World's Funniest Videos (S) (HD) **6.35** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (SL) (HD) **7.00** Secret Crush (S) (SL) (HD) **8.00** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **9.00** Chuck (S) (HD) **10.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **11.00** The OC (S) (HD) **12 noon** Secret Crush (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (S) (HD) **3.05** Chuck (S) (HD) **4.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **5.00** The OC (S) (HD)
6.00pm Celebrity Catchphrase With Sir Chris Hoy, Martine McCutcheon and Faye Tozer. Hosted by Stephen Mulhern. (S) (AD) (HD)
7.00 Ninja Warrior UK Semi-final of the challenge, with Ben Shephard, Rochelle Humes and Chris Kamara. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Superstore *9/21 Series 5.* Staff are asked to take all purchases straight to customers' cars. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.30 *10/21.* Sandra and Jonah represent the staff during contract negotiations. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Family Guy *Series 12.* Three traditional fairy tales are retold, Quahog-style.
9.30 Brian's estranged son Dylan, now a teen reality TV star, turns up in Quahog.
10.00 Peter forms a relationship with an elderly friend of his late mother.
10.30 Peter finds that he has a vestigial twin growing out of his neck and names him Chip.
11.00 Quagmire meets a woman with a sexual appetite as insatiable as his. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.30 American Dad! *Series 16.* The Smiths take a trip on a steam locomotive. (S) (AD) (HD)
12 midnight Stan turns the house into an urban homestead. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.30am Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **1.30** Kavos Weekender: new staff members Lucy, Jaegia, Ethan and Joel arrive (S) (HD) **2.30–3.00am** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD)

ITV2 **Freeview** 6 **Freesat** 113 **Sky** 118 **Virgin** 115/**HD** 176
+1 **Freeview** 29 **Freesat** 114 **Sky** 218 **Virgin** 116

ITV3 [10]

Vera *8.00pm* DCI Stanhope is called in to investigate a hit-and-run case

6.00am Classic Emmerdale (S) **7.00** Classic Coronation Street (S) (AD) **8.05** George & Mildred (S) **9.15** Agatha Christie's Marple: *Sleeping Murder.* A woman experiences an unsettling vision after moving to the home of her dreams Repeated 12.05am (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** Heartbeat: *5/10.* A feud between neighbours turns into a siege; **12.35pm** *6/10.* Nick tackles a tidy-minded burglar who insists on clearing up the houses he robs (S) (AD)
1.40pm Classic Emmerdale: double bill. Pat is weakening in hospital, then Emily fears the worst (S) **2.40** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Les puts thoughts of Janice behind him, then Rita's birthday goes off with a bang (S) (AD) **3.45** Inspector Morse: *Series 2. Last Seen Wearing.* The Oxford detective investigates the case of a schoolgirl who has been missing for months (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00pm Heartbeat
7/10 Series 1. A chaotic CND rally results in an MP being blackmailed. (S) (AD)
7.00 *8/10.* Village life is disrupted by a circus family who are accused of corrupting the vicar's daughter. (S) (AD)
8.00 Vera
3/4 Series 6. **The Moth Catcher.** DCI Vera Stanhope is called in to investigate after Alex Gartside is killed in a hit-and-run. But then a grim discovery is made inside the house Alex had been minding. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 DCI Banks
1/6 Series 3. **Wednesday's Child 1/2**
A couple claiming to be social workers tell Katy Heath that they need to take her son away. When the boy is not then returned, DCI Alan Banks leads the search, but contradictory evidence soon emerges. Starring Stephen Tompkinson, Andrea Lowe and Caroline Catz. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 *2/6.* **Wednesday's Child 2/2**
When the body of 11-year-old Andre Petri is found on the moors, Banks discerns a link to Kyle Heath's disappearance. More tomorrow 10pm. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.05am Agatha Christie's Marple Shown 9.15am (S) (AD) (HD) **2.15–2.30am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV3 **Freeview** 10 **Freesat** 115 **Sky** 119 **Virgin** 117/**HD** 177
+1 **F'view** 59 *(9pm–4am)* **F'sat** 116 **Sky** 219 **Virgin** 174

ITV4 [26]

6.00am Football League Legends (S) (HD) **6.10** The Champions (S) **7.05** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (AD) (HD) **8.15** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **9.20** The Professionals (S) (AD) **10.20** Minder (S) (AD) **11.30** The Champions (S) **12.30pm** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (AD) (HD) **1.40** The Motorbike Show (S) (HD) **2.40** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **3.45** The Professionals (S) (AD) **4.50** Minder (S) (AD) **5.55** The Motorbike Show (S) (HD)
6.55pm Premiership Rugby Union Highlights Action from the latest fixtures, including Gloucester v Saracens. (S) (HD)
8.00 The Chase Celebrity Special Hayley Tamaddon, Gaby Roslin, Sir Geoff Hurst and Rob Beckett try to beat a Chaser. (S) (HD)
9.00 FILM Gran Torino ★★★ Drama starring Clint Eastwood. A Korean War veteran is thrown into conflict with his Hmong neighbours after one of the teenage sons tries to steal his prize 1972 Ford Gran Torino. **Film of the Day: p67.** (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
11.25 FILM Pale Rider ★★★ Western directed by and starring Clint Eastwood. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
1.50am The Professionals (S) (SL) (AD) **2.45–3.00am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV4 **Freeview** 26 **Freesat** 117 **Sky** 120 **Virgin** 118/**HD** 178
+1 **Freesat** 118 **Sky** 220 **Virgin** 175

Drama [20]

The Inspector Lynley Mysteries
8.00pm A tricky case for Havers

7.20am All Creatures Great and Small Rptd 4.10pm (S) **8.15** The Bill: Leela suspects Sheelagh of racism **9.15** Classic Holby City: Roxanna and Gaskell return to Holby (S) (HD) **10.35** Classic Casualty: Ethan tries to make Scott admit he attacked Cal (HD) **11.40** The Bill: a race demonstration spirals out of control
12.40pm Classic EastEnders: double bill. Sharon's plans meet with opposition, then a request takes Janine by surprise **2.00** Howards' Way: *6/13 Series 1.* Polly lies to Leo Rptd 2.50am **3.10** Pie in the Sky: *6/10 Series 1* Crabbe investigates a killing in Wychwold Rptd 1.50am (S) **4.10** All Creatures Great and Small: *8/12 Series 6. Mending Fences* Tragedy mars a birthday celebration Shown 7.20am **5.25** As Time Goes By: Lionel's proposal creates a backlash Repeated 1.10am (S)
6.00pm Are You Being Served?
Series 6. **Happy Returns.** The staff organise a cabaret for Young Mr Grace. (S)
6.40 'Allo 'Allo!
3/6 Series 9. **Dead Man Marching**
Michelle plans for René to go to England.
Repeated 12.30am (S)
7.20 Last of the Summer Wine
Series 2. **A Quiet Drink.** The trio target a tight-fisted pub-goer at the local. (S)
8.00 The Inspector Lynley Mysteries
2/4 Series 2. **In the Presence of the Enemy**
Havers is sent to Buckinghamshire to investigate the death of a radical left-wing Cabinet minister's illegitimate daughter. (S)
10.00 New Tricks
3/10 Series 10. **The Sins of the Father**
Brian is convinced his days with Ucos are numbered, and the team reopens a 16-year-old murder. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.10 Hustle
6/6 Series 6. **The Hush Heist.** The con-artists are arrested after unwittingly targeting an undercover police officer. (HD)
12.30am 'Allo 'Allo! Shown 6.40pm (S)
1.10 As Time Goes By Shown 5.25pm (S)
1.50 Pie in the Sky Shown 3.10pm (S)
2.50–4.00am Howards' Way Shown 2pm

Drama **Freeview** 20 **Freesat** 158 **Sky** 143 **Virgin** 130
+1 **Freeview** 60 **Sky** 243 **Virgin** 226

ITVBe [28]

7.00am The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Buying and Selling (S) (HD) **9.00** LittleBe: children's programmes (HD)
12 noon Be Beautiful (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm** The Real Housewives of New York City (S) (HD) **1.05** The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** The Only Way Is Essex (S) (HD) **3.05** Million Dollar Listing: LA (S) (HD) **4.05** The Real Housewives of Atlanta (S) (HD) **5.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD)
6.00pm Masters of Flip Dave and Kortney Wilson work on a bungalow. (S) (HD)
7.00 Buying and Selling A couple who have outgrown their starter home. (S) (HD)
8.00 Dinner Date Jason from Essex chooses three blind dates. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Botched Dr Dubrow and Dr Nassif recall patients, including a woman with pubic hair growing out of her cheek. (S) (HD)
10.00 Paul Nassif comes to the rescue of a cat lady, setting both her nose and her priorities straight. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 The Cabins One lovelorn dater is trying to smooth things over. (S) (HD)
12 midnight–1.00am The Only Way Is Essex: Dan heads out on a wild night with the boys (S) (HD)

ITVBe **Freeview** 28 **Freesat** 119 **Sky** 131 **Virgin** 119/**HD** 179
+1 **Virgin** 120 (Scotland 162)

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More4 18

George Clarke's Remarkable Renovations *9.00pm* In Framlingham

8.55am Kirstie's Vintage Gems **9.15** A Place in the Sun **10.05** A New Life in the Sun **11.05** Find It, Fix It, Flog It: double bill
1.10pm Heir Hunters **3.10** Four in a Bed **5.55** Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It (AD)
6.55pm Escape to the Château Dick and Angel Strawbridge make plans to host weddings in the grounds of their 45-room property, while looking ahead to keeping livestock and growing their own crops. (AD)
7.55 Grand Designs Kevin McCloud follows a commercial architect and his art director wife as they try to build a family home near York, inspired by a giant farm shed. (AD)
9.00 George Clarke's Remarkable Renovations A pig farmer and his wife have ambitious plans to restore a Grade II listed pub, a butcher's shop, a bakery and a slaughterhouse in Framlingham, Suffolk. (AD)
10.00 24 Hours in Police Custody The work of Bedfordshire Police, focusing on the case of a devastating high-speed crash involving three people, which followed an apparent break-in at a rural property. (AD)
11.05 Swingers With hundreds of thousands of Brits reportedly on the swinging scene, this documentary meets men and women from all backgrounds attending one of the most popular swingers' clubs in the country. (AD)
12.10am Shocking Emergency Calls (AD) **1.15** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown **2.20** 24 Hours in A&E (AD) **3.25–3.50am** Food Unwrapped Investigates: dietary supplements (AD)

More4 **F'view** 18 **F'sat** 124 **Sky** 136 **Virgin** 147/**HD** 195
+1 **Freesat** 125 **Sky** 236 **Virgin** 196

E4 13

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown last Thu/Fri Channel 4 (AD) **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **9.00** The Goldbergs: double bill (AD) **10.00** The Big Bang Theory: two episodes (AD)
12 noon Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **3.00** Modern Family **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **5.00** The Big Bang Theory: double bill (AD)
6.00pm The Big Bang Theory *21/24* *Series 9.* A rift develops in the group. (AD)
6.30 *22/24.* The gang goes to a bar. (AD)
7.00 ***New.*** **Hollyoaks** Eric takes Maxine to an unknown location and reveals his plans. Cast pp73/93 Repeated tomorrow 6.30pm C4 (AD)
7.30 ***New.*** **Modern Family** *12/24* *Series 6* Claire confronts the neighbours about the boat on their lawn. First shown on Sky
8.00 The Great Celebrity Bake Off for Stand Up to Cancer With Harry Hill, Martin Kemp, Roisin Conaty and Bill Turnbull. (AD)
9.00 Gogglebox Opinions on *I'm a Celebrity... Get Me Out of Here!* and *Tiger King 2*. (AD)
10.00 Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits Highlights from the dating show. (AD)
11.05 First Dates A part-time wrestler returns to the restaurant. (SL) (AD)
12.10am Gogglebox: double bill (SL) (AD)
2.15 Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits (AD)
3.10 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (SL)
4.50–6.00am The Goldbergs: double bill (AD)

E4 **Freeview** 13 **Freesat** 122 **Sky** 135 **Virgin** 106/**HD** 145
+1 **Freeview** 30 **Freesat** 123 **Sky** 235 **Virgin** 146
E4 Extra **Freeview** 31 **Freesat** 181 **Sky** 138 **Virgin** 337

Really 17

6.00am Fantasy Homes by the Sea **7.00** Shopping **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** Posh Pawnbrokers **10.00** Antiques Road Trip **12 noon** Money for Nothing **1.00pm** The Bidding Room **2.00** Animal Cops Phoenix (AD) **4.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet **5.00** Cornwall Air 999 **6.00** Money for Nothing **7.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00** RT **CHOICE** The Edinburgh Auction House **See p61** **10.00** The Repair Shop **11.00** Ghost Adventures **12 midnight** The Osbournes Want to Believe **1.00am** Ghost Adventures **2.00** Shopping **4.00–6.00am** as 2pm

Really **Freeview** 17 **Freesat** 160 **Sky** 142 **Virgin** 128

Sky Arts 11

Spike Milligan: the Unseen Archive *9.00pm* An unpublished play

6.00am Hollywood in Vienna: the Sound of Space and Alexandre Desplat **8.00** Reinventing the Orchestra with Charles Hazlewood **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected: double bill (AD) **10.00** Alfred Hitchcock Presents: double bill **11.00** Discovering: Richard Gere
12 noon The Summer of Love (AD) **1.00pm** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **2.00** Wordsworth and Coleridge Road Trip with Frank Skinner and Denise Mina **3.00** Portrait Artist of the Year (AD) **4.00** Discovering: Dennis Hopper **5.00** Tales of the Unexpected: double bill (AD)
6.00pm Alfred Hitchcock Presents A woman is suspected of smuggling a necklace.
6.30 A waitress plots murder after learning she has been included in a wealthy patron's will.
7.00 André Rieu: Live in Brazil The violinist's first-ever concert in Sao Paulo.
9.00 Spike Milligan: the Unseen Archive Recently unearthed film, interviews and scripts from the comedy writer's archive.
10.35 Comedy Legends Barry Cryer pays tribute to comedy acts he has worked with, beginning with Tommy Cooper.
11.35 Discovering: Doris Day A profile of the actress and singer who starred in a series of popular film musicals. (AD)
12.35am Too Young to Die: a look at the struggle behind the facade of the Carpenters (AD) **1.35** Margaret Atwood: a Word after a Word after a Word Is Power **3.35** The South Bank Show **4.35** Discovering: Jethro Tull **5.05** Music Icons: Metalheads **5.30–6.00am** Video Killed the Radio Star

Sky Arts **Freeview** 11 **Freesat** 147 **Sky** 130 **Virgin** 165/**HD** 140 **BT** 350/**HD** 365

4seven 49

9.00am Come Dine with Me: five editions from south London **11.30** A Place in the Sun
1.30pm A New Life in the Sun **2.30** Come Dine with Me (AD) **5.00** A Place in the Sun
6.00pm A New Life in the Sun A creative couple begin to renovate a shop. Shown 4pm C4
7.00 A Place in the Sun Laura Hamilton helps a woman return to her St Lucia roots.
7.30 Food Unwrapped's New Year Health Kick Kate Quilton finds out if lettuce can improve sleep and Jimmy Doherty discovers why sweet potatoes count as one of your "five a day". Shown last Friday Channel 4 (AD)
9.00 24 Hours in A&E *Ep 1.* A 45-year-old is rushed in after an accident at a fun run, a 93-year-old suffers shortness of breath and a youngster has a fall. Shown last Tue C4 (AD)
10.00 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown Jonathan Ross and Joe Wilkinson take on Roisin Conaty and Ahir Shah. Mat Ewins is in Dictionary Corner. Shown last Fri C4
11.05 Catching a Killer *1/4.* Thames Valley Police's investigation into the disappearance of 31-year-old Natalie Hemming in 2016. (AD)
12.55am The Kardashians: Billion Dollar Dynasty (AD) **2.00** 999: on the Front Line **3.05** Belfast Midwives (AD) **4.05** Food Unwrapped **4.30–5.30am** Kirstie's House of Craft

4seven **F'view** 49 **F'sat** 127 **Sky** 137 **Virgin** 143/**HD** 193

Quest 12

6.00am How Do They Do It? **6.25** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **7.10** The Repair Shop **8.00** American Pickers **10.00** Chasing Classic Cars **11.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars **12 noon** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **1.00pm** The Repair Shop **2.00** The Restoration Man **3.00** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **4.00** Salvage Hunters **5.00** Salvage Hunters: the Restorers **6.00** Wheeler Dealers **7.00** Aussie Gold Hunters **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** ***New.*** Outback Opal Hunters **10.00** Gem Hunters Down Under **11.00** How Do They Do It? **12 midnight** Wheeler Dealers **1.00am** Cornwall Air 999 **2.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars **3.00** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **4.00–5.00am** How It's Made

Quest **Freeview** 12 **Freesat** 172/**HD** 167 **Sky** 144 **Virgin** 169
+1 **Freeview** 70 **Freesat** 168 **Sky** 244 **Virgin** 213

Yesterday 27

Hornby: a Model World *8.00pm* Director of Development Simon Kohler

6.00am History Hunters **8.00** Abandoned Engineering (AD) **9.00** Secret Nazi Bases **10.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler (AD) **11.00** Fred Dibnah's Age of Steam
12 noon Great British Railway Journeys **1.00pm** Great British Railway Journeys Goes to Ireland **2.00** Bangers and Cash (AD) **4.00** Secret Nazi Bases **5.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler (AD)
6.00pm Great British Railway Journeys Goes to Ireland Michael Portillo discovers a hero of the American navy in Wexford.
6.30 Michael Portillo explores the house and gardens of Powerscourt in County Wicklow.
7.00 Fred Dibnah's Age of Steam The development of steam power.
7.30 The first passenger railways.
8.00 RT **CHOICE** ***New.*** **Hornby: a Model World** *1/11* *Series 2.* The Flying Scotsman is scaled down 120 times. **See page 60.** (AD)
9.00 The Architecture the Railways Built Tim Dunn visits the Ffestiniog in Wales. (AD)
10.00 Bangers and Cash Derek heads to Ripon to pick up a 1965 Ford Anglia. (AD)
11.00 Abandoned Engineering Concrete channels hidden in a mountaintop forest. (AD)
12 midnight Great British Railway Journeys **1.00–3.00am** History Hunters

Yesterday **Freeview** 27 **Freesat** 159 **Sky** 155 **Virgin** 129
+1 **Freeview** 75 **Sky** 255 **Virgin** 217

Dave 19

7.10am Modern Wheels or Classic Steals **8.00** Fast Justice **10.00** Rick Stein's India (AD) **11.00** Rick Stein: from Venice to Istanbul (AD)
12 noon The Force: behind the Line **1.00pm** Special Ops: Crime Squad UK (AD) **2.00** Top Gear (AD) **4.00** QI XL
5.00pm Taskmaster *4/5* *Series 3.* With a task involving handing clothing to a cyclist.
6.00 *5/5.* The winner is chosen.
7.00 Richard Osman's House of Games With David Baddiel, Alex Brooker, Sophie Duker and Charlotte Hawkins.
7.40 Would I Lie to You? With Greg Rutherford, Kirsty Young, Joanna Scanlan and Henning Wehn. Rob Brydon hosts.
8.20 QI Aisling Bea, Roisin Conaty, Jessica Fostekew and Alan Davies take part.
9.00 QI XL Questions on the theme of plants.
10.00 Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You Extended edition from November 2018.
11.00 Taskmaster *6/10* *Series 6.* The contestants face challenges involving snowglobes and rubber ducks.
12 midnight Mock the Week **12.40am** Would I Lie to You? **1.20** QI **2.00** Richard Osman's House of Games **2.30** Famalam: comedy sketches **2.55–4.00am** Modern Wheels or Classic Steals

Dave **F'view** 19 **F'sat** 157 **Sky** 111 (Wales 112) **Virgin** **HD** 127
Dave Ja Vu **Freeview** 74 **Sky** 211 (Wales 212) **Virgin** 131

London Live 8

6.00am Dork Hunters from Outer Space **6.30** Kong: the Animated Series **7.00** Roswell Conspiracies **7.30** Extreme Dinosaurs **8.00** Bino & Fino **8.30** Skysurfer Strike Force **9.00** Department S **10.00** Top Tens of Warfare **11.00** Floyd on France **11.45** Secrets of London with Mark Monroe **12 noon** The World's Most Extraordinary Families **1.00pm** The Wipers Times **2.50 FILM** The Informers ★★ (BW) **5.00** For the Love of Ada **6.00** London Live News **7.00** The Baron **8.00** Michael Palin's New Europe **9.15** The Comic Strip Presents… South Atlantic Raiders **10.00** Quest Boxing League **11.00 FILM** Albatross ★★★ **12.50am FILM** Assassin ★★ **2.30** The Brothers McGregor **3.00 FILM** Bloody Mama ★★★ **4.45–6.00am** Michael Palin's New Europe

London Live **Freeview** 8 **Sky** 117 **Virgin** **HD** 159
Other regional stations are available on Freeview 7 or 8 around the country

5 USA 21

9.00am Entertainment News **9.05** NCIS (AD) **2.00pm** Law & Order **3.55** Entertainment News **4.00** NCIS: double bill **6.00** NCIS *Series 10.* Triple bill. A petty officer moonlighting as a valet is shot dead **7.00** A navy lieutenant dies after a fight **8.00** Abby creates a 3D computer model of the attack (AD) **9.00** The Blacklist *Series 2* Red and Ressler track down Liz's ex-husband in Germany, finding him involved in an arms deal **10.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit *Series 19.* Double bill. A pilot hijacks a commercial plane, then a right-wing pundit is raped following a protest
12 midnight Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: double bill **1.50am** The Blacklist: double bill **3.35–4.00am** Criminals: Caught on Camera

5 USA **Freeview** 21 **Freesat** 129 **Sky** 141 **Virgin** 153
+1 **Freesat** 130 **Sky** 241 **Virgin** 185

5 Star 32

8.00am Entertainment News **8.10** Rich Kids Go Skint **9.00** Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun **10.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law **11.00** Call the Bailiffs: Time to Pay Up **12 noon** Traffic Cops **2.00pm** Police Interceptors **5.00** Shoplifters and Scammers
6.00pm Home and Away Felicity wants to play matchmaker. Shown 1.45pm C5 (AD)
6.30 ***New.*** Kirby accuses Theo of reading her messages, but admits she needs closure. (AD)
7.00 GPs: behind Closed Doors A girl with a rare congenital condition has a consultation.
8.00 Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun Healthy dishes for a slimming boot camp.
9.00 ***New series.*** **Rich Kids Go Skint** *1/10* *Series 5.* Rich selfie addict Sam experiences skint life with single mum Charlotte.
10.00 Cold Case Killers Vikki Thompson's brutal murder in 2012.
11.00 Countdown to Murder Investigating the brutal murder of Jessica Patel.
12 midnight Skin A&E (AD) **1.00am** My Lover, My Killer **2.00** GPs: behind Closed Doors **3.00** Amazing Cleans (AD) **3.45–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Star **Freeview** 32 **Freesat** 131 **Sky** 128 **Virgin** 151
+1 **Freesat** 141 **Sky** 228 **Virgin** 186

5 Action 33

9.00am Entertainment News **9.15** Winter Road Rescue **10.15** Trucking Hell **11.10 FILM** Cast a Giant Shadow ★★★ War drama starring Kirk Douglas. **Review page 67**
2.05pm FILM The Gunfight at Dodge City ★★ Western starring Joel McCrea **3.50** Trucking Hell **4.55** Winter Road Rescue
6.05pm Police Interceptors One of Cumbria's most alcohol-fuelled nights.
7.00 Trucking Hell A reach forklift has flipped over in a muddy garden.
8.00 Police Interceptors Hayley and Ben rush to the scene of a motorway crash and dog handler Barry bags a burglar.
9.00 FILM Non-Stop ★★★ Action thriller starring Liam Neeson and Julianne Moore. Retired air marshal Bill Marks is on a flight when he is informed that a passenger will die every 20 minutes unless $150 million is paid.
11.10 FILM Kickboxer: Retaliation ★★★ Martial arts adventure starring Alain Moussi and Jean-Claude Van Damme.
1.25am Police Interceptors **2.25** Criminals: Caught on Camera (AD) **3.25** Car Crash TV **4.10–5.00am** Airport 24/7: Thailand (AD)

5 Action **F'view** 33 **F'sat** 132 **Sky** 150 **Virgin** 187/**HD** 150

5 Select 56

9.00am GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **10.00** The Yorkshire Vet (AD) **12 noon** The Highland Vet **1.00pm** GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **3.00** The Yorkshire Vet **5.00** The Highland Vet
6.00pm Walking Britain's Lost Railways The Waverley Route in the Scottish Borders.
7.00 The Yorkshire Vet Julian Norton meets a champion ferret with an infected foot.
8.00 Atlantic: a Year in the Wild The trials of creatures in the ocean's winter. (AD)
9.00 A Farm through Time Ruth Goodman introduces Victorian farm machinery.
10.00 Forged in Fire Double bill.
11.55 Inside the Steam Train Museum Life at Bressingham Steam Museum in Norfolk.
12.55am Walking Britain's Roman Roads: with historian Dan Jones **1.55** Lighthouses: Building the Impossible **3.00** Walking Britain's Lost Railways **3.45–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Select **F'view** (HD only) 56 **F'sat** 133 **Sky** 153 **Virgin** 152

FREEVIEW TV and film channels continue overleaf

BBC News **Freeview** 231 **Freesat** 212 **Sky** 503 **Virgin** 601 **Sky News** **Freeview** 233 **Freesat** 202 **Sky** 501 **Virgin** 603 **BT** 313

Television MONDAY

W 25

Changing Rooms Australia *8.00pm* Renee and Adam

6.15am Top Chef (S) (HD) **7.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes (S) (HD) **8.00** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **10.00** DIY SOS: Homes for Veterans (S) (HD) **11.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (S) (HD) **12 noon** MasterChef USA (HD) **1.00pm** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **4.00** DIY SOS: Homes for Veterans (S) (HD) **5.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes (S) (HD)

7.00pm *New.* MasterChef USA The chefs must cook a meal for over 100 men and women. (HD)

8.00 *New series.* Changing Rooms Australia Renovation show. Adam and Renee want to change their front room. (HD)

9.30 DIY SOS: Children in Need Special The team builds an adventure campsite . (S) (HD)

10.50 24 Hours in A&E A 79-year-old man arrives after collapsing in the street. (HD)

11.50 Nurses on the Ward Mahbuba treats a two-year-old with a high temperature. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.50–3.00am Tipping Point (S) (HD)

W F'view 25 **F'sat** 156 **Sky** 132 **Virgin HD** 125 **+1 Sky** 232 **Virgin** 190

Pick 36

7.00am Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **8.00** Motorway Patrol (AD) **9.00** UK Border Force (AD) **10.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **11.00** Highway Patrol **12 noon** Highway Cops **1.00pm** Border Patrol **2.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **3.00** Nothing to Declare **4.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **5.00** Star Trek: Enterprise **6.00pm** The Librarians **7.00** Caught Red Handed **8.10** Nothing to Declare **9.00** Double Murder: the discovery of two brothers' bodies in June 2005 **10.00** World's Most Evil Killers: serial killer Lonnie Franklin **11.00** Britain's Most Evil Killers **12 midnight** Murders That Shocked the Nation: the case of John Christie (AD) **1.00am** Britcam: Emergency on Our Streets (AD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare **3.00** Border Patrol **4.00** Motorway Patrol **5.00–6.00am** Highway Cops

Pick F'view 36 **F'sat** 144 **Sky** 151 **Virgin** 156

HGTV 44

7.00am *New.* Building Off the Grid **8.00** Love Your Garden **9.00** A Place in the Sun **10.00** Escape to the Country **12 noon** My Lottery Dream Home **1.00pm** 100 Day Dream Home (AD) **2.00** Rock the Block **3.00** Love Your Garden **4.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **5.00** Building Off the Grid **6.00** A Place in the Sun **7.00** Escape to the Country **8.00 *New.*** My Dream Derelict Home in the Sun **9.00 *New.*** How We Got to Here: Looking Back on Fixer Upper **10.00** Home Again with the Fords (AD) **11.00** 100 Day Dream Home (AD) **12 midnight** as 7pm **1.00am** as 5pm **2.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **3.00–4.00am** as 12 noon

HGTV F'view 44 **F'sat** 166 **Sky** 158 **Virgin** 286 **+1 Sky** 258 **Virgin** 290

FREEVIEW channels continued from overleaf

Food Network 43

Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea *10.00pm* Thai fish curry

6.00am Trisha's Southern Kitchen (HD) **7.00** The Pioneer Woman (HD) **8.00 *New.*** Girl Meets Farm (HD) **9.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food (HD) **10.00** Hairy Dieters: How to Love Food and Lose Weight (HD) **11.00** Rachel Allen's Cake Diaries (S) (HD) **12 noon** Bake Off: the Professionals (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Bake Off: the Professionals – the Final (S) (HD) **2.00** James Martin's Brittany (S) **3.00** River Cottage: Winter's on the Way **4.00** The Pioneer Woman (HD) **5.00** Barefoot Contessa: back to Basics: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea (S) **7.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) **8.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food: recipes made more special with a dash of coffee or chocolate (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Hairy Dieters: How to Love Food and Lose Weight: Si King and Dave Myers cook a calorie-conscious pie (HD) **10.00** Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea (S) **11.00** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **12 midnight *New.*** Guy's Grocery Games (HD) **1.00am** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **2.00–3.00am** Michel Roux's French Country Cooking (S) (AD) (HD)

Food Network Freeview 43 **Freesat** 148 **Sky** 140 **Virgin** 285

Great TV 50

6.00am Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **8.00** Highway to Heaven **10.00** Danielle Steel's Zoya **11.50** Great! Movie News Extra **12 noon** Castle **1.00pm** Body of Proof **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye: double bill **5.00** Murder, She Wrote: double bill **7.00** M*A*S*H **9.00** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased): a phoney medium is rumbled **10.00** The Persuaders! **11.00** Return of the Saint **12 midnight** M*A*S*H: four back-to-back episodes **2.00am** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased) **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **4.30–6.00am** Highway to Heaven

Great TV Freeview 50 *(limited)* **Freesat** 142 **Sky** 157 **Virgin** 189 **+1 Freesat** 143 **Sky** 257

RealityXtra 68

9.00am Perry Mason **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** The Fugitive **1.05pm** JAG **3.00** Perry Mason: double bill **5.00** The Fugitive: Kimble becomes a cutman for a fighter who knows he has brain damage but refuses to quit **6.00pm** Matlock: the real killer is found – and then murdered **7.00** Judge Judy: 14 editions **1.00am** Matlock **2.00** The Fugitive **3.00** Evidence of Evil: double bill **5.00–6.00am** Medical Detectives

RealityXtra Freeview 68 **Freesat** 134 **Sky** 147 **Virgin** 197

BBC Parliament 232

6.00am Breakfast **9.00** BBC News **1.00pm** BBC News at One; Weather **1.30** BBC News **2.30** Live Levelling Up: coverage of questions in the House of Commons to Levelling Up, Housing and Communities Secretary Michael Gove and his team of ministers **3.30** Live House of Commons: debate from the chamber **11.00** Lords Questions: recorded coverage **11.40–6.00am** House of Lords: recorded coverage

BBC Parliament Freeview 232 **Freesat** 201 **Sky** 504 **Virgin** 605

PBS America 84

KGB: the Sword and the Shield *8.30pm* Pioneer Dzerzhinsky

8.00am Beautiful Serengeti **8.30** Mutant Weather **9.30** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **10.35** KGB: the Sword and the Shield **11.45** Jazz (S) **1.00pm** Hidden Algeria **2.05** Mutant Weather **3.05** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **4.05** KGB: the Sword and the Shield **5.15** Jazz (S)

6.25pm Mutant Weather *5/10* Major flooding in the southern US forces people from their land.

7.25 The Last Voices of World War One *1/6.* How the declaration of war in 1914 was greeted with a wave of patriotic euphoria. (S)

8.30 KGB: the Sword and the Shield *1/3.* Recounting the history of the KGB, told through its veterans and its victims.

9.35 Jazz *5/12.* Profiling the bandleaders of the swing era. (S)

10.50 KGB: The Sword and the Shield As 8.30pm.

12 midnight The Last Voices of World War One (S) **1.05–2.00am** Beautiful Serengeti

PBS America F'view 84 (1pm-12 midnight only) **Freesat** 155 **Sky** 174 **Virgin** 273

Blaze 64

6.00am Hardcore Pawn **7.45** Storm Stories **8.40** Ancient Aliens **10.40** Storage Wars Canada **11.10** Storage Wars **12.10pm** Pawn Stars **2.05** Hardcore Pawn: four editions **4.00** Ancient Aliens: double bill **6.00pm** Storm Stories: a dust storm **7.00 *New.*** Pawn Stars: a letter from a former president delights Rick and Corey **8.00** Dickinson's Real Deal: the team values antiques in Burton upon Trent **9.00 *New.*** The Curse of Oak Island: an incredible discovery is made near the swamp **10.00 *New.*** Secrets in the Ice: the mummified remains of a man in a pinstripe business suit **11.00** Lost Gold of World War II **12 midnight** Paranormal: Caught on Camera **1.00am** Wicked Tuna **2.00** Swamp People **3.00** Dickinson's Real Deal **3.45** Storage Wars Canada **4.10–6.00am** Pawn Stars

Blaze F'view 64 **F'sat** 162 **Sky** 164 **Virgin** 199

Challenge 48

7.00am The Chase **10.00** Supermarket Sweep **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right (AD) **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune (AD) **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **3.00** Play Your Cards Right (AD) **4.00** Bruce's Price Is Right: double bill (AD) **5.00** Bullseye: four back-to-back episodes **7.00pm** Pointless Celebrities: Alexander Armstrong and Richard Osman present a star-studded version of the general knowledge quiz **8.00** The Chase: double bill of the quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?: a classic episode of the award-winning quiz show presented by Chris Tarrant **11.00** Bullseye: double bill of the darts-based quiz **12 midnight** The Chase: four episodes **4.00am** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **5.00–6.00am** Bullseye

Challenge Freeview 48 **Freesat** 146 **Sky** 145 **Virgin** 160

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

5.35am Peppa Pig **5.40** Paw Patrol **5.50** Pip and Posy **6.00** Peppa Pig **6.05** The Secret Life of Puppies **6.10** Blue's Clues & You **6.35** Oggy Oggy **6.40** Odo **6.50** Fireman Sam **7.00** Thomas & Friends **7.10** Kangaroo Beach **7.20** Peppa Pig **7.40 *New.*** Paw Patrol **8.10** Paddington **8.25** Milo **8.40** Paw Patrol **8.50 *New.*** Daisy & Ollie **9.00** Pip and Posy **9.05–9.15am** Peppa Pig

Full listings for Channel 5 are on 64

CBeebies 202

6.00am Raa Raa **6.10** Bing **6.20** Teletubbies **6.35** School of Roars **6.40** Chuggington **6.50** Bing **7.00** Colourblocks **7.05** Hey Duggee **7.20** Bluey; My Petsaurus **7.40** Go Jetters **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.05** Octonauts **8.15** Numberblocks **8.20** Love Monster **8.30** Popcast **8.35** Justin's House **8.55** Dipdap **9.00** Bing **9.10** Yakka Dee! **9.15 *New.*** Messy Goes to OKIDO **9.25** Colourblocks **9.30** Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.10** Teletubbies **10.25** The Toddler Club; Small Potatoes **10.40** Hey Duggee **10.50** Roots and Fruits **10.55** BOT and the Beasties **11.00** Bluey **11.10** Let's Go for a Walk **11.20** School of Roars **11.30** Teeny Tiny Creatures **11.45** Our Family **11.55** What's On Your Head? **12 noon** Big Cook Little Cook **12.20pm** Woolly & Tig **12.25** Waffle the Wonder Dog **12.40** Tee and Mo **12.45** Pablo **1.00** Yakka Dee! **1.10** Numberblocks **1.15** Alphablocks **1.20** Dog Loves Books **1.25** Hey Duggee **1.35** Love Monster **1.40** Let's Dance **1.45** Something Special **2.10** Teletubbies **2.25** Bluey **2.30** Go Jetters; My Petsaurus **2.45** Maddie's Do You Know? **3.00** Dog Squad **3.15** Swashbuckle **3.35** Hey Duggee **3.45** Peter Rabbit **3.55** Wild Adventures **4.10** Pinocchio and Friends **4.25** Bluey **4.40 *New.*** Supertato **4.45** Go Jetters **5.00 *New.*** Molly and Mack **5.15** Waffle the Wonder Dog **5.25** Sarah & Duck **5.35** JoJo & Gran Gran **5.45** Moon and Me **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden… **6.50–7.00pm** Bedtime Stories

CBeebies F'view 202 **F'sat** 608 **Sky** 608 **Virgin** 702

CBBC 201

7.00am Shaun the Sheep **7.05** Danger Mouse **7.20** Dennis & Gnasher **7.30** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **7.45** Newsround **7.55** Ninja Express **8.10 *New.*** Danny & Mick **8.20** Odd Squad **8.30** Horrible Histories **9.00** The Zoo **9.10** Deadly 60 **9.40** Out of This World **9.55** Art Ninja **10.15** Do Try This at Home **10.25** Horrible Histories **10.55** Shark Bites **11.00** Bitesize Daily **11.20** Celebrity Supply Teacher **11.30** Art Jam **11.45** Wild & Weird **12 noon** Danger Mouse **12.15pm** Oswaldo **12.25** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **12.35** Monster Loving Maniacs **12.50** Dennis & Gnasher **1.00** The Dengineers **1.55** Holly Hobbie **2.45** One Zoo Three **3.05** Clipheads **3.20 *New.*** Best in the World **3.40** Danger Mouse **3.50** Shaun the Sheep **4.00** Ninja Express **4.10** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **4.25 *New.*** Monster Loving Maniacs **4.35** Pokémon **5.00** Odd Squad **5.10 *New.*** We Bare Bears **5.25 *New.*** Summer Camp Island **5.35 *New.*** Dragons: the Nine Realms **6.00** Silverpoint **6.25** Nikki Lilly Meets **6.35–7.00pm *New.*** The Next Step

CBBC F'view 201 **F'sat** 607 **Sky** 607 **Virgin** 701

CITV

6.00am Mission Employable **6.05** Robozuna **6.30** Hotel Transylvania **7.00** Mr Magoo **7.30** Lloyd of the Flies **7.45** Dave Spud **8.00** 50/50 Heroes **8.30** Scooby-Doo **9.30** Dave Spud **9.55** Tata and Kuma **10.00** Teen Titans Go! **10.25** DC Super Hero Girls **10.50** Mr Bean **11.30** Dave Spud **12 noon** Mighty Mike **12.30pm** Spy School **1.00** Don't Unleash the Beast **1.30** Inspector Gadget **2.00** 50/50 Heroes **2.30** Hotel Transylvania **3.00** Craig of the Creek **3.30** Scooby-Doo! **4.30** Mr Magoo **5.00** Lloyd of the Flies **5.15** Dave Spud **5.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **6.00** Teen Titans Go! **6.30** Inspector Gadget **7.00** Scooby-Doo **7.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **8.00** Mr Bean **8.30** Don't Unleash the Beast **8.55–9.00pm** Mission Employable

CITV F'view 203 **F'sat** 602 **Sky** 612 **Virgin** 734

FILMS

Film4 14

11.00am Hatari! ★★★★ Big-game hunters have their lives thrown up in the air when a female photographer comes to stay in this wonderful safari romp from Howard Hawks. John Wayne (1962, U) (S)

2.10pm The Long Memory ★★ John Mills stars as an old lag desperate to discover who framed him for murder in this predictable thriller. John McCallum (1952, PG) (S)

4.05 The Long Ships ★★ Extravagant Viking adventure starring Richard Widmark and Sidney Poitier. (1963, PG) (S)

6.40pm The Mountain between Us ★★★ Kate Winslet and Idris Elba bring gravitas to an otherwise generic tale of plane-crash survivors trekking to safety. **Review, right.** (2017, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Kingsman: the Secret Service ★★★★ Vibrant, irreverent spy caper with suave Colin Firth recruiting tearaway teenager Taron Egerton into a secret organisation. (2015, 15) (S) (AD)

11.40 Daredevil ★★ Stylish but ultimately quite dull comic-book fantasy with Ben Affleck as the blind New York lawyer-turned-superhero. Jennifer Garner (2003, 15) (S)

1.45–4.00am Ray and Liz ★★★★ Booze and squalor feature heavily in this austere and affecting drama about director Richard Billingham's own upbringing. Ella Smith, Justin Salinger (2018, 15) (S)

Film4 Freeview 14 **Freesat** 300 **Sky** 313 **Virgin** 428/HD 429 **+1 F'view** 47 **F'sat** 301 **Sky** 314 **Virgin** 430

Talking Pictures TV 82

6.00am Get Some In! TV sitcom. **6.30 The Blind Goddess** ★★ Slightly flat adaptation of the stage play. Eric Portman, Anne Crawford (1948) (S) **8.15 Turn of Fate** Documentary. **8.50 Unpublished Story** ★★ Moderately engaging espionage adventure. Richard Greene (1942, PG) (S) **10.25 Only Two Can Play** ★★★★ Peter Sellers gives a restrained performance as a would-be adulterous librarian in this small-town satirical comedy. **Review, right.** (1961, PG) (S) **12.35pm Baby the Rain Must Fall** ★★★ Absorbing small-town drama starring Steve McQueen. **Review, right.** Lee Remick (1965) (S) **2.30 Crown Court** TV courtroom drama. **3.00 Harriet Craig** ★★★ Psychological drama about a domineering woman, played to the hilt by Joan Crawford. (1950) **4.55 The London Nobody Knows** ★★★★ Fascinating documentary exploring London's stranger corners before they were changed by redevelopment. (1967, U) (S) **6.00pm The Footage Detectives** Weddings in the 1950s and 1960s. (S) **7.00 In Suspicious Circumstances** True-crime stories. (S) **8.00 The Main Chance** TV drama. **9.00 The Nanny** ★★★ Chilling Hammer horror starring Bette Davis as a governess who may or may not be a killer. Wendy Craig (1965, 15) (S) **11.00 Secret Army** TV drama. (S) **12.05am The Bed Sitting Room** ★★★ Wonderfully bonkers anti-war satire based on Spike Milligan's hit play. Ralph Richardson, Rita Tushingham (1969, PG) (S) **1.50 Genghis Khan** ★★ Passable historical adventure. Omar Sharif, Stephen Boyd, James Mason (1964, 12) (S) **4.20 Turn of Fate** TV drama anthology series. **4.50–6.00am The Edgar Wallace Mystery Theatre** TV crime series.

Talking Pictures TV Freeview 82 **Freesat** 306 **Sky** 328 **Virgin** 445

ALL PROGRAMMES ON THE ABOVE CHANNELS ARE REPEATS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Sky Premiere

6.20am Der Kaiser ★★★ Biopic of footballer Franz Beckenbauer. Klaus Steinbacher (2022) **8.00 The Last Son** As 6.05pm **9.55 Hounded** As 4.15pm **11.45 Operation Mincemeat** As 10.25pm **2.00pm Downton Abbey: a New Era** ★★★★ Beautifully tailored second outing for the Crawley clan. Hugh Bonneville (2022, PG) **4.15 Hounded** ★★ Satirical British survival horror. Samantha Bond (2022, 15) **6.05pm The Last Son** ★★ Lethargic western. Sam Worthington (2021, 15) **8.00 Fantastic Beasts: the Secrets of Dumbledore** ★★★★ Thrilling finale to the *Harry Potter* prequel series. Eddie Redmayne (2022, 12) **10.25 Operation Mincemeat** ★★★★ Captivating re-enactment of a bizarre wartime mission. **Review p38.** Colin Firth (2022, 12) **12.40am Crimes of the Future** ★★★★ Wonderfully weird and moody sci-fi horror. Viggo Mortensen (2022, 18) **2.35 Downton Abbey: a New Era** As 2pm **4.45 The Amazing Maurice** ★★★ Sharp-witted animated fantasy. Hugh Laurie, Emilia Clarke, David Thewlis (2022, PG)

Sky Premiere Sky 301 **Virgin** 401 **BT** 501/**HD** 515 **+1 Sky** 312

Great Movies 34

9.00am My Daughter Is Innocent ★★ Routine TV-movie thriller. Victoria Pratt (2017) **11.00 Stolen Innocence** ★★ Crime drama. Gina Philips (2007) **1.00pm Hidden Intentions** ★★ Thriller with too many plot holes. Ashlynn Yennie, Paige Searcy (2018) **3.00 Hidden in Plain Sight** ★★ Thriller. Victoria Barabas (2018) **4.50 The Jigsaw Man** ★★★ Twisting spy drama that reunites *Sleuth* stars Michael Caine and Laurence Olivier. Susan George (1984, 15) **6.45pm Marie Antoinette** ★★★ Director Sofia Coppola's stylish historical drama. Kirsten Dunst (2005, 12) **9.00 The Take** ★★★ Pacey action thriller with Idris Elba as a CIA agent in Paris. **Review, right.** (2016, 15) **10.50 The Drop** ★★★ Heist-gone-wrong drama that deviates from the expected plot path. Tom Hardy (2014, 15) **12.55am A Bronx Tale** ★★★★ Intelligent crime drama. Robert De Niro, Chazz Palminteri (1993, 15) **3.15 Oliver!** ★★★★ Fantastic musical based on Lionel Bart's stage production of the Dickens classic. Ron Moody, Oliver Reed (1968, U)

Great Movies Freeview 34 **Freesat** 302 **Sky** 321 **Virgin** 425 **+1 Freeview** 61 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **Sky** 322

Great Romance 52

6.00am The Dating List ★★★ Romantic comedy. (2019) **7.45 Listen Out for Love** ★★ Insipid romcom. (2022) **9.30 Starting Up Love** ★★ Sparks fly in this romance. (2019) **11.15 Flip That Romance** ★★ Rival house-flippers get cosy. (2019) **1.00pm Valentine Ever After** ★★ So-so romcom. (2016) **2.45 Love Map** ★★ Romantic drama. (2021) **4.30 Lying to Be Perfect** ★★ Comedy drama. (2010) **6.15pm Autumn Dreams** ★★ Two former lovers reunite. (2015, U) **8.00 Valentine in the Vineyard** ★★ Satisfying end to the "Vineyard" romance trilogy. (2019) **10.00 Harvest Love** ★★ Pretty but vapid romantic comedy. (2017) **11.45 Love on Ice** ★★ Slushy skating tale. Julie Berman, Andrew Walker (2017) **1.30am Surprised by Love** ★★ Bizarre romcom. (2015) **3.00 Walking the Dog** ★★ Pets lead the way to love. (2017) **4.30–6.00am Cupid** ★★ Warm-hearted comedy. Joely Fisher (2012)

Great Romance Freeview 52 *(limited)* **Freesat** 303 **Sky** 319 **Virgin** 424 **+1 F'view** 63 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **F'sat** 304 **Sky** 320

TCM Movies

6.00am Off Set **6.45** The Man from UNCLE **8.55 Meet Me in St Louis** ★★★★★ Judy Garland stars in this classic musical full of memorable numbers. Margaret O'Brien (1944, U) **11.15** The Man from UNCLE **1.30pm Mary, Queen of Scots** ★★★★ Splendid costume drama tracing the epic power struggle between Elizabeth I and Mary Stuart. Vanessa Redgrave, Glenda Jackson (1971, 12) **4.10 The Left Handed Gun** ★★★★ Paul Newman is brilliant as outlaw Billy the Kid in this terrific western. (1958, PG) **6.20pm Canyon Raiders** ★ Short and simplistic western. Whip Wilson (1951) **7.30 Apache War Smoke** ★★ Modest western. Gilbert Roland (1952, U) **9.00 Dirty Harry** ★★★★★ Clint Eastwood excels as the ruthless cop in pursuit of a psychopath. (1971, 18) **11.10 Alfie** ★★★★ Knowing, landmark 1960s comedy drama starring Michael Caine as a charming cockney womaniser. **Review, right.** Shelley Winters (1966, 15) **1.30am** To be announced **3.40** Off Set **4.00** Close Up **5.00** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM Movies Sky 315 **Virgin** 415/**HD** 416 **+1 Sky** 316 **Virgin** 417

Great Movies Action 42

6.00am M*A*S*H **7.00 Tomorrow We Live** ★★★ Action-packed wartime spy drama. John Clements (1942, U) **8.45** Pompeii **10.55** Wings at War 1: Fight for Britain **12 noon** M*A*S*H **1.00pm Battle of Rogue River** ★★★ Entertaining B-western starring George Montgomery. (1954, U) **2.30 Gun Fury** ★★★ A rancher chases down the gang that has abducted his fiancée. Rock Hudson, Donna Reed (1953, U) **4.15** Snipers **5.15 Hell below Zero** ★★★ Solid adventure yarn. **Review right.** Alan Ladd (1954, U) **7.10pm Solar Attack** ★★ Routine sci-fi adventure. Mark Dacascos (2005) **9.00 Son of a Gun** ★★★ Ewan McGregor plays against type in this decent crime drama. (2013, 15) **11.15 Inherit the Viper** ★★ Moody but clunky crime drama. Josh Hartnett, Margarita Levieva, Owen Teague (2019, 15) **1.00am The Winter Soldier** ★★ Ambitious low-budget sci-fi thriller. Paul Sidhu (2016, 15) **3.05–4.00am** Bombers of the Second World War

Great Movies Action Freeview 42 *(limited)* **F'sat** 305 **Sky** 323 **Virgin** 426 **+1 Sky** 324

Legend 41

8.00am Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** Mutant X **10.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **11.00 Eye of the Beast** ★★ Over-the-top horror thriller. James Van Der Beek (2007) **1.00pm Dragonquest** ★★ Derivative fantasy. Marc Singer, Jason Connery (2009) **3.00 The Fabulous Journey to the Center of the Earth** ★ Sluggish sci-fi adventure. Kenneth More (1977) **5.00** Star Trek **6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation** TV sci-fi adventure. **7.00 Airwolf** US TV drama. **8.00 Walker, Texas Ranger** TV drama starring Chuck Norris. **9.00 The Driver** ★★★★ This terrific thriller about a getaway driver features some amazing car chases. Ryan O'Neal, Bruce Dern (1978, 15) **10.50 St. Agatha** ★★★ A young pregnant woman seeks refuge at a convent. **Review, right.** (2018, 15) **12.50am The Final Wish** ★★★ Well-crafted psychological horror about a wishing urn that turns malevolent. Lin Shaye, Michael Welch (2018, 15) **2.45–4.30am Apocalypse of Ice** ★ Low-budget, cobbled-together sci-fi hokum. Tom Sizemore (2020)

Legend F'view 41 **F'sat** 137 **Sky** 148 **Virgin** 149

FILM REVIEWS

FILM OF THE DAY

Gran Torino ★★★ *9.00-11.25pm* ***ITV4*** 15

DRAMA Clint Eastwood directs and stars in this powerful film about a war veteran who finds his patch overrun by immigrants and rival gangs. Fiercely protective of his home and beloved classic car, the 1972 Ford Gran Torino of the title, Eastwood gradually befriends the neighbouring refugees from South East Asia. Eastwood is on top form as the curmudgeonly Walt Kowalski, although his film does occasionally falter in the way it deals with the impact and aftershocks of violence. Clint's earlier avenging-angel flick, the solid 1985 western *Pale Rider*, follows in a double bill. **TERRY STAUNTON** (US/Ger/Aus 2008, violence, swearing, HD)

Only Two Can Play ★★★★ *10.25am-12.35pm* ***Talking Pictures TV*** PG

COMEDY Peter Sellers gives an unusually restrained but effective performance here as a Welsh librarian whose affections swing between his dispirited wife (Virginia Maskell) and his glamorous wannabe mistress (Mai Zetterling). Richard Attenborough also gets in on the fun as a flirty poet. **TOM HUTCHINSON** (UK 1961, BW)

Cast a Giant Shadow ★★★ *11.10am-2.05pm* ***5 Action*** PG

DRAMA This expensive epic tells one of the great stories of the early days in Israel's move to independence. Kirk Douglas takes the role of American-born colonel David "Mickey" Marcus, and writer/director Melville Shavelson surrounds him with a wealth of talented guest stars including John Wayne, Frank Sinatra and Yul Brynner. **TONY SLOMAN** (US 1966, HD)

Baby the Rain Must Fall ★★★ *12.35-2.30pm* ***Talking Pictures TV***

DRAMA A recent addition to Talking Pictures TV, this film provided the great Steve McQueen with one of his more sombre roles. He's fresh out of jail and reunited with his wife (Lee Remick) and the daughter he has never seen. He has a nothing job by day but sings with a band at night, though any hopes he has of fame are dashed. Director Robert Mulligan beautifully evokes the atmospheric deadness of small-town Texas. **ADRIAN TURNER** (US 1965, BW)

Hell below Zero ★★★ *5.15-7.10pm* ***Great Movies Action*** U

ADVENTURE Alan Ladd took advantage of the tax break that helped US stars working in Europe by making a series of highly marketable British movies, including this action flick based on the Hammond Innes novel *The White South*. It's niftily directed by another expat American, Mark Robson, and Ladd is terrific as he takes on grim-faced whalers in the Antarctic wastes. **TS** (UK/US 1954)

The Mountain between Us ★★★ *6.40-9.00pm* ***Film4*** 12

ADVENTURE Two strangers battle to survive when their aircraft crashes in a remote American mountain range in this solid melodrama. Surgeon Idris Elba and photojournalist Kate Winslet face snowdrifts, gruesome injuries and animal attacks as they search for help. Director Hany Abu-Assad stages the moments of peril with flair, but this is hardly the high-profile showcase the stars' talents warrant. **TeS** (US 2017, swearing, a sex scene, HD)

The Take ★★★ *9.00-10.50pm* ***Great Movies*** 15

THRILLER Idris Elba gets to enjoy himself a bit more in this action flick, playing a CIA agent pursuing a thief (Richard Madden) who has stolen a bag containing a bomb – which soon goes off. The explosion is pinned on Islamic extremists, but Elba and Madden discover that all is not quite as it seems. The buddy dynamic never gets going, but this delivers on the thrills front. **EMMA SIMMONDS** (US/Fr 2016, violence, swearing)

St. Agatha ★★★ *10.50pm-12.50am* ***Legend*** 15

HORROR In 1950s Georgia, a young pregnant woman flees her abusive husband and enters a convent. It's hard to fathom why Mary (Sabrina Kern) decides to stay there when so much creepiness abounds, but if you're prepared to put logic aside, this horror delivers some good scares and grisly scenes. **MATT GLASBY** (US 2018, violence, swearing, a sex scene, nudity)

Alfie ★★★★ *11.10pm-1.30am* ***TCM*** 15

DRAMA The absorbing tale of one man's sexual odyssey through Swinging London may raise fewer eyebrows now than it did in the 1960s, but it remains eminently watchable. As the eponymous pick-up artist, Michael Caine brilliantly conveys a charm and a naivety that is as troubling as it is compelling, and he was nominated for an Oscar for his role. **DAVID PARKINSON** (UK 1966, swearing, HD)

Sky Cinema picks

A Monster Calls ★★★★ *11.45am-1.45pm* ***Sky Drama*** Poignant family fantasy. (2016, 12) **Sky 310; Virgin 410; BT 510/524**

Nanny McPhee ★★★ *6.20-8.00pm* ***Sky British Icons*** Magical fun. Followed by sequel *The Big Bang*. (2005, U) **Sky 304; Virgin 404; BT 504/518**

Clash of the Titans ★★★ *8.00-10.00pm* ***Sky Action*** Spectacular remake. (2010, 12) **Sky 306; Virgin 406; BT 506/520**

Films to stream from p30 Netflix, Amazon, Disney+ and more

U - suitable for all; PG Parental Guidance - for general viewing, but some scenes may be unsuitable for young or sensitive children; 12, 15, 18 - for viewers of these ages and over.

Sky Showcase

The Dark Knight *9.00pm* The Joker (Heath Ledger)

6.00am The Early Rundown (HD) **7.00** Kay Burley (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (HD) **4.30** Futurama (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** The Simpsons (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD)

6.30pm The Simpsons Lisa befriends a beached whale. **7.00** Surveillance cameras are installed in Springfield. **7.30** Moe stirs up marital strife. (HD)

8.00 Predators ***5/5.*** Following a wild dog pack in Zimbabwe. (S) (HD)

9.00 The Dark Knight ★★★★★ Action fantasy starring Christian Bale, Aaron Eckhart and Heath Ledger. Batman tackles the Joker. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.45 Sex and the City ***3/18*** *Series 2.* The girls wonder whether all men are freaks. (S) (HD) **12.15am** ***4/18.*** Samantha dates a club owner who lies about their possible future together. (S) (HD)

12.45 Road Wars: double bill (HD) **2.10** The Force: Manchester (S) (HD) **3.05** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** The Early Rundown (HD)

Sky Showcase Sky 106 **Virgin** 110/**HD** 109 **BT** 340/**HD** 355 **+1 Sky** 206

Sky Sci-Fi

6.00am The Outpost **7.00** The Librarians **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** V **12 noon** Star Trek: the Next Generation **2.00pm** Warehouse 13 **3.00** The Librarians **4.00** V **5.00** Stargate SG-1

6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation ***20/26*** *Series 5* Lwaxana Troi causes a rift between Worf and his son during her wedding preparations. **7.00** ***21/26.*** A beautiful woman is chosen by her people to serve as a peace offering in an attempt to end an ancient feud.

8.00 Merlin ***5/13*** *Series 3.* The young warlock gets a glimpse of the future but, to his horror, he witnesses Morgana set to kill Uther.

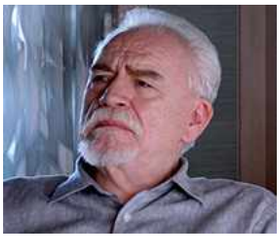
9.00 Stan Lee's Lucky Man ***7/10*** *Series 2.* A crucial piece of evidence disappears. **10.00** ***8/10.*** Isabella begins a relationship with a member of the team. Harry crosses a line.

11.00 Evil Dead ★★★★ Horror remake starring Jane Levy, Shiloh Fernandez and Lou Taylor Pucci. Four friends decamp to an isolated cabin in the woods. However, when one of them quotes from an ancient book of the dead, the forces of hell are unleashed.

1.00am V **2.00 FILM** Ba'al: the Storm God ★★ Sci-fi drama with Jeremy London **4.00** Wynonna Earp **5.00–6.00am** Stargate SG-1

Sky Sci-Fi Sky 139 **Virgin** 139/**HD** 138 **BT** 348/**HD** 363 **+1 Virgin** 229

Sky Atlantic



Succession *9.00pm* Logan considers making a sacrifice

6.00am Urban Secrets (S) **7.00** The Sopranos (S) (HD) **9.25** True Blood (S) (HD) **11.35** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) (HD) **12.40pm** True Detective (S) (AD) (HD) **3.30** The Sopranos (S) (HD)

5.45pm True Blood ***3/10*** *Series 7* Sookie hatches a dangerous plan. Pam looks to motivate Eric. (S) (HD) **6.50** ***4/10.*** Sookie enlists a band of vampires and humans to track down the H-Vamps. (S) (HD)

7.55 Game of Thrones ***5/10*** *Series 1.* Ned tries to stop Robert entering the tournament after a suspicious death threatens to overshadow the event. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Succession ***10/10*** *Series 2* Logan weighs up whether a member of the family, or a top lieutenant, will need to be sacrificed to salvage the company's tarnished reputation. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.20 My Brilliant Friend ***8/8*** *Series 3.* While on holiday, Lila's son Gennaro fights with Elena's daughters. Lila tells Elena that her sister Elisa is seeing Marcello Solara. Italian +subtitles.

11.50 Big Little Lies ***1/7*** *Series 1.* The seemingly perfect lives of three suburban American mothers begin to unravel. (S) (AD)

12.55am Babylon Berlin **2.55** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00–6.00am** Urban Secrets (S)

Sky Atlantic Sky 108 (Wales 109) **BT** 342/**HD** 357 **+1 Sky** 208 (Wales 209)

Sky Witness

6.00am The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Border Patrol (S) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (S) **11.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The Good Doctor (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Rookie (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Bull (HD)

4.00pm Nothing to Declare Eight episodes following the work of customs officers in Australia. (S)

8.00 Blue Bloods ***1/16*** *Series 11* Frank faces a battle with the city government over police brutality protests. Meanwhile, Jamie searches for Danny and Baez, who have gone missing. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 ***New.*** **Coroner** ***9/12*** *Series 4* Jenny and Donovan investigate a death in Toronto's homeless community, which sheds light on a major housing problem. (HD)

10.00 The Equalizer ***12/18*** *Series 2.* McCall helps a Mob accountant scour the city for a lost ledger of evidence. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Blue Bloods ***19/20*** *Series 12* Erin is stalked by a man who was recently released from prison. Meanwhile, Jamie works to save his badge when he is caught driving under the influence. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight FBI (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Bull (HD) **2.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (S) (HD) **3.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00–6.00am** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (S) (AD)

Sky Witness Sky 107 **Virgin** 112/**HD** 111 **BT** 341/**HD** 356 **+1 Sky** 207 **Virgin** 220

Sky Max

Agatha Raisin *9.00pm* The investigation takes a turn

6.00am Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Supergirl (S) (HD)

6.00pm NCIS: New Orleans ***17/24*** *Series 2.* A radio show DJ overhears the murder of a navy captain via an on-air call. (S) (HD) **7.00** ***18/24.*** The team prepare for the St Patrick's Day festivities. (S) (HD)

8.00 Agatha Raisin ***3/6*** *Series 2* The sleuth's break in Norfolk is interrupted by a murder. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** ***4/6.*** There is no rest for the sleuth in Norfolk. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 A League of Their Own Road Trip: Dingle to Dover ***1/6*** Freddie Flintoff and Jamie Redknapp compete at the Irish National Ploughing Championships in County Laois. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 The Force: Manchester A traffic cop pulls over a man for not wearing a seat belt. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Road Wars (HD) **2.00am** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Highway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Max Sky 113 (Wales 114) **Virgin** 122/**HD** 121 **BT** 346/**HD** 361

Sky Replay

7.00am 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry (S) **8.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Cooks to Market (S) (HD) **11.00** Road Wars (S) **12 noon** Highway Patrol (S) (AD) **1.00pm** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **2.00** Merlin: double bill (S) (AD) **4.00** Manifest (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Most Haunted: a double bill exploring Castle Keep in Newcastle and then Woodchester Mansion in Gloucestershire (S) **8.00** Road Wars (S) **9.00** A Discovery of Witches: Matthew and Diana arrive in Bohemia to search for the Book of Life (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **11.00** Coroner: a homeless person dies (HD) **12 midnight** Night Cops (S) (AD) **1.00am** 911 Crisis Centre (S) (HD) **2.00** A League of Their Own (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry (S)

Sky Replay Sky 152 **Virgin** 180

Sky Crime

6.00am Highway Patrol (S) **7.00** Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) **8.00** Highway Cops (S) (AD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Send in the Dogs (S) **12 noon** Murder in Amish Country (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Murders That Shocked the Nation (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **5.00** How I Caught the Killer (S) (HD) **6.00** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **7.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **9.00** An Unexpected Killer (HD) **10.00** Forensics: Catching the Killer (HD) **11.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **1.00am** Most Evil Killers (HD) **2.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** as 1pm **4.00** Brit Cops (S) (AD) **5.00–6.00am** Motorway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Crime Sky 122 **Virgin** 137/**HD** 136 **BT** 349/**HD** 364 **+1 Sky** 222 **Virgin** 221

Gold

dinnerladies *8.00pm* Jean has knickers on her mind

7.30am Hold the Sunset (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** as 5.20pm **8.40** My Hero (S) **9.20** Are You Being Served? (S) **10.00** Still Open All Hours (S) (HD) **10.40** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **12 noon** as 5.20pm **12.40pm** My Hero (S) **1.20** Dad's Army (S) **2.00** Still Open All Hours (S) (HD) **2.40** Are You Being Served? (S) **3.20** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **4.40** dinnerladies (S) (AD) **5.20** Keeping Up Appearances (S)

6.00pm Are You Being Served? A fire drill disrupts the store. (S)

6.40 Dad's Army The platoon prepares for an official visit. (S) **7.20** The platoon is picked to appear in an Army training film. (S)

8.00 dinnerladies Norman the breadman fails to deliver. (S) (AD) **8.40** The staff anticipate an important royal visit. (S) (AD)

9.20 The Royle Family Jim embarks on a spot of DIY. (S) (AD)

10.00 Not Going Out Lee agrees to give Kate driving lessons. (S) (HD)

10.35 Live at the Apollo With guests Josh Widdicombe and Shappi Khorsandi. (S) (HD)

11.45 Absolutely Fabulous (S) **1.05am** French and Saunders: triple bill of comedy sketches (S) **3.00** Not Going Out (S) (HD) **3.30–4.00am** Absolutely Fabulous (S)

Gold Sky 110 (Wales 111) **Virgin** 124 **BT** 344/**HD** 359 **+1 Sky** 210 (Wales 211) **Virgin** 194

Sky Comedy

8.00am Will & Grace (HD) **9.00** Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD) **10.00** Entourage (S) (HD) **11.10** House of Lies (S) (HD) **12.30pm** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **1.30** A.P. Bio (S) (HD) **2.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **3.00** Pen15 (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (HD) **4.30** Futurama (S) (AD) **5.00** The Office US (S) (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **6.30** Futurama (HD) **7.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** The Conners: Jackie convinces Dan to build a chicken coop. Becky meets with Andrea for the first time since the surrogacy mishap (HD) **8.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **9.00** Black Monday: triple bill (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Sex and the City (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Veep (S) (AD) (HD) **1.10am** SMILF (S) (AD) (HD) **3.05** A.P. Bio (S) (HD) **4.05–5.00am** Futurama (HD)

Sky Comedy Sky 114 (Wales 115) **Virgin** 135/**HD** 123 **BT** 347/**HD** 362

Comedy Central

8.00am My Wife and Kids (S) (HD) **9.00** The Middle (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **12 noon** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Paddy McGuinness: Saturday Night Live: a show from the stand-up comedian's 2011 tour as he holds forth on topics including strip clubs, stag dos and hen nights (S) **10.00** Rhod Gilbert's Growing Pains: with Steph McGovern, Russell Kane and Sindhu Vee (S) (HD) **11.00** Drunk History (S) (HD) **12 midnight** The Ricky Gervais Show (S) (HD) **12.30am** South Park: four episodes (S) (HD) **2.30** The Ren & Stimpy Show (S) **3.00** Beavis and Butt-Head **3.20** Ugly Americans (S) (HD) **4.10–5.00am** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

Comedy Central Sky 112 (Wales 113) **Virgin** 181/**HD** 132 **BT** 345/**HD** 360 **+1 Sky** 212 (Wales 213) **Virgin** 133

Alibi

Murdoch Mysteries *10.00pm* A death at a country estate

7.10am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **9.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD) **11.00** Person of Interest (HD) **12 noon** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD)

6.00pm Without a Trace ***3/24*** *Series 2.* The team searches for a woman who disappeared from her fiancé's dinner party. (HD)

7.00 Person of Interest ***6/23*** *Series 1.* Reese keeps tabs on Zoe Morgan, a charismatic crisis-management expert who specialises in shady deals. (HD)

8.00 Death in Paradise ***6/8*** *Series 1.* A local diver is found dead in shallow water with odd markings on his chest. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** ***7/8.*** An outing to see Dwayne's favourite group is cut short by the murder of the lead singer, who was not exactly popular. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Murdoch Mysteries ***11/24*** *Series 15.* Murdoch and company's Christmas at an idyllic country estate turns deadly. (S) (HD)

11.00 Without a Trace As 6pm. **12 midnight** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.00–4.00am** Major Crimes: double bill (HD)

Alibi Sky 109 (Wales 110) **Virgin HD** 126 **BT** 343/**HD** 358 **+1 Sky** 209 (Wales 210) **Virgin** 191

Discovery

6.00am Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **7.00** Deadliest Catch (S) (HD) **9.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** How Do They Do It? (S) (HD) **11.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **12 noon** Salvage Hunters (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Gold Rush (S) (HD) **3.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (HD) **4.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **5.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Salvage Hunters (S) (HD) **7.00** Diesel Brothers: Heavy D builds a custom fuel truck (S) (HD) **8.00** Outback Truckers (S) (HD) **9.00** ***New.*** Kindig Customs: a 1969 Camaro comes in (HD) **10.00** Mike Brewer's World of Cars (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Naked and Afraid (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Kindig Customs (HD) **2.00** Mike Brewer's World of Cars (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Moonshiners (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD)

Discovery Sky 125 **Virgin** 250 **BT** 320/**HD** 325 **+1 Sky** 225 **Virgin** 258

Discovery History

6.00am Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **7.00** How the Universe Works (S) **8.00** HMS Ark Royal (S) (AD) **9.00** Combat Dealers (S) **10.00** Treasure Quest: Snake Island (S) **11.00** Atlantis in the Andes **12 noon** Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **1.00pm** Expedition Unknown **2.00** Curse of the Bermuda Triangle (S) **3.00** Blowing Up History (S) (AD) **4.00** Mysteries at the Museum **5.00** HMS Ark Royal (S) (AD) **6.00** How the Universe Works (S) **7.00** Expedition Unknown **8.00** Combat Dealers (S) **9.00** Mysteries of the Missing (S) **10.00** How the Universe Works **11.00** Atlantis in the Andes **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) **2.00am** Mysteries of the Missing (S) **3.00** Curse of the Bermuda Triangle (S) **4.00–5.00am** Blowing Up History (S) (AD)

Discovery History Sky 177 **Virgin** 257 **+1 Sky** 277 **Virgin** 261

ALL PROGRAMMES ON THE ABOVE CHANNELS ARE REPEATS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen

Sky Documentaries

Foreman *11.20pm* The boxer's unlikely comeback story

6.00am The Comedy Store (S) (AD) (HD) **7.05** Discovering: Charlie Chaplin (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Kingdom of Dreams (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** The Lady and the Dale (S) (HD) **11.05** The Guest Wing (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Becoming Warren Buffett (S) (HD) **1.45pm** My Icon: Nasser Hussain (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Missile from the East (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **4.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Discovering: Charlie Chaplin (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Kingdom of Dreams The fashion world from the early 1990s to the 2010s. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 The Lady and the Dale The rise and fall of automobile executive Liz Carmichael. (S) (HD)

8.05 The Guest Wing Cameras follow stately home owners who hire out their estates to earn extra income. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Bowling for Columbine ★★★★★ A harrowing but entertaining dissection of the US's gun laws. (S) (W) (HD)

11.20 Foreman Exploring the career and personal transformation of boxer George Foreman. (S) (HD)

1.05am FILM Undefeated ★★★★★ American football documentary (S) (W) (HD) **3.15** In the Same Breath (S) (HD) **5.05–6.00am** Discovering: Charlie Chaplin (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Documentaries **Sky** 121 **Virgin** 278/**HD** 277 **BT** 352/**HD** 367

Nat Geographic

8.00am Food Factory (S) (HD) **8.30** Money Meltdown (HD) **9.00** World War II: Secrets from Above (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** WW2: Hell under the Sea (S) (HD) **11.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (HD) **12 noon** Air Crash Investigation (HD) **1.00pm** Wicked Tuna (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Drain the Oceans (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Stonehenge Decoded (HD) **4.00** Saxon Gold: New Secrets Revealed (HD) **5.00** Lost Cities (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** To Catch a Smuggler (S) (HD) **9.00** Ultimate Airport Dubai (S) (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Wicked Tuna: North v South (S) (HD) **1.00am** Ice Road Rescue (HD) **2.00** Lords of War (HD) **2.30** Food Factory (S) (HD) **4.10** When Sharks Attack (HD) **4.35–5.00am** Prairie Dog Dynasty (HD)

Nat Geographic **Sky** 129 **Virgin** 266/**HD** 268 **+1** **Sky** 229 **Virgin** 267

Sky History

6.00am Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** Counting Cars (HD) **8.00** American Pickers (HD) **9.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **10.00** Weird or What? with William Shatner (HD) **11.00** Strangest Things (HD) **12 noon** The Proof Is Out There (HD) **1.00pm** What on Earth? (HD) **2.00** Curse of Skinwalker Ranch (HD) **3.00** Nature Gone Wild (HD) **4.00** Counting Cars (HD) **5.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **6.00** American Pickers (HD) **7.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** Storage Wars (HD) **9.00** ***New.*** Strangest Things (HD) **10.00** Ancient Skies (HD) **11.00** Egypt's Unexplained Files (HD) **12 midnight** On the Trail of the Lake Michigan Mothman (HD) **1.40am** Storage Wars (HD) **2.10** as 11am **3.10** as 11pm **4.10** as 1pm **5.05–6.00am** as 12 noon

Sky History **Sky** 123 **Virgin** 270 **BT** 353/**HD** 368 **+1** **Sky** 223 **Virgin** 271

Sky Nature

One Planet, One Chance *6.00pm* Joakim Odelberg

6.00am Battle of the Alphas (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **9.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **10.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **11.00** Equator (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** One Planet, One Chance (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **2.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **5.00** Equator (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm One Planet, One Chance A shark-tagging expedition. (S) (HD)

7.00 Monkey Life Life at Monkey World Ape Rescue Centre. (S) (HD) **7.30** A video recording of a sick male marmoset precipitates an urgent rescue mission. (S) (HD)

8.00 Predators Following a pack of wild dogs in Zimbabwe. (S) (HD)

9.00 Planet Shark A lone blue shark in the Atlantic. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 One Planet, One Chance As 6pm.

11.00 Equator Wildlife on the high Andes of Ecuador. (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Africa's Wild Roommates: How Animals Share Bed and Board (S) (HD) **1.00am** Africa's Claws and Jaws (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Predators (S) (HD) **3.00** Planet Shark (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD)

Sky Nature **Sky** 124 **Virgin** 280/**HD** 279 **BT** 354/**HD** 369

Eden

9.00am Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **10.00** Outback Vet (HD) **11.00** Yellowstone Journals (HD) **12 noon** Africa from Above (HD) **1.00pm** Viking Dead (HD) **2.00** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **3.00** Remarkable Rwanda (HD) **4.00** Wild and Wonderful Denmark (HD) **5.00** Outback Vet (HD) **6.00pm** Yellowstone Journals (HD) **7.00** Viking Dead (HD) **8.00** Life in the Great Wetlands: Gabon's Loango National Park (HD) **9.00** Wild and Wonderful Denmark (HD) **10.00** Yellowstone Journals (HD) **11.00** Outback Vet (HD) **12 midnight** Viking Dead (HD) **1.00am** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **2.00** Outback Vet (HD) **3.00** Yellowstone Journals (HD) **3.50** Wild and Wonderful Denmark (HD) **4.40** Viking Dead (HD) **5.30–6.00am** David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities (AD) (HD)

Eden **Sky** 166 **Virgin** **HD** 245 **+1** **Sky** 266 **Virgin** 246

Animal Planet

8.00am Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **9.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **10.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **11.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **12 noon** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **2.00** Intruders (HD) **3.00** Legends of the Wild (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **5.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **6.00** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **7.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **8.00** Expedition Bigfoot: double bill (S) (HD) **10.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **11.00** Crikey! It's the Irwins (HD) **1.00am** The Last Alaskans (S) (HD) **2.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **3.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD)

Animal Planet **Sky** 162 (NI 178) **Virgin** 251 **+1** **Sky** 262 (NI 278) **Virgin** 259

SPORT

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 **Virgin** 511/**HD** 501 **BT** 420/**HD** 440

6.00am Sky Sports News **7.00** Good Morning Sports Fans **7.45 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Hobart Hurricanes v Melbourne Stars, a T20 match from Blundstone Arena. **11.45** Best of the Big Bash **12 noon** Transfer Talk **1.00pm** Sky Sports News **6.00** Sky Sports News **1.00–6.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 **Virgin** 513/**HD** 503 **BT** 422/**HD** 442

6.00am Classic Play-Off Finals **9.00** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **9.15** Scottish Premiership Highlights **9.45** League Two Highlights **10.00** Retro League One **12 noon** Scottish Premiership Football: a re-run of Dundee United v Rangers **3.30pm** League Cup Highlights **4.30** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **4.45** Scottish Premiership Highlights **5.15** League Two Highlights **5.30** SPFL Greatest Games **6.00** Soccer AM **6.30** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **6.45** Scottish Premiership Highlights **7.15** League Two Highlights **7.30** Soccer AM **8.00** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **8.15** Scottish Premiership Highlights **8.45** League Two Highlights **9.00** League One and Two Goals **9.30** Soccer AM **10.00** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **10.15** Scottish Premiership Highlights **10.45** League Two Highlights **11.00** EFL Greatest Games **12 midnight** League Cup Retro **1.00am** Classic Play-Off Finals **4.00–6.00am** Championship Retro

Sky Golf

Sky 405 **Virgin** 515/**HD** 505 **BT** 424/**HD** 444

6.00am Ryder Cup Memories (AD) **7.00** Roots **8.00** PGA Tour Golf **12 noon** Chronicles (AD) **12.30pm** PGA Championship Official Films: the 2022 tournament **1.30** PGA Tour Golf: day four of the Sentry Tournament of Champions **5.30** Junior Golf **6.00** PGA Championship Official Films **7.00** PGA Tour Golf: day four of the Tournament of Champions **8.00** PGA Championship Official Films: a review of the 2022 tournament **9.00** PGA Tour Golf **10.00** Roots **10.30** Rory's Review of 2022 **11.00** PGA Tour Golf **3.00am** PGA Championship Official Films: 2022 **4.00** PGA Tour Golf **5.00–6.00am** Chronicles (AD)

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 **Virgin** 521 **BT** 412/**HD** 435

6.00am Dakar Rally **7.00** Alpine Skiing **8.00** Australian Open Tennis **9.00 LIVE ATP Tennis** Day one of the Adelaide International at Memorial Drive Tennis Centre, featuring first-round matches. **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 noon** Alpine Skiing **2.00pm** Ski Jumping **3.00** Tennis **4.00** Alpine Skiing **6.00** Ski Jumping **7.00** Tennis **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Alpine Skiing **10.00** Tennis **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Ski Jumping **1.00am** Tennis **2.00** Dakar Rally **3.00** Tennis **4.00–6.00am** Snooker

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 **Virgin** 522 **BT** 413/**HD** 436

6.00am Snooker: the Masters **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Ski Jumping **10.00** The Power of Sport **10.30** Snooker **12.45pm LIVE Snooker** Ronnie O'Sullivan v Luca Brecel, the first round of the Masters in London. **4.30** Dakar Rally **5.30** Snooker **6.45 LIVE Snooker** John Higgins v Jack Lisowski, round one of the Masters from Alexandra Palace. **10.30** Snooker **12 midnight** Tennis **1.00am** Dakar Rally **2.00** Snooker **4.00** Formula E **5.00–6.00am** Tennis

Big Bash League Cricket *7.45am* ***Sky Cricket*** Hobart Hurricanes ace Matthew Wade

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 **Virgin** 512/**HD** 502 **BT** 421/**HD** 441

6.00am Premier League Greatest Games **7.00** Premier League Legends (AD) **8.00** Premier League Best Goals (AD) **9.00** Premier League 100 Club **10.00** The Football Show: discussion **12 noon** Transfer Talk **1.00pm** Premier League Years: 2004/05 (AD) **3.00** Premier League Greatest Games (AD) **4.00** Best Goals (AD) **5.00** 100 Club **6.00** Premier League Legends (AD) **6.30** Soccer AM: the Best Bits **7.00** Premier League 30 **8.00** Premier League Special: Jamie Carragher interviews Arsenal manager Mikel Arteta **9.00** Football's Toughest Opponent **10.00** Soccer AM: the Best Bits **10.30** Premier League Retro: a full re-run of Manchester United v Manchester City from 2009/10 **12.30am** Premier League Icons (AD) **1.00** Premier League Years: 2005/06 (AD) **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.30–6.00am** 100 Club

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 **Virgin** 514/**HD** 504 **BT** 423/**HD** 443

6.00am Best of the Big Bash **6.45** Big Bash League Highlights: Sydney Thunder v Sydney Sixers **7.45 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Hobart Hurricanes v Melbourne Stars, a T20 match from Blundstone Arena. **11.45** Best of the Big Bash **12 noon** Test Highlights: Pakistan v New Zealand, day five from Multan **1.00pm** Big Bash League Cricket: Hobart Hurricanes v Melbourne Stars **5.00** Big Bash League Highlights: the best action from seven matches **12 midnight** Big Bash League Cricket: Hobart Hurricanes v Melbourne Stars **4.00am** Best of the Big Bash **5.00–6.00am** Big Bash League Highlights: Hurricanes v Stars

Sky NFL

Sky 407 **Virgin** 517/**HD** 507 **BT** 426/**HD** 446

6.00am NFL: America's Game (AD) **7.00** NFL Highlights: five games **12 noon** Good Morning Football **3.00pm** NFL Highlights **4.00** NFL Bitesize **5.00** NFL Highlights **6.00** Pro-Football Talk **8.00** NFL Highlights **9.00** NFL Bitesize **9.30** NFL Highlights **10.30** NFL Bitesize: double bill **11.00** NFL: Total Access: **1.00–6.00am** NFL Highlights

Sky Arena

Sky 408 **Virgin** 518/**HD** 508 **BT** 427/**HD** 447

6.00am Super League (AD) **7.30** Rugby League Retro **9.30** Super League (AD) **9.45** British Basketball League: Leicester Riders v Caledonia Gladiators **12 noon** NBA: three games **6.00pm** Super League **7.00** Boxing **9.00** NBA: Miami Heat v Brooklyn Nets **11.00** World Darts Championship **3.00am** British Basketball League: Newcastle Eagles v Cheshire Phoenix **5.15–6.00am** Mose Masoe: behind the Smile: documentary (AD)

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 **Virgin** 527 **BT** 408/**HD** 430

6.00am ESPN FC **6.30** Premier League Reload **6.45** What I Wore **7.00** Wrestling (AD) **8.00** Premier League: the Big Interview (AD) **8.30** Premier League Stories (AD) **9.00** What I Wore **9.30** Joe Cole Cast **10.00** Football Classics in Europe (AD) **12 noon** Rocky and Wrighty: from Brockley to the Big Time (AD) **1.30pm** Premier League Legends (AD) **2.00** Currie Club **2.30** Football Classics in Europe (AD) **3.00** Test Cricket: Australia v South Africa **5.00** What I Wore **5.15** Premier League Reload **5.30 LIVE Italian Football** Hellas Verona v Cremonese in Serie A, at Stadio Marc'Antonio Bentegodi (kick-off **5.30**); **7.30** Bologna v Atalanta, the Serie A match from Stadio Renato Dall'Ara (kick-off **7.45**). **9.45** Goals Reload **10.15** What I Wore **10.30** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls **11.00** Wrestling **1.00am LIVE Wrestling** WWE action from Monday Night Raw, featuring star fighters such as Randy Orton and Seth Rollins. **4.15** What Went Down (AD) **5.15** BT Sport Goals Reload **5.30–6.00am** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 **Virgin** 528 **BT** 409/**HD** 431

6.00am Australian Football: the best action from six A-League matches **12 noon** Classic Premier League: vintage goals from the 2000s (AD) **5.00pm** ESPN FC: world football **5.30** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls **6.00** American Football: College Football Live **7.30** American Football: Championship Drive **9.30** 30 for 30 Shorts: The Deal (AD) **10.00** College GameDay: a look ahead to the CFP National Championship Game **12.30am LIVE American Football** Coverage of the CFP National Championship Game. **5.00–6.00am** SEC Storied

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 **Virgin** 529 **BT** 410/**HD** 432

6.00am Italian Football: highlights from eight weekend Serie A games **2.00pm** Uefa Documentaries: triple bill of films celebrating the Champions League (AD) **5.00** Sport in Focus (AD) **5.15** Classic Rugby Revisited (AD) **6.45** Premiership Rugby Union: the best weekend action **8.15** Rugby Tonight (AD) **9.00** Fishing **10.00** Test Cricket Highlights: the Third Test between Australia and South Africa **12 midnight** Currie Club **12.30am** BT Sport Goals Reload **1.00** Badminton **3.00–6.00am LIVE Badminton** Day one of the Malaysia Open. Coverage continues until 1pm.

BT Sport 4

Sky 423 **Virgin** 530 **BT** 411/**HD** 434

6.00am American Football **7.00** ESPN FC **7.30** American Football **11.00** ESPN FC: analysis and debate **11.30** American Football: Ohio State Buckeyes v Georgia Bulldogs **3.00pm** Basketball: Arizona State Sun Devils v Washington Huskies **4.45** Reload **5.00** American Football **6.00** Basketball: Arizona Wildcats v Oregon Ducks **7.45** BT Sport Reload **8.00** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls: world football **8.30** Lacrosse: Las Vegas Desert Dogs v Philadelphia Wings **10.30** Lacrosse: Colorado Mammoth v Calgary Roughnecks **12.30am** Gymnastics: NCAA action **2.00** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls **2.30–6.00am** Basketball: double bill

Viaplay Sports

8.00pm LIVE Spanish Football Athletic Bilbao v Osasuna from San Mamés (kick-off **8.00**).

Tuesday

BACK TO SCHOOL Kim (Angela Griffin) comforts Nicky (Kym Marsh)

DRAMA

Waterloo Road

8.00pm ***BBC1*** *Full series available on iPlayer*

The original run of *Waterloo Road* was sometimes marred by melodramatic excess (the lorry crash and the exorcism spring to mind), but this enjoyable revamped version is remembering to keep things grounded. So, what we're seeing instead are issues of real relevance to tons of people being taken by the scruff of the neck and put up there on screen.

Polarising opinion tonight, for instance: the new school uniform, which canteen worker Nicky (Kym Marsh) is objecting to paying for so soon after shelling out for the last one. "Who died and made you Marcus Rashford?" asks her embarrassed daughter Tonya (Summer Violet Bird).

My only hope is that the audience seeks the series out. Stressed-out parents like Nicky will probably be aware of its existence, but anecdotal evidence from kids (OK, my own teenagers) suggests that they're much more likely to gravitate towards Netflix and YouTube than the BBC. Should they chance upon an episode, though, they'll no doubt find much that chimes with their own experiences of life in secondary education.

DAVID BROWN

SOAP

Emmerdale

7.30pm ***ITV1*** *Catch up via ITVX*

The situation as regards killer Kyle is getting increasingly fraught and I can't predict how it'll be resolved. Will the writers choose to punish the panicked youngster with a spell in youth detention or similar? Or is dad Cain set to languish behind bars for a crime he didn't commit? I guess Amy *could* go on the run with her son for a spell, but soaps do exist in a very moral universe and those who transgress (even if it is inadvertent, accidental murder) must eventually pay the price.

Tonight, everyone at Butlers Farm is getting quizzed by the police about the untimely demise of Al, with Matty left very rattled when DS Malik reminds him of the consequences of perverting the course of justice... **DBr**

FOOD

The Hairy Bikers Go Local

8.00pm ***BBC2*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

Si King and Dave Myers have come to East Barsham, Norfolk, where Jake and his partner Terri are making a name for themselves with Jake's adventurous menu and their country pub's friendly atmosphere. So it's a challenge for the Bikers to source local produce that will suit Jake's unusual culinary style.

They check out some free-range geese (a goose isn't just for Christmas, they say), tofu and plums before returning to their base near the well-named village of Spooner Row to create dishes they hope will be tasty additions to the Barsham Arms's menu. It's a great advert for both the restaurant and the food producers in the area. More tomorrow. **JANE RACKHAM**

DOCUMENTARY

Miriam Margolyes: Australia Unmasked

9.00pm ***BBC2*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

Her health, age and mobility issues make Miriam Margolyes feel vulnerable, so she wants to know if Australia's famous ethos of "getting a fair go" applies to people like her. Slightly apprehensively, she visits an Adelaide nudist colony where the bodies on display are (probably depending on your age) either horrifying or reassuring. She isn't tempted to strip off herself, but the conversation gets quite fruity.

That's the thing about Miriam. No matter who she talks to – youngsters, criminals, parents or activists – her trademark outspokenness never offends but instead elicits frank, and therefore illuminating, responses. She certainly gives documentary-making a fair go. **JR**

DOCUMENTARY

24 Hours in A&E

9.00pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

From life as a carer for someone with a chronic illness to insights into raising deaf children, it's the pure human stories, rather than the medical detail, that snag onto you and refuse to be dislodged in this fly-on-the-wall documentary series.

Take hospital receptionist Jillian, for instance. The 61-year-old arrives in the A&E department of Queen's Medical Centre in Nottingham after a fall (at a fundraising event for that same hospital, ironically enough), but it's not the finer points of her treatment that will stick with you so much as her heart-aching chat with the staff. Her account of coping with the sudden and brutally life-changing news that her husband had stage-four bowel cancer is unforgettable.

CERI THOMAS

ALSO ON TODAY

Silent Witness
9.00pm ***BBC1***
Forensic pathologists Nikki (Emilia Fox) and Jack (David Caves) continue investigating the human trafficking deaths in Kent.

The Mistress
8.30pm ***BBC4***
Carla Lane's often-forgotten 1980s comedy stars Felicity Kendal (right) as a florist having an affair with a married man (Jack Galloway).

Reginald the Vampire
9pm, 10pm ***Sky Sci-Fi***
New blood in the genre as Jacob Batalon plays an unlikely hero navigating his "life" among the undead.

DOCUMENTARY

Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild

9pm ***Channel 5*** *Catch up on My5 (series 4–16 also available)*

Last week, Ben Fogle was clearly envious of the lifestyle of former snowboarder Mike Basich in the Sierra Nevada. But as he nervously asks his latest host about snakes and other local critters, you sense this week's jaunt isn't quite so enticing.

He's come to Northern Queensland to meet Bette, 79, who's been living in a ramshackle house in the rainforest for 30 years. She's no pushover, decrying Fogle's attempts at cooking and getting him to help her out around the place. He gently probes to find out what drew her here and the troubles she's had (there have been a few), and learns to understand the very pure happiness she gets from her surroundings. **GILL CRAWFORD**

DOCUMENTARY

Belfast Midwives

10.00pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

Reliably tear-jerking, this series captures the stories of babies born at Belfast's Royal Jubilee Hospital, one of the country's busiest maternity units. In this episode, two second-time mums on the ward are hoping for a different experience when they deliver – Azza wants to avoid surgery, while Natalie is haunted by memories of a difficult "back-to-back" birth. The team looking after them approach their high-stakes job with a tenderness that is touching to witness.

Young midwife Zara speaks candidly about how a beloved grandparent's treatment for dementia has inspired her own work, getting new lives off to a good start. **ORLA THOMAS**

REALITY

Life after Love Island: Untold

11.05pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

Channel 4 isn't the official home of *Love Island*, but it hasn't stopped them recognising its massive success and jumping on the bandwagon. Every year, thousands of people apply to appear on the reality show, which promises weeks of fun in the Majorcan sun. Increasingly, they have fame and dreams of being a celebrity influencer on their minds, but how often does that become the reality?

Will Njobvu investigates what happens to Love Islanders once they leave the villa, talking to 2020 winners Paige Turley and Finn Tapp, and former contestants Wes Nelson, Shaughna Phillips, and Coco Lodge – who is still struggling to make it as an influencer. **KAY RIBEIRO**

UNBROKEN Bradley Walsh is pushed to the limit by son Barney

TRAVEL

Bradley and Barney Walsh: Breaking Dad

9.00pm, 9.30pm ***ITV1*** *Catch up via ITVX (series 1–4 also available)*

If you've not seen the previous four series, be aware, this is not your average celebrity travelogue. This time, Bradley Walsh and thrill-seeking son Barney are driving through Mexico experiencing heart-pumping feats such as climbing a sheer mountain face in a thunderstorm, wandering around a bat cave at night or hurtling down a vertical water slide. They all involve a nervous Bradley yelling "Woah!" and shutting his eyes in fear, while Barney doubles over with laughter. For light relief they sometimes get dressed up in a funny costume – Bradley's Mexican wrestler's outfit is quite a sight.

In between they sing, laugh, tell jokes (Bradley's Mexican-themed ones are dire) and enjoy each other's company in a way few parents and kids do. Daft but irresistible and thoroughly enjoyable. **JR**

LIVE SPORT

Tennis: Adelaide International
8.00am ***Eurosport 1***
Tunisian star Ons Jabeur (above) is among the entrants in the Adelaide tournament.

International Cricket
Pakistan v New Zealand
9.20am ***Sky Cricket***, *12.10pm* ***Sky Main Event***
The first one-day international in the five-match series from Lahore.

Snooker: The Masters
12.45pm ***Eurosport 2***, *1pm* ***BBC2***
Mark Allen v Barry Hawkins, a first-round match on day three at Alexandra Palace, north London.

FILM OF THE DAY

As Good as It Gets
★★★★ 15
9.00pm ***Great Movies***
James L Brooks's ingenious, Oscar-winning drama pushes the romcom format to hilarious extremes, pairing an unlikeable man (Jack Nicholson) with the only person who'll tolerate him (Helen Hunt, above). (1997)

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TUESDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Jon Kay, Sally Nugent. (S) (HD)

9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays Consumer show. (S) (HD)

10.00 Big Little Crimes An anonymous tip-off leads police to crack the UK's biggest case of food fraud and an officer's instinct uncovers a conspiracy to commit massive insurance fraud. (S) (HD)

10.45 For Love or Money A man who grew suspicious when someone he met online asked for money. (R) (S) (HD)

11.15 Homes under the Hammer Properties in Rhondda Cynon Taf, Bolton and Staffordshire. (S) (HD)

12.15pm Bargain Hunt Two teams scour Exeter's Westpoint Arena for items to sell. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

1.45 Doctors Gifford shows Emma some appreciation for her hard work and Scarlett finds a way to work her new job around the Mill. (S) (AD) (HD)

2.15 The Farmers' Country Showdown A pig-farming couple compete in a heatwave at the Royal Welsh Show. Repeated tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)

3.00 Escape to the Country Two retired police officers, who are looking for a traditional Welsh home with at least an acre of land, are taken on a tour of the breathtaking landscapes of north Wales. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.45 The Repair Shop Restoring an 80-year-old camera, a draughts board and a toy rabbit. (S) (AD) (HD)

4.30–5.15 Make It at Market Dominic Chinea gives blacksmith Alex and furniture-maker Cora the chance to turn their hobbies and skills into money-making businesses. Repeated tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am The Farmers' Country Showdown Emotions run high at Melplash Show. Shown yesterday 2.15pm BBC1 (S) (HD)

7.15 Make It at Market Shown Mon 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00–9.00 Sign Zone Digging for Britain *1/6.* A Roman settlement is revealed. Shown New Year's Day (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 BBC News The latest headlines. (S) (HD)

12.15pm Politics Live Stories from Westminster. (S) (HD)

1.00–5.15 LIVE Snooker Mark Allen takes on Barry Hawkins in the fifth first-round match of the Masters, where day three gets under way and another place in the quarter-finals is up for grabs. Hawkins was runner-up to Neil Robertson last year, having also been beaten in the showpiece match in 2016, while Northern Irishman Allen was the champion in 2018. (S) (HD)

ITV1

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)

9.00 Lorraine Guests, gossip and more. (S) (HD)

10.00 This Morning Celebrity interviews, fashion and lifestyle advice. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)

12.30pm Loose Women Forthright opinions. (S) (HD)

1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

2.00 Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers travel around the country assessing items brought in by members of the public. Signed repeat 3am (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00–4.00 Lingo Friends from Surrey, twins from Birmingham and a mother and daughter-in-law from Manchester play the word game. Adil Ray presents. Signed repeat 5.05am (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**

Channel 4

6.10am Countdown Richard Osman guests. (R) (S) (HD)

6.50 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S)

7.40 Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Frasier Three episodes of the comedy. (R) (S) (AD)

10.25 Undercover Boss USA The chairman and CEO of Kampgrounds of America goes under cover within his own company. (R) (S) (HD) **11.25 News** (S) (HD)

11.30 Couples Come Dine with Me Three pairs from Bournemouth compete in the challenge. (R) (S) (HD)

12.30pm Steph's Packed Lunch Weekday magazine show presented by Steph McGovern. (S) (HD)

2.10 Countdown With guest Heather Small. (S) (HD)

3.00 A Place in the Sun In the Dordogne region of France, Craig Rowe helps Sylvia search for a home with a budget of £250,000. Repeated 5pm 4seven (S) (HD)

4.00–5.00 A New Life in the Sun In Spain, a B&B owner throws a grand party, and a couple hosts their first event at their French manor. Rptd 6pm 4seven (S) (HD)

BBC1 1

Waterloo Road *8.00pm* Canteen worker Nicky is on the warpath over the school's plans for a new uniform

5.15pm Pointless
Quiz presented by Alexander Armstrong. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 Regional news magazines (S)

7.00 The One Show
Jermaine Jenas and Alex Jones present. (S) (HD)

7.30 EastEnders
Zack's world is turned upside down and Stacey is determined to keep her word. Meanwhile, Denise plans to put the spark back into her marriage.
Writer Kim Revill Cast Wednesday/Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Waterloo Road
RT *2/22 Series 11.* Waterloo Road is rocked by some shocking news that leaves irrevocable damage. In the meantime, back at school, Danny's first day gets off to a terrible start. A box set of previous series is on iPlayer. **See page 70.**

Kim Campbell	**Angela Griffin**	Donte Charles	**Adam Thomas**
Joe Casey	**James Baxter**	Izzy Charles	**Scarlett Thomas**
Wendy Whitwell	**Jo Coffey**	Tommy Charles	**Teddy Thomas**
Neil Guthrie	**Neil Fitzmaurice**	Jamilah Omar	**Sonia Ibrahim**
Lindon King	**Vincent Jerome**	Shola Aku	**Chiamaka Ulebor**
Coral Walker	**Rachel Leskovac**	Danny Lewis	**Adam Abbou**
Nicky Walters	**Kym Marsh**	Dean Weever	
Amy Spratt	**Katherine Pearce**		**Francesco Piacentini-Smith**
Valerie Chambers	**Shauna Shim**	Kelly Jo Rafferty	**Alicia Forde**

Writer Neil Jones; Series producer Lindsay Williams
Director Jesse Quinones Repeated Friday 8pm BBC3 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Silent Witness
4/10 Series 26. **Familiar Faces 2/2.** As Nikki and Jack delve deeper into the investigation of the abandoned lorry deaths, the disturbing truth behind this human trafficking case becomes clear. Meanwhile, Gabriel finds himself emotionally invested and faces an ethical dilemma and Jack gets a surprise visit. A box set of previous series is on iPlayer.

Dr Nikki Alexander	**Emilia Fox**	Tommy Shaw	**Emilio Villa-Muhammad**
Jack Hodgson	**David Caves**	Shelia Shaw	**Muna Otaru**
Dr Gabriel Folukoya	**Aki Omoshaybi**	Will Sturton	**Joshua Coombes**
Velvy Schur	**Alastair Michael**	Damian	**Tommy Oldroyd**
Cara Connelly	**Rhiannon May**	Frank Turner	**Jack Ryder**
Maeve Tooney	**Masie Ayres**	Robbie Tooney	**Gus Barry**
Marcus Tilman	**Eoin Lynch**	Kerry Tooney	**Lucy Black**
Natia Beridze	**Sophia Carlo**	Maya Park	**Ranhee Yoo**
DI Sarah Torres	**Nadine Marshall**	Ms Bashir	**Helene Maksoud**
Ketevan Gvazava	**Maria Forrester**	Cal	**Hector Abbott**
Lucy Stevens	**Kate Bracken**	Mr Fasarakos	**Yiannis Alexiou**
Elene	**Deya Du Preez**	Bev	**Kate Robbins**
Jason	**Florian Rafuna**	Nurse Vi Froggat	**Nicola Sloane**

Writer Rebecca Wojciechowski (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

10.40 Pretty Little Liars: Original Sin
***New series. 1/10.* Spirit Week.** US high-school drama starring Bailee Madison. Twenty years previously, a series of tragic events almost ripped Millwood apart. In the present day, a set of teenagers find themselves tormented by an unknown assailant. (S) (HD)
11.35 *2/10.* The Spirit Queen. Imogen and her new friends plot revenge on their common nemesis, while Karen and her twin sister Kelly hatch plans of their own. The whole series is available on iPlayer. (S) (HD)

Imogen Adams	**Bailee Madison**	Karen Beasley/Kelly Beasley	
Tabitha "Tabby" Hayworthe			**Mallory Bechtel**
	Chandler Kinney	Sidney Hayworthe	**Sharon Leal**
Faran Bryant	**Zaria**	Marjorie Olivar	**Elena Goode**
Minnie "Mouse" Honrada	**Malia Pyles**	Sheriff Tom Beasley	**Eric Johnson**
Noa Olivar	**Maia Reficco**	Shawn Noble	**Alex Aiono**

12.25am Would I Lie to You? *1/11 Series 16.* Bez, Motsi Mabuse, Shazia Mirza and Steve Pemberton guest on the comedy panel show. Shown last Friday (S) (HD)
12.55 Ambulance *4/6 Series 10.* Alan and Ellen rush to an Italian restaurant where an 83-year-old patient has collapsed while out for dinner with his family. Shown last Wednesday (S) (HD)
1.55 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)
2.00–6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

BBC1 **Freeview** 1/**HD** 101 **Freesat** 101/**HD** 106 **Sky** 101/**HD** 115 **Virgin** 101

BBC2 2

Miriam Margolyes: Australia Unmasked *9.00pm* A look at the plight of the vulnerable in today's society

5.15pm Flog It!
Previously unseen finds, including trips to St Albans and Wolverhampton Art Gallery. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Richard Osman's House of Games
Jasmine Harman, Dave Johns, Suzannah Lipscomb and Jason Mohammad test their general knowledge skills.
Director John Smith; Executive producer Tamara Gilder (S) (HD)

6.30 Take a Hike
7/15 Series 2. Student Sorley hosts the second walk on the Isle of Skye – a hike around Loch Coruisk. But will the tricky terrain and changeable weather prove to be a step too far for the others? (S) (HD)

7.00 This Farming Life
Series 5. In the east neuk of Fife, father Ronnie and sons Pete and Mike prepare for a special new arrival. Donald's partner Joanna embarks on a steep learning curve in Loch Ness, and young farmer Sean nears the end of a bumper lambing season. (R) (S) (HD)

BBC RED BUTTON 7.00–11.00 Snooker Live coverage of the Masters tournament from Alexandra Palace

8.00 The Hairy Bikers Go Local
RT ***5/8.*** Dave Myers and Si King are in the Norfolk village of East Barsham to meet Jake and his partner Terri, who have taken on a country pub and are keen to keep the menu fresh. Jake is a flamboyant and creative cook, so the Bikers must find ingredients to suit his style. After seeking out local goose, tofu and plums, they prepare three dishes, but how will their creations go down with Jake and Terri? Continues tomorrow 8pm. **See p70.** (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Miriam Margolyes: Australia Unmasked
RT ***3/3.*** The actress concludes her quest to explore the Australian ethos of the "fair go" – a reasonable chance. As an 80-year-old woman, Miriam has never felt more vulnerable and her situation has left her concerned about the "fair go" for those who are powerless in society today. On the last leg of her trip, Miriam travels through the state of South Australia, tackling ageism, spending time at a nudist club and discovering individuals and communities whose lives still hang in the balance. **See page 70.**
Director Helen Barrow; Series producer Bethan Arwel-Lewis (S) (AD) (HD)
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10.00 Detectorists
Series 1. Members of a rival club already seem to know about the possible location of King Sexred of the East Saxons, which prompts the gang to believe that they have a mole within their ranks.

Andy	**Mackenzie Crook**	Louise	**Laura Checkley**
Lance	**Toby Jones**	Varde	**Orion Ben**
Becky	**Rachael Stirling**	Hugh	**Divian Ladwa**
Sophie	**Aimee-Ffion Edwards**	Russell	**Pearce Quigley**
Maggie	**Lucy Benjamin**	Bishop	**David Sterne**
Tony	**Adam Riches**	Paul	**Paul Casar**
Terry	**Gerard Horan**	Art	**Simon Farnaby**
Sheila	**Sophie Thompson**		

Writer/Director Mackenzie Crook; Producer Adam Tandy (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight With Victoria Derbyshire. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather (S) (HD)

11.15 Snooker
Action from this evening's first-round match at the Masters, featuring Welshman Mark Williams. (S) (HD)

12.05am Snooker Extra Masters first-round action. (S) (HD)
2.05 Digging for Britain *2/6 Series 10.* Alice Roberts visits a lost medieval friary. **See choice, p50.** Shown Sun 8pm (S) (AD) (HD)
3.05–4.50am Sign Zone 3.05 Flipping Profit Searching for profitable bargains in Monmouth. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
3.50 Tokyo Vice *1/8.* Drama about a rookie US journalist in Tokyo. English and Japanese +subtitles. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2 **Freeview** 2/**HD** 102 **Freesat** 102 **Sky** 102 **Virgin** 102

ITV1 3

Bradley & Barney Walsh: Breaking Dad
9.00pm Dizzy heights: the duo face a long climb

4.00pm Tipping Point
Ben Shephard hosts as three players try to hit the jackpot on the big arcade machine. (S) (HD)

5.00 The Chase
Pete, Amy, Jayne and Tom take on one of the ruthless Chasers in the hope of walking away with the prize pot. Bradley Walsh hosts. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S) (HD)

7.30 Emmerdale
RT The police question Cain's loved ones. Kim is impressed when Gabby shows initiative. The stakes are high at the farm. **See page 70.**
Writer Peter Kerry Cast Monday/Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 The Martin Lewis Money Show Live
Martin welcomes in 2023 with bill-busting tips for those who have enjoyed a high-spending festive season, and suggestions about how to clear debts. He'll also be revealing the week's best deals and answering viewers' questions.
Executive producer Mike Blair
Series editor Clare Miller (S) (HD)

9.00 Bradley & Barney Walsh: Breaking Dad
RT ***New series. 1/7*** *Series 5.* The father and son duo visit Latin America for another road trip. First up, they head for Mexico, where they tackle one of the country's most popular sports – lucha libre wrestling. Next day, they pay a visit to an eerie island which is covered with creepy, decrepit dolls. But something far more scary is just around the corner. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.30 ***2/7.*** Still in Mexico, Bradley is faced with a hair-raising challenge. Can he swing across the top of a mountain with nothing but a huge drop below him? If he succeeds, Barney's keen to get his dad inside a dark cave full of snakes and bats. But will the pair finally get to enjoy some fun at a local waterpark? **See page 71.**
Series director Phil Ashton
Series producer Reshmi Bajnath (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 ITV News at Ten
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

10.45 The John Bishop Show
Ep 1 *Series 2.* The comic returns with a lively mixture of topical stand-up and interviews with his special guests from the worlds of television, music and sport. John also checks the global comedy pulse with a team of stand-ups based around the planet. **See choice, page 41.**
Shown Saturday 9.30pm (S) (HD)

11.25 Kate Garraway's Life Stories
The *Good Morning Britain* presenter talks to singing sensation Charlotte Church, who shot to fame at the age of 12. The Welsh performer opens up about her turbulent love life and reveals the truth behind her tabloid image as a wild child. She also discusses her plans to open an eco-wellness centre in rural Wales.
Series director Paul Kirrage
Series producer Maxie Allen (R) (S) (HD)

12.20am Home Shopping (HD)
3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers search for treasure. Shown 2pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
3.50 Unwind A sequence to calm the mind. (S) (HD)
5.05–6.00am Lingo Adil Ray introduces the fast-moving battle of words. Shown 3pm (S) (SL) (HD)

ITV1 **Freeview** 3/**HD** 103 **Freesat** 103 **Sky** 103 **Virgin** 113/**HD** 103
+1 **Freeview** 35 **Freesat** 112 **Sky** 203 **Virgin** 114

Channel 4 4 (7 in Wales)

Belfast Midwives
10.00pm Welcome to the world: proud parents Natalie and Eddie say hello to their newborn son

5.00pm Come Dine with Me: the Professionals
Three pairs take part in Manchester. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons
A Streetcar Named Marge. Marge gets the lead role in an amateur theatre production. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks
Eric reveals his plans to Maxine.

Eric Foster	**Angus Castle-Doughty**	Honour Chen-Williams	**Vera Chok**
Maxine Minniver	**Nikki Sanderson**	Jack Osborne	**James McKenna**
Beau Ramsey	**Jon-Paul Bell**	James Nightingale	**Gregory Finnegan**
Charlie Dean	**Charlie Behan**	John Paul McQueen	**James Sutton**
Cindy Cunningham	**Stephanie Waring**	Leah Barnes	**Ela-May Demircan**
Darren Osborne	**Ashley Taylor Dawson**	Lizzie Chen-Williams	**Lily Best**
Dave Chen-Williams	**Dominic Power**	Mason Chen-Williams	**Frank Kauer**
Diane Hutchinson	**Alex Fletcher**	Matthew-Jesus McQueen	
Ethan Williams	**Matthew James-Bailey**		**Matthew Clohessy**
Goldie McQueen	**Chelsee Healey**	Nana McQueen	**Diane Langton**

Writer Jayshree Patel More cast Thu Shown yesterday 7pm E4 Rptd tomorrow 6.30am E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 Food Unwrapped's Healthy Hacks
A special one-off edition sees the team looking at so-called "superfoods". Jimmy Doherty explores the health claims behind pomegranates, while Amanda Byram investigates reports that rosemary can help improve teenagers' exam performances.
Directors/Producers Nicola Ollivere, Matt Wenham, Alice Wylie and Nicola Tremain (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
A new series of *Food Unwrapped* Friday 8pm

9.00 24 Hours in A&E
RT ***Ep 2.*** Mick, 74, is rushed in with suspected sepsis, and doctors are puzzled as to what's causing this life-threatening condition. Fifty-eight-year-old Keith arrives with a fast heart rate, and as medical staff try to control this, his wife talks about bringing up deaf children and being diagnosed with the "deaf gene". **See p70.**
Series directors/producers Louise Bartmann, Colin Stone and Kate Walker Rptd tomorrow 10pm 4seven and 1.05am C4 (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Belfast Midwives
RT ***Ep 2.*** Eddie is proud stepdad to Natalie's nine-year-old daughter, but this is their first child together – conceived through IVF. How will they cope with Natalie's long labour? Azza has been induced and is in labour, but husband Adam is working in Cork. It's a tense time as he arrives just as Azza and baby become unwell and an emergency procedure is called for. **See page 71.**
Series director Leanne Chuter; Executive producers Emma Morgan and Lisa Hazlehurst Repeated tomorrow 11.05pm 4seven and 2am Channel 4 (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Life after Love Island: Untold
RT Will Njobvu investigates what happens to *Love Island* contestants after the cameras are gone. Former winners Paige Turley and Finn Tapp speak about their experiences on the show, and industry experts discuss the surprising aspects of life after the limelight. **See page 71.**
Director/Series producer Liam O'Hare (S) (AD) (HD)

12.05am Murder in the Outback: the Falconio and Lees Mystery ***2/4.*** The sole witness to the night's events is questioned about apparent inconsistencies in her story. Continues tomorrow 12.10am. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
1.05 I Am Ruth Dominic Savage's drama starring Kate Winslet and Mia Threapleton. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
2.45 Couples Come Dine with Me Three pairs from Birmingham compete for the cash prize. (R) (S) (HD)
3.40 The Great Pottery Throw Down ***Ep 1.*** Creating a tea set. **See choice, p51.** Shown Sun 7.45pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
4.45 Sarah Beeny's New Life in the Country The family invests in some poultry. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
5.40–6.10am Food Unwrapped Discovering the best way to remove the smell from fish. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

Channel 4 **Freeview** 4/**HD** 104 **Freesat** 104 **Sky** 104 **Virgin HD** 104
+1 **Freeview** 15 **Freesat** 121 **Sky** 204 **Virgin** 142

BBC4 9 (24 in Scotland)

The Mistress
8.30pm Felicity Kendal stars as Maxine in the 1980s sitcom about an affair

7.00pm Great Indian Railway Journeys
4/4. **Lucknow to Kolkata.** In Lucknow, Michael Portillo tastes the famous kebabs and in Kolkata he takes in the grand Great Eastern Hotel. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 To the Manor Born
3/7 *Series 3.* **Horses v Cars.** In an episode first shown in 1981, Audrey gets a large car repair bill while DeVere takes to the skies in a new helicopter.
Writers Christopher Bond and Peter Spence
Producer Gareth Gwenlan (R) (S)

8.30 The Mistress
1/6 *Series 1.* Carla Lane's comedy from 1985 starring Felicity Kendal as a woman in a relationship with a married man.

Maxine	**Felicity Kendal**
Luke	**Jack Galloway**
Helen	**Jane Asher**
Jenny	**Jenny McCracken**
Simon	**Tony Aitken**
Jo	**Peggy Sirr**

Director/Producer Gareth Gwenlan (R) (S)

9.00 A History of Britain by Simon Schama
1/7 *Series 1.* **Beginnings (3100 BC–1000 AD).** The historian charts the 4,000 years prior to the AD 1000, from Stone Age Orkney and through four centuries of Roman occupation to King Alfred's ultimate victory over the Vikings, which laid the foundations for the Anglo-Saxon kingdom later subjugated by the Norman invaders.
Director/Executive producer Martin Davidson
Repeated Thursday 2.10am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Catching Britain's Killers: the Crimes That Changed Us
1/3. **DNA.** Exploring the stories behind key murder investigations that helped to overturn laws, transform police interrogation and revolutionise forensic detection. This edition focuses on the hunt in Leicestershire for the killer of two teenage girls in the 1980s, which led to an extraordinary forensic breakthrough – DNA fingerprinting.
Director Emma Frank
Producer Emily Thompson (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Ancient Worlds
1/6. **Come Together.** Historian Richard Miles explores the origins of civilisation, starting with the cities of ancient Mesopotamia some 6,000 years ago.
Director/Producer Tim Kirby (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Ireland to Sydney by Any Means ***6/6.*** The team visit a Unicef vaccination project in Borneo. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
1.00–3.55am The Capture ***4/6*** *Series 1* **Blind Spots.** When DCI Carey finally catches up with Shaun, he reveals the true location of Napier's safe house.
1.55 ***5/6.*** **A Pilgrim of Justice.** The architects of Shaun's downfall reveal the extraordinary details of what happened to him.
2.55 ***6/6.*** **Correction.** Carey teams up with Shaun to try to expose Correction.

Charlie Hall	**Barry Ward**
DS Patrick Flynn	**Cavan Clerkin**
DS Nadia Latif	**Ginny Holder**
DCI Alec Boyd	**Ralph Ineson**
DSI Tom Kendricks	**Nigel Lindsay**
Marcus Levy	**Paul Ritter**

More cast on Monday (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC4 **F'view** 9/**HD** 106 **F'sat** 108 **Sky** 116 **Virgin** 108

BBC1 SCOTLAND
7.00–7.30pm River City **12.25am** The Edit **12.40** Ambulance **1.40** Weather for the Week Ahead **1.45–6.00** BBC News

BBC SCOTLAND
7.00pm Loggerheads **7.30** Sky High Club: Scotland and Beyond **8.00** Who Owns Scotland? **9.00** The Nine **10.00** Being Jewish in Scotland **11.00–12 midnight** Darren McGarvey's Addictions

STV
10.00pm ITV News at Ten; STV News; Weather **10.40** Scotland Tonight; ITV Weather **11.05** The John Bishop Show (R) **11.50** Bradley & Barney Walsh: Breaking Dad **12.15–3.00am** Home Shopping **3.50–5.05** Night Vision

ITV1 BORDER SCOTLAND
10.45pm Representing Border **11.10** The John Bishop Show **11.55–12.20am** The Way We Were

BBC1 WALES
3.00pm Wales's Home of the Year **3.30–3.45** Weatherman Walking: **12.55–1.55am** The Apprentice

BBC2 WALES
7.00–8.00pm This Farming Life **11.15–12.05am** First Minister's Questions

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND
10.40pm Beauty Queen and Single **11.10** Pretty Little Liars: Original Sin **12.05am** Would I Lie to You? **12.35** Ambulance: **1.35–6.00** BBC News

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND
10.00–10.30pm True North: Rhys McClenaghan – Chasing Gold

Channel 5 listings are overleaf

TUESDAY Freeview

Channel 5 5

Tulsa King *10.00pm* Sylvester Stallone stars as an exiled mafioso

5.35am Milkshake! See page 76
9.15 *New.* Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)
12.45pm Traffic Cops An officer faces an angry, uninsured driver who is egged on by a hostile mob. (S) (HD) **1.40 5 News** (S) (HD)
1.45 Home and Away Kirby admits to Theo that she needs closure from Bob. Shown yesterday 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 Stalked: Saving My Daughter ★★ Drama. The man who sexually assaulted a woman fights for custody of their child. Director Tori Garrett (2020) (S) (W) (HD)
4.00 *New.* Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun Following Brits who moved to Spain for sun and a low-cost life. (S) (HD)
5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)
6.00 Holiday Homes in the Sun Amanda Lamb, JB Gill and Sam Pinkham are in and around La Oliva, on the Canary Island of Fuerteventura. (S) (HD)
6.55 5 News Update (S) (HD)
7.00 *New.* GPs: behind Closed Doors Dr Khan offers support to Jean, who's struggling with a rare cancer diagnosis. Series director Richard Pepe (S) (HD)
7.55 5 News Update (S) (HD)
8.00 *New.* Dogs Behaving (Very) Badly *2/15 Series 5.* Cheryl needs help with her dachshund Baer, who is driving the customers away from her hair salon. Directors Owen Griffiths and Gyorgy Nanasi (S) (HD) Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
9.00 *New.* Ben Fogle: New Lives in the Wild RT *2/9 Series 17.* Ben goes Down Under to meet Bette, an elderly lady living alone in the wilds of northern Queensland. Despite the isolation, Bette loves her home and is fighting to protect the area from development. **See page 71.** Producer/Director Gareth Prescott (S) (HD)
10.00 *New.* Tulsa King Channel 5 premieres just the first episode of this US crime thriller with the whole ten-part series available on Paramount+ from yesterday. Recently released from prison after 25 years, New York mafioso Dwight "the General" Manfredi is exiled to Tulsa. **Streaming choice, p36.** (S) (HD)

Dwight "The General" Manfredi	**Sylvester Stallone**
Stacy Beale	**Andrea Savage**
Bodhi	**Martin Starr**
Tyson	**Jay Will**
Armand Truisi	**Max Casella**
Charles "Chickie" Invernizzi	**Domenick Lombardozzi**

11.05 Rambo: Last Blood ★ Action thriller starring Sylvester Stallone. John Rambo is forced back into violent vigilantism when his friend's granddaughter is kidnapped in Mexico. **Review page 77.** Director Adrian Grunberg (2019, 18) (S) (W) (HD)
12.50am Entertainment News (S) (HD) **1.00 *New.*** Casino (S) (HD) **3.00** Entertainment News (S) (HD) **3.05** Holiday Homes in the Sun (S) (HD) **3.55** Get Your Tatts Out: Kavos Ink (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** Divine Designs (S) (SL)
5.10–5.35am House Doctor (S) (SL)

C5 **F'view** 5/**HD** 105 **F'sat** 105 **Sky** 105 **Virgin** 154/**HD** 105
+1 **Freeview** 46 **Freesat** 128 **Sky** 205 **Virgin** 155

BBC4 listings are overleaf

BBC3 23

Weird Science *10.00pm* Lisa (Kelly LeBrock) turns dreams into reality

7.00pm Hungry for It *5/8.* The cooks must transform tinned food into a bougie brunch that blows the mentors' socks off. More Thursday 7pm. (S) (AD) (HD) Followed by ***New.* The Catch Up** (S) (HD)
8.00 *New.* Young MasterChef *5/10.* The rookie cooks are down to the last eight and they not only have to cook, but also film a video that will stand out on any social media. More Thursday 8pm. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.30 *New.* Meet the Khans: Big in Bolton *2/5 Series 3.* Amir does a hilarious shift to see if he can hack it in hospitality. Repeated 11.30pm (S) (HD)
9.00 Gordon Ramsay's Future Food Stars *2/8 Series 1.* The 11 remaining contenders have their raw skills tested at an artisan smoked salmon business. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Weird Science ★★ Comedy fantasy with Anthony Michael Hall. Computer nerds Gary and Wyatt feed all the components of their perfect woman into their PC and are stunned when she comes to life. Available on iPlayer. Director John Hughes (1985, 12) (S)
11.30 Meet the Khans: Big in Bolton Shown 8.30pm.
12 midnight Young MasterChef (S) (AD) (HD) **12.30am** Hungry for It (S) (AD) (HD) **1.30** Planet Sex with Cara Delevingne (S) (HD) **2.15** Hire Me: Competing for a Dream Job (S) (HD) **3.15** Young MasterChef (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
3.45–4.00am Press X to Continue (S) (HD)

BBC3 **F'view** 23/**HD** 109 (not Scot/Wales) **F'sat** 179/**HD** 107 **Sky** 117 (173 London; 141 Scot) **Virgin** 107 (157 Scot/Wales)

ITV2 6

6.00am World's Funniest Videos (S) (HD) **6.35** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **7.00** Secret Crush (S) (SL) (HD) **8.00** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **9.00** Chuck (S) (HD) **10.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **11.00** The OC (S) (HD)
12 noon Secret Crush (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (S) (HD) **3.05** Chuck (S) (HD) **4.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **5.00** The OC (S) (HD)
6.00pm Celebrity Catchphrase Football pundit Dion Dublin, *Countdown's* Rachel Riley and comedian Tim Vine "say what they see". Stephen Mulhern hosts. (S) (AD) (HD)
7.00 Ninja Warrior UK The second part of the semi-final, with the best competitors from four heats returning to battle for a place in the final. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Superstore *11/21 Series 5.* Sandra needs help to stand up to Carol, and Glenn wrestles with a big decision.
8.30 *12/21.* The employees wrestle with the loss of beloved co-worker Myrtle. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 *New.* Kavos Weekender The lives of tourists and holiday reps in the Greek party capital of Kavos on the island of Corfu. (S) (HD)
10.00 Family Guy *Series 12.* Peter and his cronies decide to confront God.
10.30 Meg is threatened by an unstable new pupil. Meanwhile, Peter harasses Brian.
11.00 The Griffins visit Italy. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.30 American Dad! *Series 16.* Roger's past comes back to haunt him.
12 midnight One of Roger's characters falls in love with Dick. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.30am Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **1.30** Plebs: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **2.30–3.00am** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD)

ITV2 **Freeview** 6 **Freesat** 113 **Sky** 118 **Virgin** 115/**HD** 176
+1 **Freeview** 29 **Freesat** 114 **Sky** 218 **Virgin** 116

ITV3 10

DCI Banks *10.00pm* The detectives look into the death of a journalist

6.00am Classic Emmerdale (S) **7.00** Classic Coronation Street (S) (AD) **8.05** George & Mildred (S) **9.15** Agatha Christie's Marple: *The Moving Finger.* The spinster teams up with a dashing man to investigate a series of poison-pen letters Repeated 12.05am (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** Heartbeat: *7/10.* A CND rally at the Early Warning Installation creates chaos in Aidensfield; **12.35pm** *8/10.* Village life is disrupted by a circus family (S) (AD)
1.40pm Classic Emmerdale: double bill. Donna takes a shine to Stephen, then Debbie is heartbroken after yet another rejection from Charity (S) **2.40** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Les and Sandra grow closer, then Curly is alarmed by Emma's plans (S) (AD) **3.45** Inspector Morse: *Series 2 The Settling of the Sun.* Murder shatters the peace of an Oxford college (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00pm Heartbeat *9/10 Series 1.* Nick is seconded to a Scotland Yard team who have arrived in Aidensfield to investigate the fatal shooting of a former policeman, and risks his career to ensure justice is done. (S) (AD) **7.00** *10/10.* Nick's relationship with Kate suffers when he is offered a promotion and gets arrested in London. (S) (AD)
8.00 Midsomer Murders *Series 1.* **Death of a Hollow Man.** The discovery of an elderly villager's body in a river leads Barnaby and Troy to intrigue at an amateur dramatics group, where one of the actors is tricked into killing himself on stage. With Bernard Hepton. (S) (AD)
10.00 DCI Banks *3/6 Series 3.* **Piece of My Heart 1/2.** When journalist Matt Barber is found dead, Banks spots a connection to a death in the 1980s involving a cult rock band. (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** *4/6.* **Piece of My Heart 2/2.** Banks races to find a mysterious tape that could prove the key to the murder, while Annie is forced to make a surprising confession. More tomorrow 10pm. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.05am Agatha Christie's Marple Shown 9.15am (S) (AD) (HD) **2.15–2.30am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV3 **Freeview** 10 **Freesat** 115 **Sky** 119 **Virgin** 117/**HD** 177
+1 **F'view** 59 *(9pm–4am)* **F'sat** 116 **Sky** 219 **Virgin** 174

ITV4 26

6.00am World of Sport (S) (HD) **6.10** The Champions (S) **7.05** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **8.10** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **9.10** The Professionals (S) (AD) **10.15** Minder (S) (AD) **11.25** The Saint (S)
12.25pm The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (AD) (HD) **1.40** The Motorbike Show (S) (HD) **2.40** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **3.45** The Professionals (S) (AD) **4.50** Minder (S) (AD) **5.55** The Motorbike Show (S) (HD)
6.55pm The Chase Celebrity Special Scott Mills, Sunetra Sarker, Anthony Ogogo and Johnny Ball take part. (S) (HD)
8.00 Made in Britain How a Birmingham firm makes the ear-splitting whistles that feature in world events. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 FILM Passenger 57 ★★★ Action adventure starring Wesley Snipes. A terrorist and his accomplices hijack a plane, unaware one of the world's top airline security experts is also on board. **Review p77.** (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
10.50 *New.* All Elite Wrestling: Rampage Hard-hitting AEW action. (S) (HD)
12 midnight *New.* All Elite Wrestling: Battle of the Belts (S) (HD) **1.05am** Auto Mundial (S) (HD) **1.30** Motorsport Mundial (S) (HD) **2.00** Driving Force (S) (HD) **2.50–3.00am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV4 **Freeview** 26 **Freesat** 117 **Sky** 120 **Virgin** 118/**HD** 178
+1 **Freesat** 118 **Sky** 220 **Virgin** 175

Drama 20

Dalziel & Pascoe *8.00pm* Dalziel is accused of a drink-driving offence

7.25am All Creatures Great and Small Repeated 4.10pm (S) **8.15** The Bill: a race demonstration spirals out of control **9.15** Classic Holby City: Sacha launches himself into a new romance (S) (HD) **10.35** Classic Casualty: Ethan tries to make Scott admit he attacked Cal (HD) **11.40** The Bill: the officers come to terms with the tragedy
12.45pm Classic EastEnders: double bill. Pauline tries to help Sonia see Chloe again, then Jim seeks Patrick's help **2.00** Howards' Way: *7/13 Series 1.* Polly confides in Jan about Abby Repeated 2.50am **3.10** Pie in the Sky: *7/10 Series 1.* Crabbe finds himself in demand Repeated 1.50am (S) **4.10** All Creatures Great and Small: *9/12 Series 6. Big Fish, Little Fish* James tries his hand at cricket Shown 7.25am **5.25** As Time Goes By: *7/10 Series 4.* Jean and Lionel make wedding plans Rptd 1.10am (S)
6.00pm Are You Being Served? *1/8 Series 7.* **The Junior.** A vacancy comes up in the menswear department. (S)
6.40 'Allo 'Allo! *4/6 Series 9.* **Tarts and Flickers.** The Fishmongers' Parade proves a hindrance. Repeated 12.30am (S)
7.20 Last of the Summer Wine *Series 2.* **Ballad for Wind Instruments and Canoe.** The trio find a canoe. (S)
8.00 Dalziel & Pascoe *4/4 Series 2.* **Exit Lines.** A car crash leaves Dalziel suspended from duty pending an investigation into drink-driving allegations, while Pascoe exposes a conspiracy. (S) (AD)
10.00 New Tricks *4/10 Series 10.* **The Little Brother.** While Brian makes peace with himself over his dismissal, he agrees to help Esther's friend find her missing brother. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.10 Hustle *1/6 Series 7.* **As Good as it Gets.** Young women fall victim to an ex-model's scam. (HD)
12.30am 'Allo 'Allo! Shown 6.40pm (S)
1.10 As Time Goes By Shown 5.25pm (S)
1.50 Pie in the Sky Shown 3.10pm (S)
2.50–4.00am Howards' Way Shown 2pm

Drama **Freeview** 20 **Freesat** 158 **Sky** 143 **Virgin** 130
+1 **Freeview** 60 **Sky** 243 **Virgin** 226

ITVBe 28

7.00am The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Buying and Selling (S) (HD) **9.00** LittleBe: children's programmes (HD)
12 noon Be Beautiful (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm** The Real Housewives of New York City (S) (HD) **1.05** The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** The Only Way Is Essex (S) (HD) **3.05** Million Dollar Listing: LA (S) (HD) **4.05** The Real Housewives of Atlanta (S) (HD) **5.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD)
6.00pm Masters of Flip Kortney and Dave turn a tired old craftsman house into a beautiful and bright luxury retreat. (S) (HD)
7.00 Buying and Selling Cristal and Scott need a bigger home, so Drew and Jonathan put together a plan. (S) (HD)
8.00 Dinner Date Jennifer from Essex chooses three blind dates. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 *New.* The Real Housewives of Atlanta Marlo hosts a high-fashion gala to introduce her business. (S) (HD)
10.05 Botched Help for a man plagued by his flat nose. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 The Cabins A home-cooked curry causes rumblings of discontent. (S) (HD)
12 midnight–1.00am The Only Way Is Essex (S) (HD)

ITVBe **Freeview** 28 **Freesat** 119 **Sky** 131 **Virgin** 119/**HD** 179
+1 **Virgin** 120 (Scotland 162)

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More4 18

Grand Designs *7.55pm* Sean meets Kevin McCloud at Cloontykilla Castle

8.55am Kirstie's Handmade Treasures **9.15** A Place in the Sun **10.05** A New Life in the Sun **11.05** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **1.10pm** Heir Hunters **3.10** Four in a Bed **5.55** Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It (AD)

6.55pm Escape to the Château Fresh from the success of hosting a three-day wedding at the château, Dick and Angel make plans for the grounds, intending to charge people to fish in the moat and forage in the woods. (AD)
7.55 Grand Designs Kevin McCloud visits actor and musician Sean Simons, who has bought the ruins of Cloontykilla Castle in County Roscommon with a view to creating a spectacular mock 16th-century home. (AD)
9.00 Kevin McCloud meets Kate and Rob who, for eight years, have lived in a 1940s prefab that was designed to last for just ten years. Now, the pair plan to replace it with a bespoke, modern home. (AD)
10.00 Cruises from Hell: Caught on Camera Real-life footage of nautical nightmares as filmed by survivors, from cruise ships pounded by extraordinary weather to near-death experiences on board sinking vessels. (AD)
11.05 24 Hours in A&E Eighty-year-old Michael is brought to St George's Hospital in south-west London with suspected sepsis. Diving coach Laura is treated for a fractured ankle after a fall while ice skating. (AD)
12.10am Grand Designs (AD) **1.15** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown **2.20** 24 Hours in A&E (AD) **3.25–3.50am** Food Unwrapped Investigates (AD)

More4 **F'view** 18 **F'sat** 124 **Sky** 136 **Virgin** 147/**HD** 195
+1 **Freesat** 125 **Sky** 236 **Virgin** 196

E4 13

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown last Friday/yesterday 6.30pm Channel 4 (AD) **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **9.00** The Goldbergs (AD) **10.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD)
12 noon Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **3.00** Modern Family **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine: double bill (AD) **5.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD)
6.00pm The Big Bang Theory ***23/24*** *Series 9.* Penny tries to bond with Leonard's mother during an extended visit. (AD)
6.30 ***24/24.*** Howard and Raj think the government is out to get them. (AD)
7.00 ***New.*** **Hollyoaks** The day of Verity's funeral threatens to end in tragedy. Cast pp73/93 Repeated tomorrow 6pm Channel 4 (AD)
8.00 The Great Celebrity Bake Off for Stand Up to Cancer Noel Fielding and Sandi Toksvig welcome Lee Mack, Griff Rhys Jones, Melanie Sykes and Joe Lycett to the tent. (AD)
9.00 Gogglebox From December 2021. (AD)
10.00 Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits The times when great chemistry in the studio ended in dating disaster. (AD)
11.05 First Dates A laboratory engineer sits down for a meal with a lingerie designer. (AD)
12.10am Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **2.15** Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits (AD) **3.10** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA: tackling an Irish pub in the Hamptons (SL) **4.50–6.00am** The Goldbergs (AD)

E4 **Freeview** 13 **Freesat** 122 **Sky** 135 **Virgin** 106/**HD** 145
+1 **Freeview** 30 **Freesat** 123 **Sky** 235 **Virgin** 146
E4 Extra **Freeview** 31 **Freesat** 181 **Sky** 138 **Virgin** 337

Really 17

6.00am Fantasy Homes by the Sea **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** The Repair Shop **10.00** Antiques Road Trip **12 noon** Money for Nothing **1.00pm** The Bidding Room **2.00** Animal Cops Phoenix (AD) **4.00** Dr Jeff **5.00** Cornwall Air 999 **6.00** Money for Nothing **7.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00** The Great British Sewing Bee **10.30** Dr Pimple Popper: before the Pop **11.00** Ghost Adventures **12 midnight** The Osbournes Want to Believe **1.00am** Ghost Adventures **2.00** Home Shopping **4.00–6.00am** Animal Cops Phoenix (AD)

Really **Freeview** 17 **Freesat** 160 **Sky** 142 **Virgin** 128

Sky Arts 11

Arcimboldo, Portrait of an Audacious Man *8.00pm* The artist's work

6.00am Cosi Fan Tutte: a 2021 production of Mozart's opera **9.05** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **10.05** Alfred Hitchcock Presents **11.05** Discovering: Dennis Hopper
12 noon The Big Design Challenge (AD) **1.00pm** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **2.00** Wordsworth and Coleridge Road Trip with Frank Skinner and Denise Mina **3.00** Portrait Artist of the Year (AD) **4.00** Discovering: Sissy Spacek **5.00** Tales of the Unexpected (AD)
6.00pm Alfred Hitchcock Presents A miserly man decides to kill his wife.
6.30 A reporter spends the night in a wax museum in its section devoted to murderers.
7.00 Wonderland: from JM Barrie to JRR Tolkien The worlds created by authors of classic children's literature, revealing much about their characters and the times they lived in.
8.00 Arcimboldo, Portrait of an Audacious Man A look at the work and legacy of 16th-century artist Giuseppe Arcimboldo.
9.15 Andrea Bocelli: Cinema The tenor performs favourites from classic movies including *The Godfather*, *Dr Zhivago* and *Breakfast at Tiffany's*. Featuring Nicole Scherzinger, Andy Garcia and John Travolta.
11.10 Mae West: Dirty Blonde A look at the life of the colourful actress. (AD)
12.25am Discovering Romance on Film (AD) **2.00** Celebrity Portrait Artist of the Year **3.00** Borromini: the Dark Side of Baroque: the life of architect Francesco Borromini. **5.05** Music Icons: US Punk Rock **5.30–6.00am** Video Killed the Radio Star

Sky Arts **Freeview** 11 **Freesat** 147 **Sky** 130 **Virgin** 165/**HD** 140 **BT** 350/**HD** 365

4seven 49

9.00am Come Dine with Me: dinner parties in Edinburgh **11.30** A Place in the Sun
1.30pm A New Life in the Sun **2.30** Come Dine with Me (AD) **5.00** A Place in the Sun
6.00pm A New Life in the Sun A B&B owner throws an opening party. Shown 4pm C4
7.00 The Dog House ***Ep 1*** *Series 4.* Staff at Woodgreen Pets Charity find homes for their abandoned dogs. A family meet their match in a cheeky cockapoo puppy. Shown last Thu C4 (AD)
8.00 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces ***Ep 1*** *Series 11.* The architect visits a carpenter trying to save a boat from the breakers yard. **See choice, p60.** Shown yesterday 8pm C4 (AD)
9.00 The Great Pottery Throw Down ***Ep 1*** Siobhán McSweeney hosts as 12 of Britain's home potters create a birthday tea set. **See choice, page 51.** Shown Sun 7.45pm C4 (AD)
10.15 Gogglebox Festive Special The armchair critics cast their eyes over last year's biggest Christmas TV shows. (AD)
11.50 Emergency Helicopter Medics ***6/10*** *Series 4.* A woman collapses with a cardiac arrest in Maulden. Shown Mon 11.05pm C4 (AD)
12.50am 24 Hours in A&E: a man is rushed in with suspected sepsis (AD) **1.55** Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It **2.55** Billion Pound Cruise (AD) **3.55–4.55am** The Caribbean: Billionaires' Paradise (AD)

4seven **F'view** 49 **F'sat** 127 **Sky** 137 **Virgin** 143/**HD** 193

Quest 12

6.00am How Do They Do It? **6.25** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **7.10** The Repair Shop **8.00** American Pickers **10.00** Chasing Classic Cars (AD) **11.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars **12 noon** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **1.00pm** The Repair Shop **2.00** The Restoration Man **3.00** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **4.00** Salvage Hunters **5.00** Salvage Hunters: the Restorers (AD) **6.00** Wheeler Dealers **7.00** Aussie Gold Hunters **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** ***New.*** The Woodland Workshop **10.00** The Repair Shop **11.00** How Do They Do It? **12 midnight** Wheeler Dealers **1.00am** Cornwall Air 999 **2.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars **3.00** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **4.00–5.00am** How It's Made

Quest **Freeview** 12 **Freesat** 172/**HD** 167 **Sky** 144 **Virgin** 169
+1 **Freeview** 70 **Freesat** 168 **Sky** 244 **Virgin** 213

Yesterday 27

Great British Railway Journeys Goes to Ireland *6.30pm* Michael Portillo

6.00am History Hunters **8.00** Abandoned Engineering (AD) **9.00** Secret Nazi Bases **10.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler (AD) **11.00** Fred Dibnah's Age of Steam
12 noon Great British Railway Journeys: double bill **1.00pm** Great British Railway Journeys Goes to Ireland **2.00** Bangers and Cash: double bill (AD) **4.00** Secret Nazi Bases **5.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler (AD)
6.00pm Great British Railway Journeys Goes to Ireland Michael acquaints himself with modern archaeology in County Meath.
6.30 Michael Portillo finds out how Ireland's landscape inspired the poetry of WB Yeats.
7.00 Fred Dibnah's Age of Steam The Industrial Revolution in Britain.
7.30 Early steam experiments for road use.
8.00 Secrets of Britain Exploring British landmarks, focusing on the Tower of London.
9.00 Bangers and Cash: Restoring Classics Derek picks out a solid-looking 1969 MGB. (AD)
10.00 Bangers and Cash Derek is reunited with a 1957 Ford 100E Estate. (AD)
11.00 Abandoned Engineering Hidden tunnels that saw a city prosper. (AD)
12 midnight Great British Railway Journeys **1.00–3.00am** History Hunters

Yesterday **Freeview** 27 **Freesat** 159 **Sky** 155 **Virgin** 129
+1 **Freeview** 75 **Sky** 255 **Virgin** 217

Dave 19

7.10am Modern Wheels or Classic Steals **8.00** Fast Justice **10.00** Rick Stein's India (AD) **11.00** Rick Stein: from Venice to Istanbul (AD)
12 noon The Force: behind the Line **1.00pm** Border Force: America's Gatekeepers (AD) **2.00** Top Gear (AD) **4.00** QI XL
5.00pm Taskmaster ***1/8*** *Series 4* The celebrity contestants destroy a cake.
6.00 ***2/8.*** The contestants try long distance painting. Hugh Dennis is befuddled by an egg.
7.00 Richard Osman's House of Games David Baddiel, Alex Brooker, Sophie Duker and Charlotte Hawkins go toe to toe.
7.40 Would I Lie to You? With Jimmy Carr, Griff Rhys Jones, Dave Myers and Susanna Reid.
8.20 QI Sandi Toksvig presents a particularly spooky episode of the quiz.
9.00 QI XL With Lee Mack and Alice Levine.
10.00 Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You David Mitchell hosts, with Andy Hamilton and Deborah Frances-White.
11.00 Taskmaster ***7/10*** *Series 6.* Russell Howard makes a convincing liger.
12 midnight Mock the Week **12.40am** QI **1.20** Would I Lie to You? The Unseen Bits **2.00** Richard Osman's House of Games **2.30** Famalam **2.55–4.00am** Modern Wheels or Classic Steals

Dave **F'view** 19 **F'sat** 157 **Sky** 111 (Wales 112) **Virgin** **HD** 127
Dave Ja Vu **Freeview** 74 **Sky** 211 (Wales 212) **Virgin** 131

London Live 8

6.00am Dork Hunters from Outer Space **6.30** Kong: the Animated Series **7.00** Roswell Conspiracies **7.30** Extreme Dinosaurs **8.00** Stone Age **8.30** Skysurfer Strike Force **9.00** Department S **10.00** For the Love of Ada **11.00** Terry and Mason's Great Food Trip **11.45** Michael Palin's New Europe **12.55pm FILM** Odd Man Out ★★★★★ Classic drama (BW) **3.10 FILM** Tiger in the Smoke ★★★ (BW) **5.00** The Baron
6.00pm London Live News **7.00** Carluccio's 6 Seasons **7.30** After Henry **8.00** The Prisoner **9.00 FILM** American: the Bill Hicks Story ★★ **11.15 FILM** Jack & Sarah ★★★
1.30am FILM Jeffrey ★★★★ **3.30** London Districts **3.45** Quest Boxing League **4.45–6.00am FILM** Avalanche ★★

London Live **Freeview** 8 **Sky** 117 **Virgin** **HD** 159
Other regional stations are available on Freeview 7 or 8 around the country

5 USA 21

9.00am Entertainment News **9.05** Murder, She Wrote **10.05** NCIS (AD) **2.55pm** Entertainment News **3.00** Law & Order **5.00** NCIS *Series 10.* Four episodes. The teenage daughter of a US Navy commander is abducted **6.00** Gibbs teams up with FBI agent TC Fornell **7.00** Tony's father visits for Christmas **8.00** A dead journalist is found to have been investigating the proliferation of drugs in the navy (AD) **9.00** Columbo: a wealthy romantic is killed shortly after calling off her wedding **11.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: four back-to-back episodes
2.50am The Blacklist **3.35–4.00am** Car Thieves and Thugs: Caught on Camera

5 USA **Freeview** 21 **Freesat** 129 **Sky** 141 **Virgin** 153
+1 **Freesat** 130 **Sky** 241 **Virgin** 185

5 Star 32

8.00am Entertainment News **8.10** Rich Kids Go Skint (AD) **9.00** Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun **10.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law **11.00** Call the Bailiffs: Time to Pay Up **12 noon** Traffic Cops **2.00pm** Police Interceptors **5.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law
6.00pm Home and Away Kirby accuses Theo of reading her messages. Shown 1.45pm C5 (AD)
6.30 ***New.*** A bout of cramping sends Ziggy to hospital. Repeated tomorrow 1.45pm C5 (AD)
7.00 GPs: behind Closed Doors A teenage girl gets a contraceptive implant.
8.00 Ambulance: Code Red A car wash employee is stabbed during an argument.
9.00 The Cruise: below Deck Life on board two ships in the Virgin Voyages fleet.
10.00 999: Critical Condition A woman is admitted with life-threatening head injuries.
11.00 Casualty 24/7: Every Second Counts IT systems start to fail across the hospital.
12 midnight Skin A&E **1.00am** Dirty Home Rescue **2.00** Cold Case Killers **3.00** Bargain Brits on Benefits **3.50–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Star **Freeview** 32 **Freesat** 131 **Sky** 128 **Virgin** 151
+1 **Freesat** 141 **Sky** 228 **Virgin** 186

5 Action 33

9.00am Winter Road Rescue **9.35** Trucking Hell **10.35** Police Interceptors **11.40 FILM** Sitting Bull ★ Western starring Dale Robertson
1.35pm FILM Support Your Local Gunfighter ★★★★ Satirical comedy western starring James Garner. **Review page 77** **3.50** Trucking Hell **4.55** Winter Road Rescue
6.00pm Police Interceptors A drunk driver leaves a trail of destruction in his wake.
7.00 Duggie and Mark respond to a report of a car that has been abandoned.
8.00 The team have their hands full when a raid reveals a crowbar-wielding suspect.
9.00 Motorway Cops: Catching Britain's Speeders PC Niaz Waddington deals with multiple boy racers on Cheshire's roads.
10.00 Outback Truckers Carl Andrews gets behind the wheel to transport a sizeable load.
11.00 World's Deadliest Weather: Caught on Camera A man and his daughter struggle to survive raging fires in Australia.
12 midnight Police Interceptors: double bill **2.05am** Riots and Robbers: Caught on Camera **3.05** Car Crash TV **4.00** Airport 24/7: Thailand (AD) **4.50–5.00am** Entertainment News

5 Action **F'view** 33 **F'sat** 132 **Sky** 150 **Virgin** 187/**HD** 150

5 Select 56

9.00am GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **10.00** The Yorkshire Vet **12 noon** The Highland Vet **1.00pm** GPs: behind Closed Doors **3.00** The Yorkshire Vet **5.00** The Highland Vet
6.00pm Walking Tudor England Suzannah Lipscomb goes on the trail of the Tudor dynasty.
7.00 Inside the Steam Train Museum Alex and Taz cook lunch in a steam engine.
8.00 Walking Britain's Roman Roads Exploring the Roman road of Ermine Street.
9.00 Lighthouses: Building the Impossible The bizarre history of The Smalls lighthouse.
10.00 Forged in Fire The finalists must create an elite military weapon known as the Yatagan.
11.00 Re-creating Charlemagne's Joyeuse.
11.55 Forging a Darb Sri Gun Chai.
12.50am Kew Gardens: a Year in Bloom **1.50** Walking Britain's Lost Railways: the route of the Deeside Railway **3.35–4.00am** The Yorkshire Vet

5 Select **F'view** (HD only) 56 **F'sat** 133 **Sky** 153 **Virgin** 152

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TUESDAY Freeview & films

W 25

Extreme Food Phobics
8.00pm Carolyn receives help

6.15am Top Chef (S) (HD) **7.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes (S) (HD) **8.00** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **10.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (S) (HD) **12 noon** MasterChef USA (HD) **1.00pm** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **4.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (S) (HD) **5.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes (S) (HD)

7.00pm *New.* MasterChef USA Gordon Ramsay presents his vegan beet wellington. (HD)

8.00 Extreme Food Phobics A focus on a 39-year-old mum of two who has battled all her life with a restrictive diet. (AD) (HD)

9.00 Alex Jones: Making Babies Alex Jones starts her training as a fertility assistant at King's Fertility, London. (AD) (HD)

10.00 Multiple Birth Wards A Liverpool couple expecting their second set of twins. (HD)

11.00 999 Rescue Squad A biker without a helmet crashes. (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Nurses on the Ward (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00–3.00am** Tipping Point: double bill (S) (HD)

W **F'view** 25 **F'sat** 156 **Sky** 132 **Virgin HD** 125 **+1** **Sky** 232 **Virgin** 190

Pick 36

7.00am Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **8.00** Motorway Patrol **9.00** UK Border Force (AD) **10.00** Nothing to Declare **11.00** Highway Patrol (AD) **12 noon** Highway Cops **1.00pm** Border Patrol **2.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **3.00** Nothing to Declare **4.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **5.00** Warehouse 13 **6.00** The Librarians **7.00** Caught Red Handed **8.10** Nothing to Declare **9.00 *New.*** FBI: double bill. The team works to unravel connections to a teacher who has gone missing, then Kristen's confidence is shaken (AD) **11.00** Killer in My Village **12 midnight** Murders That Shocked the Nation (AD) **1.00am** Britcam: Emergency on Our Streets (AD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare **3.00** Border Patrol **4.00** Motorway Patrol **5.00–6.00am** Highway Cops

Pick **F'view** 36 **F'sat** 144 **Sky** 151 **Virgin** 156

HGTV 44

7.00am *New.* Building Off the Grid **8.00** Love Your Garden **9.00** A Place in the Sun **10.00** Escape to the Country **12 noon** My Lottery Dream Home **1.00pm** 100 Day Dream Home (AD) **2.00** How We Got to Here: Looking Back On Fixer Upper **3.00** Love Your Garden **4.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **5.00** Building Off the Grid **6.00** A Place in the Sun **7.00** Escape to the Country **9.00 *New.*** My Lottery Dream Home **10.00 *New.*** Unsellable Houses **11.00** 100 Day Dream Home (AD) **12 midnight** Escape to the Country **1.00am** Building Off the Grid **2.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **3.00–4.00am** My Lottery Dream Home

HGTV **F'view** 44 **F'sat** 166 **Sky** 158 **Virgin** 286 **+1** **Sky** 258 **Virgin** 290

FREEVIEW channels continued from overleaf

Food Network 43

Ainsley's Good Mood Food
8.00pm Nuts and seeds

6.00am Trisha's Southern Kitchen (HD) **7.00** The Pioneer Woman (HD) **8.00 *New.*** Girl Meets Farm (HD) **9.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Hairy Dieters: How to Love Food and Lose Weight (HD) **11.00** Rachel Allen's Cake Diaries (S) (HD) **12 noon** Bake Off: the Professionals (HD) **2.00pm** James Martin's Champagne (S) **3.00** River Cottage: Winter's on the Way **4.00** The Pioneer Woman (HD) **5.00** Barefoot Contessa: back to Basics (HD) **6.00** Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea (S) **7.00** The Great British Bake Off: the remaining bakers test their pastry-making skills (S) **8.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food: Ainsley Harriott focuses on recipes involving nuts and seeds (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Hairy Dieters: How to Love Food and Lose Weight: Dave and Si's final challenge is to reinvent the indulgent party treats they adore (HD) **10.00** Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea (S) **11.00** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **12 midnight *New.*** Guy's Grocery Games (HD) **1.00am** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **2.00–3.00am** Michel Roux's French Country Cooking (S) (AD) (HD)

Food Network **Freeview** 43 **Freesat** 148 **Sky** 140 **Virgin** 285

Great TV 50

6.00am Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **8.00** Highway to Heaven **10.00** Danielle Steel's Zoya **11.50** Movie News **12 noon** Castle **1.00pm** Body of Proof **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **5.00** Murder, She Wrote **7.00** M*A*S*H **9.00** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased): a bird-lover leaves a strange will **10.00** The Persuaders!: Brett learns his life may be in danger **11.00** Return of the Saint **12 midnight** M*A*S*H **2.00am** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased) **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **4.30–6.00am** Highway to Heaven: double bill

Great TV **Freeview** 50 *(limited)* **Freesat** 142 **Sky** 157 **Virgin** 189 **+1** **Freesat** 143 **Sky** 257

RealityXtra 68

9.00am Perry Mason **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** The Fugitive **1.05pm** JAG **3.00** Perry Mason **5.00** The Fugitive: Kimble finds himself distrusted when he joins a group of fruit harvesters, and must win them over **6.00** Matlock: the mayor is assassinated and Matlock's estranged daughter Leanne takes on the case **7.00** Judge Judy **1.00am** Matlock **2.00** The Fugitive **3.00** Evidence of Evil **5.00–6.00am** Medical Detectives: double bill

RealityXtra **Freeview** 68 **Freesat** 134 **Sky** 147 **Virgin** 197

BBC Parliament 232

6.00am House of Lords **7.00** Levelling Up, Housing and Communities Questions **8.00** House of Commons **9.30** Live Select Committees **11.30** Live Justice Questions: debate from the chamber **12.30pm** Live House of Commons: debate from the chamber **7.30** House of Lords: recorded coverage **10.00** Welsh First Minister's Questions: queries in the Senedd **11.00** Lords Questions **11.40–6.00am** House of Lords

BBC Parliament **Freeview** 232 **Freesat** 201 **Sky** 504 **Virgin** 605

PBS America 84

Jazz *9.40pm* How Benny Goodman broke new ground

8.00am Beautiful Serengeti **8.30** Mutant Weather **9.30** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **10.35** KGB: the Sword and the Shield **11.45** Jazz (S) **1.00pm** Hidden Algeria **2.05** Mutant Weather **3.00** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **4.05** KGB: the Sword and the Shield **5.15** Jazz (S)

6.25pm Mutant Weather *3/10* The story of citizens most urgently affected by the melt in Alaska.

7.25 The Last Voices of World War One *2/6.* Veterans tell the story of the Battle of the Somme. (S)

8.30 KGB: the Sword and the Shield *2/3.* Focusing on Nikita Khrushchev's attempts to limit the security service's power.

9.40 Jazz *6/12.* As the Depression continued, jazz provided welcome relief for the masses. (S)

10.55 KGB: the Sword and the Shield As 8.30pm.

12 midnight The Last Voices of World War One (S) **1.05–2.00am** Beautiful Serengeti

PBS America **F'view** 84 (1pm-12 midnight only) **Freesat** 155 **Sky** 174 **Virgin** 273

Blaze 64

6.00am Hardcore Pawn **7.45** Storm Stories **8.40** Ancient Aliens **10.40** Storage Wars Canada **11.10** Storage Wars **12.10pm** Pawn Stars **2.05** Hardcore Pawn **4.00** Ancient Aliens **6.00** Nature Gone Wild **7.00 *New.*** Pawn Stars: Rick eyes a collection of James Bond movie trading cards **8.00** Dickinson's Real Deal: David Dickinson and his team of antiques dealers head to Blackburn **9.00** Hardcore Pawn: two editions **10.00 *New.*** Court Cam: double bill. Parents have to face their daughter's killer, then a man accused of murdering his wife defends himself in court **11.00** Counting Cars: double bill **12 midnight** Paranormal: Caught on Camera **1.00am** Wicked Tuna **2.00** Swamp People **3.00** Dickinson's Real Deal **3.45** Storage Wars Canada **4.10–6.00am** Pawn Stars

Blaze **F'view** 64 **F'sat** 162 **Sky** 164 **Virgin** 199

Challenge 48

7.00am The Chase **10.00** Supermarket Sweep **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right (AD) **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune (AD) **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **3.00** Play Your Cards Right (AD) **4.00** Bruce's Price Is Right: big-prize game show (AD) **5.00** Bullseye **7.00** Pointless Celebrities: a mixed bag of famous faces, comprising Rickie Haywood-Williams and Melvin Odoom, Carol Smillie and Andrea McLean, Katy Brand and Su Pollard, and Syd Little and Eddie Large, aim to outsmart the public with their unlikely answers **8.00** The Chase: quiz show hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **11.00** Bullseye **12 midnight** The Chase **4.00am** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **5.00–6.00am** Bullseye

Challenge **Freeview** 48 **Freesat** 146 **Sky** 145 **Virgin** 160

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

5.35am Peppa Pig **5.40** Paw Patrol **5.50** Pip and Posy **6.00** Peppa Pig **6.10** Secret Life of Puppies **6.15** Blue's Clues **6.40** Oggy Oggy **6.45** Odo **6.55** Fireman Sam **7.05** Thomas & Friends **7.15** Kangaroo Beach **7.25** Peppa Pig **7.45** Paw Patrol **7.55** Pip and Posy **8.05** Paddington **8.25** Milo **8.35** Paw Patrol **8.45 *New.*** Daisy & Ollie **8.55** Pip and Posy **9.10–9.15am** Sunny Bunnies

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CBeebies 202

6.00am Raa Raa the Noisy Lion **6.10** Bing **6.20** Teletubbies **6.35** School of Roars **6.40** Chuggington **6.50** Bing **7.00** Colourblocks **7.05** Hey Duggee **7.20** Bluey; My Petsaurus **7.40** Go Jetters **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.05** Octonauts **8.15** Numberblocks **8.20** Love Monster **8.30** Nick Cope's Popcast **8.35** Justin's House **8.55** Dipdap **9.00** Bing **9.10** Yakka Dee! **9.15 *New.*** Messy Goes to OKIDO **9.25** Colourblocks **9.30** Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.10** Teletubbies **10.25** The Toddler Club **10.35** Small Potatoes **10.40** Hey Duggee **10.50** Roots and Fruits **10.55** B.O.T and the Beasties **11.00** Bluey **11.10** Let's Go for a Walk **11.20** School of Roars **11.30** Teeny Tiny Creatures **11.45** Our Family **11.55** What's on Your Head? **12 noon** Big Cook Little Cook **12.20pm** Woolly & Tig **12.25** Waffle the Wonder Dog **12.40** Tee and Mo **12.45** Pablo **1.00** Yakka Dee! **1.05** Numberblocks **1.10** Alphablocks **1.20** Dog Loves Books **1.25** Hey Duggee **1.35** Love Monster **1.40** Let's Dance **1.45** Something Special **2.10** Teletubbies **2.25** Bluey **2.30** Go Jetters; My Petsaurus **2.45** Maddie's Do You Know? **3.00** Dog Squad **3.15** Swashbuckle **3.35** Hey Duggee **3.45** Peter Rabbit **3.55** Andy's Adventures **4.10** Pinocchio **4.25** Bluey **4.40 *New.*** Supertato **4.45** Go Jetters **5.00** Topsy and Tim **5.10** Dipdap **5.15** Waffle the Wonder Dog **5.25** Sarah & Duck **5.35** JoJo & Gran Gran **5.45** Moon and Me **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden… **6.50–7.00pm** Bedtime Stories

CBeebies **F'view** 202 **F'sat** 608 **Sky** 608 **Virgin** 702

CBBC 201

7.00am Shaun the Sheep **7.05** Danger Mouse **7.20** Dennis & Gnasher **7.30** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **7.45** Newsround **7.55** Ninja Express **8.10** Danny & Mick **8.20** Odd Squad **8.30** Horrible Histories **9.00** The Zoo **9.10** Deadly 60 **9.40** Out of This World **9.50** Art Ninja **10.15** Do Try This at Home **10.25** Horrible Histories **10.55** Shark Bites **11.00** Bitesize **11.20** Celebrity Supply Teacher **11.30** Art Jam **11.45** Wild & Weird **12 noon** Danger Mouse **12.10pm** Oswaldo **12.25** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **12.35** Monster Loving Maniacs **12.45** Dennis & Gnasher **1.00** Dengineers **1.55** Blue Peter **2.25** Lagging **2.50** Horrible Histories **3.05** Clipheads **3.20** Best In The World **3.40** Danger Mouse **3.50** Shaun the Sheep **4.00** Ninja Express **4.10** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **4.25** Monster Loving Maniacs **4.35** Pokémon **5.00** Odd Squad **5.10** We Bare Bears **5.25** Summer Camp Island **5.35 *New.*** Dragons **6.00** Silverpoint **6.25** The Real Jamie Johnson **6.35–7.00pm** The Next Step

CBBC **F'view** 201 **F'sat** 607 **Sky** 607 **Virgin** 701

CITV

6.00am Mission Employable **6.05** Robozuna **6.30** Hotel Transylvania **7.00** Mr Magoo **7.30** Lloyd of the Flies **7.45** The Rubbish World of Dave Spud **8.00** 50/50 Heroes **8.30** Scooby-Doo **9.55** Tata and Kuma **10.00** Teen Titans Go! **10.25** DC Super Hero Girls **10.50** Mr Bean **11.30** Rubbish World of Dave Spud **12 noon** Mighty Mike **12.30pm** Spy School **1.00** Don't Unleash the Beast **1.30** Inspector Gadget **2.00** 50/50 Heroes **2.30** Hotel Transylvania **3.00** Craig of the Creek **3.30** Scooby-Doo **4.30** Mr Magoo **5.00** Lloyd of the Flies **5.15** Rubbish World of Dave Spud **5.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **6.00** Teen Titans Go! **6.30** Inspector Gadget **7.00** Scooby-Doo **7.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **8.00** Mr Bean **8.30** Don't Unleash the Beast **8.55–9.00pm** Mission Employable

CITV **F'view** 203 **F'sat** 602 **Sky** 612 **Virgin** 734

FILMS

Film4 14

11.00am Dark Command ★★ Solid western starring John Wayne as a simple cowpoke who runs for marshal to impress his girl. Claire Trevor, Walter Pidgeon (1940, U) (S)

12.55pm The Pink Panther ★★★★ A bumbling French detective is assigned to protect a famous diamond in this hilarious comedy. David Niven (1963, PG) (S) (AD)

3.10 Attack! ★★★★ Grim Second World War drama in which a lieutenant swears revenge on the officer who endangered the lives of his men. **Review, right.** (1956, PG) (S)

5.20 Three Hours to Kill ★★ Years after being framed for murder, Dana Andrews is given just three hours to find the real killer in this B-movie western. (1954) (S)

6.55pm Congo ★ Misfiring jungle adventure based on the Michael Crichton novel, with Dylan Walsh and Laura Linney stumbling through the old-fashioned plot. (1995, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Kingsman: the Golden Circle ★★★ The Kingsman spies must team up with their American counterparts in this pacey action adventure. Taron Egerton, Colin Firth, Julianne Moore (2017, 15) (S) (AD)

11.45pm–2.55am Amores Perros ★★★★★ Breathtaking drama from Mexico showing how a fatal car accident affects the lives of three individuals. **Review, right.** Emilio Echevarría (2000, 18)

Film4 **Freeview** 14 **Freesat** 300 **Sky** 313 **Virgin** 428/HD 429 **+1** **F'view** 47 **F'sat** 301 **Sky** 314 **Virgin** 430

Talking Pictures TV 82

6.00am The Cariboo Trail ★★ Routine western. Randolph Scott (1950, PG) (S) **7.40 Sailing Along ★** Trivial British musical. Jessie Matthews (1938, U) (S) **9.30 Interpol Calling** British TV crime drama. **10.00 Seven Days to Noon ★★★★** Unbearably tense British thriller with Barry Jones as a disillusioned nuclear scientist driven to extreme lengths. **Review, right.** (1950, PG) (S) **11.50 711 Ocean Drive ★★** Passable crime drama. Edmond O'Brien, Joanne Dru (1950) **1.50pm Let's Keep Our Teeth** Documentary. **2.10 Love Is a Many-Splendored Thing ★★★** Melodramatic tale of forbidden love that famously won Oscars for its score and title song. William Holden, Jennifer Jones (1955, U) (S) **4.15 Jet Storm ★★** Airborne drama. Richard Attenborough, Stanley Baker (1959, PG) (S)

6.00pm Scotland Yard British TV crime series.

6.35 Marilyn ★★ Derivative British B-movie that owes much to *The Postman Always Rings Twice*. **Review, right.** Sandra Dorne (1953, PG) (S)

8.00 Maigret 1960s TV drama. (S)

9.05 Murder by Contract ★★★ Absorbing thriller that follows hitman Vince Edwards, whose latest job turns out to be more complicated than he thought. Phillip Pine (1958, PG) (S)

10.40 Look at Life Documentary.

11.00 Public Eye TV drama series.

12.05am The Tingler ★★★★ Cult horror about a parasite that can only be killed by its victims' screams. Vincent Price, Judith Evelyn (1959, 15) (S) **1.50 Mr Sardonicus ★★★** Eerie cult chiller from William Castle. Guy Rolfe, Ronald Lewis (1961, 12) (S) **3.40 The Hitch-Hiker ★★★★** Electrifying film noir. Edmond O'Brien, Frank Lovejoy (1953, 12) (S)

5.15–5.45am Love and War Sussex land girls recall the war. (S)

Talking Pictures TV **Freeview** 82 **Freesat** 306 **Sky** 328 **Virgin** 445

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Sky Premiere

6.25am Der Kaiser ★★★ Biopic of footballer Franz Beckenbauer. Klaus Steinbacher (2022) **8.10 Hounded** As 4.20pm **10.00 The Last Son** As 6.10pm **11.55 Operation Mincemeat** As 8pm **2.10pm Downton Abbey: a New Era** ★★★★ Beautifully tailored second outing for the Crawley clan. Hugh Bonneville, Elizabeth McGovern, Maggie Smith (2022, PG) **4.20 Hounded** ★★ Satirical British survival horror. Samantha Bond, James Lance (2022, 15)

6.10pm The Last Son ★★ Promising but lethargic western. Sam Worthington, Colson Baker (2021, 15)

8.00 Operation Mincemeat ★★★★ Captivating re-enactment of a bizarre wartime mission. **Review p38.** Colin Firth (2022, 12)

10.15 Crimes of the Future ★★★★ David Cronenberg's wonderfully weird and moody sci-fi horror. **Review p38.** Léa Sedoux (2022)

12.15am Downton Abbey: a New Era As 2.10pm **2.35 Der Kaiser** As 6.25am **4.25 The Amazing Maurice** ★★★ Sharp-witted animated fantasy based on a book by Terry Pratchett. Hugh Laurie (2022, PG)

Sky Premiere Sky 301 **Virgin** 401 **BT** 501/**HD** 515 **+1 Sky** 312

Great Movies 34

9.00am My Deadly Friend: Pretty and Poisonous ★★ Over the top thriller. (2017) **11.00 A Stolen Past** ★★ Unexciting thriller. (2018) **1.00pm Secrets of My Stepdaughter** ★★★ Engaging mystery. (2017) **3.00 Home Is Where the Killer Is** ★★ Predictable thriller. (2019) **4.50 Mother Lode** ★★ Scenic adventure. (1982, PG) **7.05pm A Rainy Day in New York** ★★★ Droll farce about two students on a weekend in Manhattan. Timothée Chalamet, Elle Fanning (2019, 12)

9.00 As Good as It Gets ★★★★ A bigot has to change his ways in this offbeat romantic comedy. **Film of the Day, right.** Jack Nicholson (1997, 15)

11.50 The Escorts ★★ Formulaic screwball sex comedy starring Jason Biggs (*American Pie*) as a down-on-his-luck graduate. (2016, 15)

1.40am Reasonable Doubt ★★ Implausible crime thriller. Dominic Cooper, Samuel L Jackson (2014, 15) **3.40–5.50am Starman** ★★★★ Funny, suspenseful and moving sci-fi romance with Jeff Bridges and Karen Allen. (1984, PG)

Great Movies Freeview 34 **Freesat** 302 **Sky** 321 **Virgin** 425 **+1 Freeview** 61 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **Sky** 322

Great Romance 52

6.00am Hello, It's Me ★★ Advice from beyond the grave. (2015) **7.45 Love at First Dance** ★★ Soppy romance. (2018) **9.30 Anything for Love** ★★ Sudsy romcom. (2016) **11.15 Cooking with Love** ★★ Lightweight romcom. (2018) **1.00pm Love's Complicated** ★★ TV-movie romance. (2016) **2.45 The Birthday Wish** ★★ A glimpse of the future. (2017) **4.30 Love's Second Chance** ★★ Young love rekindled. Gabrielle Christian (2020)

6.15pm The Charm of Love ★★ Glossy tale set in the Antilles. (2020)

8.00 Undercover Bridesmaid ★★ A tycoon's daughter receives death threats just before her wedding. (2012)

10.00 A Midnight Kiss ★★ Identikit romantic yarn. (2018)

11.45 I Me Wed ★★ Romcom. (2007)

1.30am Summer in the Vineyard ★★ Romance. (2017) **3.00 A Whirlwind Wedding** ★★ No-frills romance. (2021)

4.30–6.00am The Convenient Groom ★★ Romantic comedy. (2016)

Great Romance Freeview 52 *(limited)* **Freesat** 303 **Sky** 319 **Virgin** 424 **+1 F'view** 63 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **F'sat** 304 **Sky** 320

TCM Movies

6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.10** Off Set **7.25** The Man from UNCLE **9.35 Gunsmoke in Tucson** ★★ Routine western. (1958, U) **11.15** The Man from UNCLE **1.30pm Waterloo** ★★★★ Rod Steiger gives a magnificent performance as Napoleon in this historical epic. Christopher Plummer, Orson Welles (1970, U) **4.15 Riding Shotgun** ★★ Falsely accused Randolph Scott tries to clear his name. (1954, U) **5.50 Sherlock Holmes in Dressed to Kill** ★★ Dour mystery that was Basil Rathbone's final outing as the great detective. (1946, U)

7.20pm The Man behind the Gun ★★ Randolph Scott embarks upon a secret assignment in this convoluted western. (1953, U)

9.00 Magnum Force ★★★ Clint Eastwood is on fine form as the no-nonsense cop in this all-guns-blazing follow-up to *Dirty Harry*. (1973, 18)

11.35 Survivor ★★ Standard thriller in which US official Milla Jovovich is framed. Pierce Brosnan (2015, 12)

1.40am To be announced **3.40** Off Set **4.00** Close Up **5.00** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM Movies Sky 315 **Virgin** 415/**HD** 416 **+1 Sky** 316 **Virgin** 417

Great Movies Action 42

6.00am M*A*S*H: double bill **7.00 Gunbus** ★ Wayward western. (1986, PG) **8.55** Pompeii **10.50** War in the Atlantic **12 noon** M*A*S*H **1.00pm Ride Lonesome** ★★★★ Brilliantly scripted western starring Randolph Scott as a bounty hunter chasing a young killer. (1959, 12) **2.30 Panhandle** ★★★ Cult western co-written by Blake Edwards and starring Rod Cameron. (1948, U) **4.30** The Blitz on Hamburg **5.45 Atlantic Convoy** ★★ Cheaply made war drama. (1942, U)

7.10pm Seattle Superstorm ★★ Low-budget sci-fi thriller. Esai Morales, Ona Grauer, Jared Abrahamson (2012)

9.00 Solar Attack ★★ Routine sci-fi adventure. Mark Dacascos (2005)

11.05 Disturbing the Peace ★★ Sub-par thriller. Devon Sawa (2020, 15)

12.55am Redline ★★ *Fast and the Furious*-style action thriller. (2007, 12)

2.50–4.00am The Traitors ★★★ British and American agents team up to foil a communist spy ring in this efficient thriller. Patrick Allen (1962, U)

Great Movies Action Freeview 42 *(limited)* **F'sat** 305 **Sky** 323 **Virgin** 426 **+1 Sky** 324

Legend 41

8.00am Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** Mutant X **10.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **11.00 The Fabulous Journey to the Center of the Earth** ★ Sluggish version of Jules Verne's classic novel. Kenneth More (1977) **1.00pm King Arthur's Sword** ★ Bonkers mockbuster update on the fantasy legend. Sara Malakul Lane (2017, 15) **3.00 San Andreas Mega Quake** ★ Cheesy disaster movie. (2019) **5.00** Star Trek

6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation TV sci-fi adventure.

7.00 Airwolf TV adventure series.

8.00 Walker, Texas Ranger TV adventure starring Chuck Norris.

9.00 Hannie Caulder ★★ Off-the-wall British western starring Raquel Welch as a vengeful frontierswoman. **Review, right.** (1971, 15)

10.45 Rabid ★★★ A medical procedure has gruesome side effects in this gory remake of David Cronenberg's 1976 horror. (2019, 18)

12.50am The Row ★ Tired horror thriller. Lala Kent, Randy Couture (2018, 18)

2.45–4.30am The Super ★★ A former cop grows suspicious of a creep janitor. Patrick John Flueger (2017, 15)

Legend F'view 41 **F'sat** 137 **Sky** 148 **Virgin** 149

FILM REVIEWS

FILM OF THE DAY

As Good as It Gets ★★★★

9.00-11.50pm ***Great Movies*** 15

DRAMA Jack Nicholson stars here as a bigoted writer who lives alone and has obsessive-compulsive disorder. However, the story is really about Helen Hunt, who plays that corniest of Hollywood characters: the lonely waitress with a problem child. Hunt was offered the role when Holly Hunter turned it down and breathes life into the part, outshining her co-star and his trademark grouchy act. It's lazily directed by James L Brooks and far too long, but Hunt is a revelation, and she and Nicholson were rewarded with Oscars for their work. **ADRIAN TURNER** (US 1997, violence, swearing, drug abuse)

Seven Days to Noon

★★★★ *10.00-11.50am*

Talking Pictures TV PG

THRILLER Doomsday movies were everywhere in the early 1950s, as the Cold War chill began to bite, and this is the finest British contribution to that subgenre. The threat of an atomic explosion in London drives the plot, but the true power of the picture comes from Barry Jones as the professor driven to despair by the misappropriation of his work. **DAVID PARKINSON** (UK 1950, BW)

Support Your Local Gunfighter ★★★★

1.35-3.50pm ***5 Action*** U

WESTERN Amiable James Garner polished up his TV *Maverick* persona in a witty pair of cowboy satires directed by Burt Kennedy. This isn't exactly a sequel to *Support Your Local Sheriff!*, except perhaps in tone, but it's equally funny, as conman Garner passes himself off as a deadly gunman. Bumbling Jack Elam walks away with the movie as Garner's buddy. **TONY SLOMAN** (US 1971, HD)

Attack! ★★★★

3.10-5.20pm ***Film4*** PG

WAR Director Robert Aldrich didn't have much time for human aspirations, and never less so than in this gritty tale of a cowardly US Army captain (Eddie Albert) endangering the lives of his men during the Battle of the Bulge. Jack Palance is excellent as the heroic platoon leader, as is Lee Marvin as the colonel presiding over the whole affair. **TOM HUTCHINSON** (US 1956, violence, BW)

Marilyn ★★ *6.35-8.00pm*

Talking Pictures TV PG

CRIME James M Cain's hard-boiled novel *The Postman Always Rings Twice* provides the basis for this bleak British B-movie. Sandra Dorne oozes cynical sensuality as the unhappy wife whose liaison with mechanic Maxwell Reed leads to the death of her grouchy, garage-owning husband Leslie Dwyer. It's a solid enough study in lust, despair and avarice. **DP** (UK 1953, BW)

Passenger 57 ★★★

9.00-10.50pm ***ITV4*** 15

THRILLER This enjoyable airborne action film stars Wesley Snipes as a security expert on the same plane as British master criminal Bruce Payne, who is being held in police custody before facing trial. Of course, Payne's accomplices have hitched a lift as well, and when they free him, it's up to Snipes to save the day. The plot is old hat, but the action set pieces are riveting. **JOHN FERGUSON** (US 1992, violence, swearing, HD)

Hannie Caulder ★★

9.00-10.45pm ***Legend*** 15

WESTERN In the same year he made *Support Your Local Gunfighter* (see earlier), Burt Kennedy also directed this far less jokey affair. It should have been a major feminist work, concerned as it is with a frontierswoman who is raped and widowed, before being taught to shoot by a bounty hunter. However, the the violence is unpleasant and Raquel Welch is miscast in the title role. **TS** (UK 1971, violence)

Rambo: Last Blood ★

11.05pm-12.50am ***C5*** 18

ACTION Sylvester Stallone's Vietnam veteran returns in this fourth sequel. John Rambo's civilian life on an Arizona ranch is shattered when he crosses the border into Mexico to rescue the granddaughter of an old friend after she is kidnapped by a drugs cartel. With its lacklustre plot, this flimsy film is utterly forgettable. **TERRY STAUNTON** (US 2019, violence, swearing, drug abuse, HD)

Amores Perros ★★★★★

11.45pm-2.55am ***Film4*** 18

DRAMA *Birdman* director Alejandro González Iñárritu made his startling debut with this multi-stranded tale in which a car accident links the lives of a slum teenager (Gael García Bernal), a magazine editor (Alvaro Guerrero) and a killer (Emilio Echevarría). With its wealth of hard-bitten characters and complex plot, it's an absolute masterpiece. **ALAN JONES** (Mex 2000, violence, swearing, sex scenes, HD)

Sky Cinema picks

Dragon Rider ★★★ *4.00-5.40pm* ***Sky Animation***
Soaring fantasy. (2020, PG)
Sky 305; Virgin 412; BT 500/514

The Station Agent ★★★★ *6.20-8.00pm* ***Sky Cinema Comedy***
Peter Dinklage stars. (2003, 15)
Sky 308; Virgin 408; BT 508/522

Miss Sloane ★★★
8.00-10.15pm ***Sky Drama***
Political thriller. (2016, 15)
Sky 310; Virgin 410; BT 510/524

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Sky Showcase

Blacklight *9.00pm* Travis Block tracks down a rogue agent

6.00am The Early Rundown (HD) **7.00** Kay Burley (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (HD) **4.30** Futurama (S) (AD) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD)

6.30pm The Simpsons A new neighbour moves in. **7.00** Moe is approached to join the *American Idol* judging panel. **7.30** Lionel Richie arrives to serenade Homer. (S) (HD)

8.00 American Auto *1/10* Staff at a major automobile company in Detroit try to adjust to a rapidly shifting industry. (HD) **8.30** *2/10.* Jack tries to figure out his role in the company. (HD)

9.00 Blacklight ★★★ Action thriller starring Liam Neeson. (S) (W) (HD)

11.00 Hold the Front Page *1/6* Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe work for local newspapers. (HD)

12 midnight Romantic Getaway (HD) **1.00am** The Force: North East (S) (HD) **2.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** The Early Rundown (HD)

Sky Showcase **Sky** 106 **Virgin** 110/**HD** 109 **BT** 340/**HD** 355 **+1** **Sky** 206

Sky Atlantic

Big Little Lies *9.00pm* Renata's words cause offence

6.00am Fish Town (HD) **7.55** The Sopranos (S) (HD) **10.05** True Blood (S) (HD) **12.15pm** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) (HD) **1.20** True Detective (S) (AD) (HD) **3.30** The Sopranos (S) (HD)

5.45pm True Blood *5/10 Series 7* Sookie hosts a festive party for mainstreaming vampires. (S) (HD) **6.50** *6/10.* Sookie makes a shocking discovery. (S) (HD)

7.55 Game of Thrones *6/10 Series 1.* Ned is reinstated by Robert and hears rumours that associates of the Lannisters have begun stirring up trouble. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Big Little Lies *2/7 Series 1* Madeline is outraged over a slight from Renata while dealing with family issues at home. Jane deflects Ziggy's questions about moving to Monterey. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.05 City on a Hill *1/10 Series 1* American crime drama, starring Kevin Bacon as corrupt but venerated FBI agent Jackie Rohr in Boston in the early 1990s. (S) (AD)

11.15 The Tunnel: Sabotage *3/8 Series 2.* A man comes forward with links to missing man Robert Fournier. English and French +subtitles. (AD) (HD)

12.15am Watchmen (S) (AD) **1.25** Boardwalk Empire (S) (AD) **2.50** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00–6.00am** Fish Town

Sky Atlantic **Sky** 108 (Wales 109) **BT** 342/**HD** 357 **+1** **Sky** 208 (Wales 209)

Sky Max

Wolfe *10.00pm* The forensic scientist retrieves evidence

6.00am Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Supergirl (S) (HD)

6.00pm NCIS: New Orleans *19/24 Series 2.* Pride's feud with a dangerous militia has consequences for his daughter. (S) (HD) **7.00** *21/24.* A US navy lieutenant dies from arsenic poisoning in an army general's hotel suite. (S) (HD)

8.00 Hold the Front Page *1/6* Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe work for local newspapers. (HD)

9.00 Rob and Romesh vs Usain Bolt *1/6.* The duo meet former sprinter Usain Bolt. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Wolfe *2/6.* A missing person's life is on the line. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Strike Back: Vengeance *1/10 Series 3.* Stonebridge finds himself struggling to adapt to a career outside Section 20. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Road Wars (S) (HD) **1.00am** The Force: North East (S) (HD) **2.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Highway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Max **Sky** 113 (Wales 114) **Virgin** 122/**HD** 121 **BT** 346/**HD** 361

Gold

Dad's Army *7.20pm* Captain Mainwaring is concerned

7.30am Hold the Sunset (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **8.40** My Hero (S) **9.20** Are You Being Served? (S) **10.00** Porridge (S) **10.40** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **12 noon** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **12.40pm** My Hero (S) **1.20** Dad's Army (S) **2.00** Porridge (S) **2.40** Are You Being Served? (S) **3.20** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **4.40** dinnerladies (S) (AD) **5.20** Keeping Up Appearances (S)

6.00pm Are You Being Served? The staff greet Mrs Slocombe's 50th birthday with a celebration. (S)

6.40 Dad's Army The platoon appears in an army training film. (S) **7.20** Pike gets his call-up papers. (S)

8.00 dinnerladies Bren's mother wreaks havoc. (S) (AD) **8.40** Philippa has a bright idea for raising spirits. (S) (AD)

9.20 The Royle Family Nana is in mourning. (S) (AD)

10.00 Not Going Out Kate and Lee take in a lodger. (S) (HD)

10.35 Live at the Apollo With Dara O Briain, Nina Conti and Danny Bhoy. (S) (HD)

11.35 Absolutely Fabulous Double bill. (S)

12.55am French and Saunders (S) **2.50** Not Going Out (S) (HD) **3.20–4.00am** Absolutely Fabulous (S)

Gold **Sky** 110 (Wales 111) **Virgin** 124 **BT** 344/**HD** 359 **+1** **Sky** 210 (Wales 211) **Virgin** 194

Alibi

WPC 56 *10.00pm* Gloria needs help when she is accused

7.10am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **9.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD) **11.00** Person of Interest (HD) **12 noon** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD)

6.00pm Without a Trace *4/24 Series 2.* A 14-year-old musical prodigy goes missing on the night of a concert, taking her valuable violin with her. (HD)

7.00 Person of Interest *7/23 Series 1.* A schoolteacher goes into hiding after witnessing the murder of a Mob boss. (HD)

8.00 Death in Paradise *7/8 Series 1.* An outing to see Dwayne's favourite group is cut short by the murder of the lead singer, who was not exactly popular. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Coroner *1/10 Series 2* Jane and Davey investigate a skydiving accident. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 WPC 56 *4/5 Series 3* Fenton makes a shocking discovery at a boarding house. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Without a Trace As 6pm.

12 midnight Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.00–4.00am** Major Crimes: double bill (S) (HD)

Alibi **Sky** 109 (Wales 110) **Virgin** **HD** 126 **BT** 343/**HD** 358 **+1** **Sky** 209 (Wales 210) **Virgin** 191

Sky Sci-Fi

6.00am The Outpost **7.00** The Librarians **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Blood & Treasure **12 noon** Star Trek: the Next Generation **2.00pm** Warehouse 13 **3.00** The Librarians **4.00** Blood & Treasure **5.00** Stargate SG-1

6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation *22/26 Series 5.* A girl's imaginary friend comes to life. **7.00** *23/26.* A critically injured Borg is rescued, leaving Picard and the crew with conflicting emotions.

8.00 Merlin *6/13 Series 3* Princess Elena pressurises Arthur into an arranged marriage.

9.00 ***New series.*** **Reginald the Vampire** *Ep 1.* Comedy starring Jacob Batalon. In a world full of vampires, Reginald becomes an unlikely hero. **10.00** ***New.*** *Ep 2.* Reginald learns how to feed and it doesn't go well. But he discovers an unexpected and secret power.

11.00 Lovecraft Country *1/10* Drama horror series following Atticus Freeman as he embarks on a road trip around 1950s America to search for his father. **12.15am** *2/10.* While George and Leti enjoy their new surroundings, Atticus grows suspicious of their hosts at Ardham Lodge.

1.25 Blood & Treasure **2.20** Wynonna Earp **3.15** Stargate SG-1 **4.10–6.00am** Star Trek: the Next Generation: double bill

Sky Sci-Fi **Sky** 139 **Virgin** 139/**HD** 138 **BT** 348/**HD** 363 **+1** **Virgin** 229

Sky Witness

6.00am The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Border Patrol (S) (HD) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (S) **11.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The Good Doctor (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Rookie (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (HD) **3.00** Bull (S) (HD)

4.00pm Nothing to Declare Eight editions following the work of customs officers in Australia. (S)

8.00 Blue Bloods *2/16 Series 11* Danny and Jamie team up to take down a notorious drug lord, while Frank and his grandson are faced with a difficult decision. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 ***New.*** **Bull** *20/22 Series 6* Jason buckles under the mounting stress he's been under, as a mysterious delivery causes him to blackout for hours. (HD)

10.00 Law & Order: Special Victims Unit *2/22 Series 23.* The search for a missing witness leads Fin and Kat down a dangerous path. Chief McGrath puts pressure on Garland and Benson. (S) (HD)

11.00 Blue Bloods *20/20 Series 12* Jamie and Joe search for an undocumented teenage girl who has been sex-trafficked. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight FBI (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** New Amsterdam (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit (S) (HD) **3.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00–6.00am** Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK (S) (HD)

Sky Witness **Sky** 107 **Virgin** 112/**HD** 111 **BT** 341/**HD** 356 **+1** **Sky** 207 **Virgin** 220

Sky Replay

7.00am 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry (S) **8.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Cooks to Market (S) (HD) **11.00** Road Wars (S) **12 noon** Highway Patrol (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **2.00** Merlin (S) (AD) **4.00** Manifest (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Most Haunted: double bill. Ghost-hunting on the *Coronation Street* set, then a visit to the Old Church House Inn, Devon (S) **8.00** Road Wars (S) **9.00** A Discovery of Witches: Matthew worries that the Book of Life is making Diana ill (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **11.00** Bull: Jason receives a mysterious delivery (HD) **12 midnight** Night Cops (S) (AD) **1.00am** 911 Crisis Centre (S) (HD) **2.00** A League of Their Own (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry (S)

Sky Replay **Sky** 152 **Virgin** 180

Sky Crime

6.00am Highway Patrol (S) (AD) **7.00** Motorway Patrol (S) (HD) **8.00** Highway Cops (S) (AD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Send in the Dogs (S) **12 noon** Murder in Amish Country (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Murders That Shocked the Nation (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **5.00** How I Caught the Killer (S) (HD) **6.00** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **7.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **8.00** Britain's Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **9.00** ***New.*** World's Most Evil Killers (HD) **10.00** How I Caught the Killer (S) (HD) **11.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **1.00am** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** as 1pm **4.00** Brit Cops (S) (AD) **5.00–6.00am** Motorway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Crime **Sky** 122 **Virgin** 137/**HD** 136 **BT** 349/**HD** 364 **+1** **Sky** 222 **Virgin** 221

Sky Comedy

8.00am Will & Grace (HD) **9.00** Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD) **10.00** Entourage (S) (HD) **11.10** House of Lies (S) (HD) **12.30pm** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **1.30** A.P. Bio (S) (HD) **2.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **2.55** Pen15 (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (HD) **4.30** Futurama (S) (AD) **5.00** The Office US (S) (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **6.30** Futurama (S) **7.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** The Conners (HD) **8.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **9.00** American Auto (HD) **10.00** Romantic Getaway (HD) **11.00** ***New.*** The Late Late Show with James Corden (HD) **12 midnight** ***New.*** The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon (HD) **1.00am** Code 404 (S) (AD) (HD) **1.30** Camping US (S) (AD) (HD) **2.30** Vice Principals (S) (AD) (HD) **3.35** Sex and the City (S) (HD) **4.05–5.00am** Futurama (S) (AD)

Sky Comedy **Sky** 114 (Wales 115) **Virgin** 135/**HD** 123 **BT** 347/**HD** 362

Comedy Central

8.00am My Wife and Kids (S) (HD) **9.00** The Middle (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **12 noon** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00pm FILM** Hot Shots! Part Deux ★★ Spoof action sequel starring Charlie Sheen. After several failed missions to rescue American hostages in Iraq, US president Tug Benson is forced to consider deploying "the best of what's left", namely, loose cannon Topper Harley (S) (HD) **10.40** Greatest Ever Movie Blunders (S) (HD) **11.40** The Ricky Gervais Show (S) (HD) **12.15am** South Park (S) (HD) **2.15** The Ren & Stimpy Show (S) **2.45** Beavis and Butt-Head **3.20** Fugget about It (S) **3.45** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **4.10–5.00am** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

Comedy Central **Sky** 112 (Wales 113) **Virgin** 181/**HD** 132 **BT** 345/**HD** 360 **+1** **Sky** 212 (Wales 213) **Virgin** 133

Discovery

6.00am Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **7.00** Deadliest Catch (S) (HD) **8.00** Alaska: Homestead Rescue (S) (HD) **9.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** How Do They Do It? (S) (HD) **11.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **12 noon** Salvage Hunters (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Gold Rush (S) (HD) **3.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (HD) **4.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **5.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Salvage Hunters (S) (AD) **7.00** Diesel Brothers: Sam designs a diesel-powered bicycle (S) (HD) **8.00** Outback Truckers: truck-driving couple Ash Bryant and Darryl Armfield are on a time critical job (S) (HD) **9.00** ***New.*** Gold Rush (HD) **11.00** Naked and Afraid (S) (HD)

12 midnight Combat Dealers (S) (HD) **1.00am** Gold Rush (HD) **3.00** Moonshiners (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Wheeler Dealers (S) (AD) (HD)

Discovery **Sky** 125 **Virgin** 250 **BT** 320/**HD** 325 **+1** **Sky** 225 **Virgin** 258

Discovery History

6.00am Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **7.00** How the Universe Works (S) **8.00** HMS Ark Royal (S) (AD) **9.00** Combat Dealers (S) **10.00** Treasure Quest: Snake Island (S) **11.00** as 11pm **12 noon** Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **1.00pm** Expedition Unknown **2.00** Curse of the Bermuda Triangle (S) **3.00** Blowing Up History (S) **4.00** Mysteries at the Museum **5.00** HMS Ark Royal (S) (AD) **6.00** How the Universe Works (S) **7.00** Expedition Unknown **8.00** Combat Dealers: Reloaded (S) **9.00** Mysteries of the Missing (S) **10.00** How the Universe Works **11.00** Aircrash Unsolved: the Mystery of Helios 522 (S) **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) **1.00am** as 8pm **2.00** as 9pm **3.00** Curse of the Bermuda Triangle (S) **4.00–5.00am** Blowing Up History (S)

Discovery History **Sky** 177 **Virgin** 257 **+1** **Sky** 277 **Virgin** 261

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Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen

Sky Documentaries

Mr Dynamite: the Rise of James Brown *10.00pm*

6.00am The Comedy Store (S) (AD) (HD) **7.05** Discovering: Greta Garbo (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Kingdom of Dreams (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** The Lady and the Dale (S) (HD) **11.05** The Guest Wing (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Dave Not Coming Back (S) (HD) **2.00pm** At the Heart of Gold: inside the USA Gymnastics Scandal (S) (HD) **3.45** My Icon: Solomon Wilcots (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Discovering: Greta Garbo (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Kingdom of Dreams Bernard Arnault's LVMH empire launches a hostile takeover of Gucci. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 The Lady and the Dale The rise and fall of automobile executive Liz Carmichael. (S) (HD)

8.05 The Guest Wing A fitness boot camp opens at a North Yorkshire stately home. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Spector *1/4*. A look at the life of music producer Phil Spector. (HD)

10.00 Mr Dynamite: the Rise of James Brown The career of the singer, musician and producer, and his journey to success. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15am Dying to Divorce (S) (HD) **2.00** A Crime on the Bayou (S) (AD) (HD) **3.45** Pretending I'm a Superman: the Tony Hawk Video Game Story (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Discovering: Greta Garbo (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Documentaries **Sky** 121 **Virgin** 278/**HD** 277 **BT** 352/**HD** 367

Nat Geographic

8.00am Food Factory (S) (HD) **8.30** Money Meltdown (HD) **9.00** World War II: Secrets from Above (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** WW2: Hell under the Sea (S) (HD) **11.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (HD) **12 noon** Air Crash Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Wicked Tuna (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Drain the Oceans (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Lost Temple of the Inca (HD) **4.00** Skeletons of the Inca Rebellion (HD) **5.00** Lost Cities with Albert Lin (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Snakes in the City (HD) **10.00** ***New.*** Drain the Oceans: Deep Dive (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Wicked Tuna: North v South (S) (HD) **1.00am** Ice Road Rescue (HD) **2.00** Lords of War (HD) **2.30** Food Factory (S) (HD) **4.10** When Sharks Attack (HD) **4.35–5.00am** Prairie Dog Dynasty (HD)

Nat Geographic **Sky** 129 **Virgin** 266/**HD** 268 **+1** **Sky** 229 **Virgin** 267

Sky History

6.00am Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** Counting Cars (HD) **8.00** American Pickers (HD) **9.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **10.00** Storage Wars (HD) **11.00** Strangest Things (HD) **12 noon** The Proof Is Out There (HD) **1.00pm** What on Earth? (HD) **2.00** Curse of Skinwalker Ranch (HD) **3.00** Legends of the Pharaohs: Secrets of the Pyramid Builders (HD) **4.00** Counting Cars (HD) **5.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **6.00** American Pickers (HD) **7.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** Mystery Places (HD) **9.00** The Real Conjuring: Our Story (HD) **10.00** ***New.*** The Proof Is Out There (HD) **11.00** Paranormal: Caught on Camera (HD) **12 midnight** The Curse of Oak Island **2.00am** Mystery Places (HD) **3.00** as 11pm **4.00** What on Earth? (HD) **5.00–6.00am** as 10pm

Sky History **Sky** 123 **Virgin** 270 **BT** 353/**HD** 368 **+1** **Sky** 223 **Virgin** 271

Sky Nature

Africa's Claws and Jaws *9.00pm* An Egyptian cobra

6.00am Battle of the Alphas (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **9.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **10.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **11.00** Equator (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** One Planet, One Chance (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **2.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **5.00** Equator (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm One Planet, One Chance Joakim Odelberg travels to Greece, Uganda and Tanzania. (S) (HD)

7.00 Monkey Life Alison learns Covid-19 can also affect apes. (S) (HD) **7.30** The team welcomes a new female loris to the park. (S) (HD)

8.00 The Wadden Sea A seal pup navigates heavy storms. (HD)

9.00 Africa's Claws and Jaws The snakes, spiders and scorpions of Africa. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 One Planet, One Chance As 6pm.

11.00 Equator The changes that occur when Africa's savannah bakes under the sun. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight Becoming Orangutan (S) (HD) **1.00am** Gangs of Baboon Falls (S) (HD) **2.00** The Wadden Sea (HD) **3.00** as 9pm **4.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD)

Sky Nature **Sky** 124 **Virgin** 280/**HD** 279 **BT** 354/**HD** 369

Eden

9.00am Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **10.00** Outback Vet (HD) **11.00** Yellowstone Journals (HD) **11.30** The Zoo (HD) **12 noon** Viking Dead (HD) **2.00pm** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **3.00** Wild and Wonderful Denmark (HD) **4.00** Fascinating New Zealand (AD) (HD) **5.00** Outback Vet (HD) **6.00** Yellowstone Journals (HD) **6.30** The Zoo (HD) **7.00** Viking Dead (HD) **8.00** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **9.00** Fascinating New Zealand (AD) (HD) **10.00** Yellowstone Journals (HD) **10.30** The Zoo (HD) **11.00** Outback Vet (HD) **12 midnight** Viking Dead (HD) **1.00am** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **2.00** Outback Vet (HD) **3.00** Yellowstone Journals (HD) **3.25** The Zoo (HD) **3.50** Fascinating New Zealand (AD) (HD) **4.40** Viking Dead (HD) **5.30–6.00am** David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities (AD) (HD)

Eden **Sky** 166 **Virgin HD** 245 **+1** **Sky** 266 **Virgin** 246

Animal Planet

8.00am Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **9.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **10.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **11.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **12 noon** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **1.00pm** How Do Animals Do That? (S) (HD) **2.00** Swimming with Monsters with Steve Backshall (S) (HD) **3.00** Rugged Justice (HD) **4.00** Saved by the Barn (S) (HD) **5.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **6.00** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **7.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **8.00** The Aquarium (S) (HD) **10.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **11.00** Expedition Bigfoot (S) (HD) **1.00am** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **2.00** Saved by the Barn (S) (HD) **3.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD)

Animal Planet **Sky** 162 (NI 178) **Virgin** 251 **+1** **Sky** 262 (NI 278) **Virgin** 259

SPORT

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 **Virgin** 511/**HD** 501 **BT** 420/**HD** 440

6.00am Sky Sports News **7.00** Good Morning Sports Fans **8.00** Ashes Greats (AD) **8.10 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Adelaide Strikers v Melbourne Renegades, a T20 match from Adelaide Oval. **12.10pm LIVE International One-Day Cricket** Pakistan v New Zealand, the first in a five-match men's one-day series in Lahore. **3.20 LIVE SA20 Cricket** MI Cape Town v Paarl Royals from Newlands Cricket Ground. **7.00 LIVE League Cup Football** Coverage of a League Cup quarter-final (kick-off **8.00**). **10.30–6.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 **Virgin** 513/**HD** 503 **BT** 422/**HD** 442

6.00am Classic Play-Off Finals **9.00** Greatest Games (AD) **10.00** Championship Retro (AD) **12 noon** Scottish Premiership Football **12.45pm** League Two Highlights **1.00** Soccer AM **1.30** Scottish Premiership Football **2.15** League Two Highlights **2.30** League One and Two Goals **3.00** Soccer AM **3.30** Scottish Premiership Football **4.15** League Two Highlights **4.30** League One and Two Goals **5.00** EFL Greatest Games (AD) **5.30** SPFL Greatest Games **6.00** League Cup Highlights **7.00 LIVE League Cup Football** Coverage of a League Cup quarter-final (kick-off **8.00**). **10.30** Scottish Premiership Football **11.15** EFL Greatest Games (AD) **12 midnight** League Cup Highlights **12.30am** Best Championship Goals (AD) **1.00** Classic Play-Off Finals **4.00–6.00am** League Cup Retro

Sky Golf

Sky 405 **Virgin** 515/**HD** 505 **BT** 424/**HD** 444

6.00am Best of the Open Zone (AD) **7.00** British Masters Masterclass (AD) **8.00** Golf Academy: double bill **9.00** School of Golf **11.00** PGA Tour Golf **12 noon** Best of the Open Zone (AD) **1.00pm** British Masters Masterclass (AD) **2.00** Golf Academy **3.00** School of Golf **4.00** Tee Time Tips **5.00** PGA Championship Official Films: 2022 **6.00** PGA Tour Golf: Tournament of Champions **8.00** How the 2002 Ryder Cup Was Won: highlights from the Belfry (AD) **11.00** Open Zone (AD) **12 midnight** PGA Tour Golf **1.00am** British Masters Masterclass (AD) **2.00** Golf Academy **3.00** School of Golf **4.00** PGA Championship Official Films **5.00–6.00am** PGA Tour Golf

Sky Mix

Sky 416 **Virgin** 520/**HD** 510 **BT** 429/**HD** 449

8.10am–12.10pm LIVE Big Bash League Cricket Adelaide Strikers v Melbourne Renegades. **3.20–7.30 LIVE SA20 Cricket** MI Cape Town v Paarl Royals.

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 **Virgin** 521 **BT** 412/**HD** 435

6.00am Dakar Rally **7.00** Tennis **8.00 LIVE ATP Tennis** Day two of the Adelaide International. **10.00** Australian Open Tennis **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 noon** Alpine Skiing: World Cup **2.00pm** Ski Jumping **3.00** Tennis **4.30** Sofia Goggia **4.45 LIVE Alpine Skiing** World Cup, the women's slalom, first run from Flachau, Austria. **6.30** Ski Jumping: Four Hills **7.30 LIVE Alpine Skiing** World Cup, women's slalom, second run. **8.45** Alpine Skiing **9.45** Marco Odermatt **10.00** Tennis **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Ski Jumping **1.00am** Tennis **2.00** Dakar Rally **3.00** Tennis **4.00–6.00am** Snooker

Snooker *6.45pm* ***Eurosport 1*** Mark Williams bids to pocket his third Masters title

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 **Virgin** 512/**HD** 502 **BT** 421/**HD** 441

6.00am Premier League Greatest Games **7.00** Legends (AD) **8.00** Best Goals **9.00** 100 Club (AD) **10.00** The Football Show: analysis and debate **12 noon** Soccerbox **1.00pm** Premier League Years **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.00** 100 Club **6.00** Legends (AD) **7.00** Premier League 30 **8.00** Soccerbox **9.00** Stories **10.00** Icons **10.30** Retro **12.30am** Icons **1.00** Premier League Years: 2007/08 (AD) **3.00–6.00am** Premier League Football

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 **Virgin** 514/**HD** 504 **BT** 423/**HD** 443

6.00am Ashes Greats (AD) **6.15** Big Bash League Highlights **8.10 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Adelaide Strikers v Melbourne Renegades. **9.20 LIVE International One-Day Cricket** Pakistan v New Zealand, the first men's one-day match from Lahore. **5.30pm LIVE SA20 Cricket** MI Cape Town v Paarl Royals. **7.30** Big Bash League Highlights **8.30** International One-Day Cricket Highlights **9.30** SA20 Highlights **10.30** Big Bash League Highlights **11.30** SA20 Highlights **12.30am** Best of the Big Bash **1.00** SA20 Cricket **5.10–6.00am** Ashes Cricket

Sky NFL

Sky 407 **Virgin** 517/**HD** 507 **BT** 426/**HD** 446

6.00am NFL **9.00** NFL: a Football Life **10.00** Highlights **11.00** Bitesize **12 noon** Good Morning Football **3.00pm** Highlights **4.00** Bitesize **4.45** Highlights **5.45** Bitesize **6.00** Pro-Football Talk **8.00** Bitesize **9.00** NFL Review Show **11.00** NFL: Total Access **1.00–6.00am** NFL

Sky Arena

Sky 408 **Virgin** 518/**HD** 508 **BT** 427/**HD** 447

6.00am Super League **8.00** Women's Rugby League **9.00** NBA: two games **1.00pm** Super League **2.00** Super League Stories (AD) **3.00** Boxing **5.00** NBA **9.30** Boxing **11.30** NBA **4.00–6.00am** Super League Retro

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 **Virgin** 522 **BT** 413/**HD** 436

6.00am Snooker: the Masters **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Ski Jumping **10.00** The Power of Sport **10.30** Snooker **12.45pm LIVE Snooker** Mark Allen v Barry Hawkins, the first round of the Masters in London. **4.30** Dakar Rally **5.30** Snooker **6.45 LIVE Snooker** Mark Williams v Yan Bingtao, the first round of the Masters in London. **10.30** Snooker **12 midnight** Tennis **1.00am** Dakar Rally **2.00** Snooker **4.00** Formula E **5.00–6.00am** Tennis

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 **Virgin** 527 **BT** 408/**HD** 430

6.00am ESPN FC **6.30** Premiership Rugby Union **8.00** Rugby Tonight (AD) **8.45** Premier League Legends (AD) **9.15** BT Sport Goals Reload **9.30 LIVE Australian Football** Perth Glory v Brisbane Roar, an A-League match from Macedonia Park (kick-off **9.30**). **11.30** Football Outposts: When They Were Giants (AD) **12.30pm** BT Sport Goals Reload **1.00** Premier League Legends (AD) **1.30** Premiership Rugby Union **3.00** Rugby Tonight (AD) **3.45** Around the Block (AD) **4.00** BT Sport Goals Reload **4.30** ESPN FC: world football **5.00** Australian Football **6.00** Fishing (AD) **7.00** Premier League Stories (AD) **7.30** Joe Cole Cast **8.00** Premier League Legends (AD) **8.30** BT Sport Goals Reload **9.00** Wrestling: WWE Monday Night Raw **11.30** What Went Down (AD) **12 midnight** Wrestling: WWE NXT **1.00am LIVE Wrestling** A new generation of superstar fighters showcase their skills at WWE NXT. **3.15** 30 for 30: Nature Boy (AD) **4.45** BT Sport Goals Reload **5.00–6.00am** Australian Football

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 **Virgin** 528 **BT** 409/**HD** 431

6.00am Italian Football: two matches **8.00** Portuguese Football: Casa Pia v FC Porto **9.00** Test Cricket: a review of the third Test between Australia and South Africa **11.00** Fishing (AD) **12 noon** Classic Premier League: vintage action from the 2010s (AD) **7.00pm** Test Cricket: a review of the third Test between Australia and South Africa **9.00** Fight Week **10.00** UFC: the top ten UFC fights of 2022 **11.00** Australian Football: Perth Glory v Brisbane Roar in the A-League **12 midnight** Uefa Documentaries (AD) **1.00am** Canadian Soccer **2.00** BT Sport Goals Reload **2.30** Boxing **3.00–6.00am LIVE Badminton** Day two of the Malaysia Open. Coverage continues until 1pm.

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 **Virgin** 529 **BT** 410/**HD** 432

6.00am LIVE Badminton Day one of the Malaysia Open at the Axiata Arena, Kuala Lumpur. **1.00pm** Champions League: Stories of the Finals: two editions (AD) **2.00** Italian Football: Hellas Verona v Cremonese **3.00** Italian Football: Bologna v Atalanta **4.00** Portuguese Football: Casa Pia v FC Porto **5.00** BT Sport Films: Bosman (AD) **6.00** Classics in Europe (AD) **6.30** Currie Club **7.00** BT Sport Films: I Believe in Miracles (AD) **8.30** Classics in Europe (AD) **9.00** Italian Football: two games **11.00** Portuguese Football **12 midnight LIVE Basketball** Coverage of a US college game; **2.00am** The night's second game. **4.00** SEC Storied (AD) **5.00–6.00am** Classic French Football

BT Sport 4

Sky 423 **Virgin** 530 **BT** 411/**HD** 434

6.00am SportsCenter **6.15** Around the Horn: discussion **6.45** Pardon the Interruption **7.15** SportsCenter **7.30** ESPN FC **8.00** Lacrosse: two games **12 noon** ESPN FC: analysis and debate **12.30pm** Around the Horn **1.00** Pardon the Interruption **1.30** 30 for 30 When the Garden Was Eden (AD) **3.00** 30 for 30: Phi Slama Jama (AD) **4.30** Around the Horn **5.00** Pardon the Interruption **5.30** SportsCenter **5.45** American Football: coverage of the CFP National Championship Game **9.45** SportsCenter **10.00** 30 for 30: Youngstown Boys (AD) **12 midnight** 30 for 30: No Mas (AD) **1.30am** 30 for 30: Slaying the Badger (AD) **3.00** 30 for 30: The Gospel According to Mac (AD) **5.00–6.00am** SEC Storied: Tigers United (AD)

Wednesday

PLEIN AND SIMPLE Dame Joan Bakewell and Stephen Mangan head to Blackpool for an outdoor challenge

ART

Landscape Artist of the Year

8.00pm ***Sky Arts*** *Catch up via Sky Go/Now*

It's the start of a new year, so it's time for the *Artist of the Year* team to blow away the Christmas hangover by getting outdoors again with the return of the *plein air* contest. And Dame Joan Bakewell, Stephen Mangan and the eight competing artists may well have been blown away, as they took up position on a rather windswept Blackpool beach where the artists attempted to capture the structure and atmosphere of the North Pier.

Going on the artists' submissions, the judges hope for bold, romantic and moody works of what Mangan describes on the day as a "somewhat desolate view". Dame Joan sees it differently, reminiscing about happy childhood trips to the resort. Cue gags about the Blackpool pier.

It may be a competition (though of course all art is subjective) but everything is so warmly presented that the process becomes more engrossing than the result. Some of the artists' compositions are unexpected – one almost totally ignores the pier – but all surprise and delight. **DAVID CRAWFORD**

NATURE

Dogs in the Wild: Meet the Family

8.00pm ***BBC1*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

It's recently been discovered that African wild dogs have social and emotional bonds that set them apart from other canids. Not only do they grieve the death of a pack member but if they're separated from their family, they can die of broken-heart syndrome.

It's one of numerous remarkable nuggets of information in this Chris Packham-narrated series that concludes with a look at the ways researchers around the world are trying to protect wild dogs and ensure their survival. Another startling titbit to chew over is the possibility that the long thought extinct Japanese wolf is still alive and living in the country's mountains. **JANE RACKHAM** *See feature: page 18*

PROPERTY

Kirstie and Phil's Love it or List It

8.00pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

With house prices steadily falling, it would take a steady set of nerves to decide to sell up and move on. But that's exactly what Birmingham house-owner Bash has in mind. After 15 years in the three-bedroom, one-bathroom home he shares with partner Nikki and their three children, he feels trapped and wants a change, fancying a new life in the country. With a healthy £650k budget to work with, Phil Spencer might be able to help him fulfil his dream.

Nikki is not so ready to up sticks, however. She knows the house needs some TLC, but doesn't want to leave her family and friends, and is certain Kirstie Allsopp can step in to offer a fresh perspective. But it's not going to be easy... **GILL CRAWFORD**

DOCUMENTARY

Billion Dollar Downfall: the Dealmaker

9.00pm ***BBC2*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

"Do good and make money," was the alluring ethos of Pakistani businessman Arif Naqvi's private equity firm, Abraaj. To that end he persuaded Bill Gates to invest in a billion-dollar fund to develop affordable African and Asian healthcare. However, when Abraaj "forgot" where they'd banked over $200 million, some suspected creditors' money was being drawn down to fund Naqvi's lifestyle and company overheads. Abraaj collapsed and Naqvi was arrested.

As he now stands accused of fraud and racketeering, Naqvi talks via personal videos in this film, but financial journalists, fellow businessmen and friends share their views on an extraordinary story. **JR**

DRAMA

The Light in the Hall

9.00pm ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

As we reach the halfway point, the truth of what happened to poor dead Ela Roberts feels far away. Presumed killer Joe (Iwan Rheon) is still keeping schtum about where he hid the body all those years ago, rumours are swirling about what was really going on in the Roberts household, and a shady politician (Lisa Palfrey), who might have her own connection to the murder, has popped out of the woodwork.

It's a brilliantly twisted web with no end of suspects – and, no doubt, inspiring plenty of theories from viewers at home. But as ever it's Joanna Scanlan as Ela's mother Sharon who steals the show, sinking deeper into an obsessive need for answers as her life collapses around her. **HUW FULLERTON**

ALSO ON TODAY

Our Flag Means Death
10.00pm ***BBC2***
Rollicking comedy drama set in the 18th century, with Rhys Darby as the landowner turned pirate.

The Caribbean: Billionaire's Paradise
10.00pm ***C4***
Head off to Antigua and Barbados to find out what the filthy rich are getting up to.

The Old Devils
10.30pm, 11.20pm, 12.15am ***BBC4***
All three parts of the series based on Kingsley Amis's novel, starring John Stride and Sheila Allen (left).

DOCUMENTARY

No Place like Home

9.00pm ***Channel 5***
Catch up via My5

When journalist Victoria Derbyshire returns to her childhood home in Greater Manchester, it is with some trepidation as it brings back terrible memories of domestic violence at the hands of her father. However, she makes some extraordinary discoveries, including some *Schindler's List*-style activities during the Second World War. Her Bury school also became a hotbed of radicalism in the 19th century due to a drive to teach young women in the area to read. Finally, she's moved to tears when she visits the site where Ellen Strange, herself a victim of domestic abuse, was murdered. It immediately takes her back to her own family's troubled history. **JR**

DRAMA

CSI: Vegas

9.00pm ***Alibi***
Catch up via Sky Go/Now

It feels as though the new generation of CSIs have had their stabilisers taken off for this second season. This is a show no longer so in thrall to the legacy characters (mainly because it's now just Catherine Willows representing the old guard), and instead the likes of Josh, Allie and Serena are being given a chance to prove their worth.

I mention this trio for a reason as they're forming the three sides of a love triangle. Though the case of a woman found shot dead behind the wheel of an abandoned car in a Nevada ghost-town results in another member of this current team being put in potentially grave danger.
DAVID BROWN

DOCUMENTARY

Blood, Sweat and Cheer

9.30pm ***BBC3*** *Catch up via iPlayer*

After hit Netflix series *Cheer* comes this heartwarming British documentary on Team Wales at 2022's World Cheerleading Championships in Florida. We watch as the plucky Adaptive Abilities team train with one goal in mind: landing the tumbles, pulling off their stunts and becoming champions.

The real joy, however, comes from seeing the positive impact cheerleading has on these inspiring young people. For Libby, who lost her mother and grandmother in quick succession, it's somewhere to have a laugh and feel supported, whereas for lovely Brad, the only boy on the team (who has autism and ADHD), it's a unique opportunity to make friends.
KAY RIBEIRO

LEVELLING UP
Gordon Ramsay with judges Nyesha Arrington and Paul Ainsworth

FOOD

Next Level Chef

9.00pm ***ITV1*** *Catch up via ITVX*

NEW SERIES

Another year, another gimmicky Gordon Ramsay programme. Of late, if the cantankerous chef hasn't been slapping his hands in frustration in gameshow flop *Bank Balance*, he's been swearing at budding chefs on flabby food series *Future Food Stars*.

And so to Ramsay's next "throw it at the wall and see if it sticks" format. Based on his existing US series of the same name, the show sees wannabe culinary stars compete in a three-storey kitchen to win £100,000 and a year's mentorship. Ingredients are lowered like a carcass into a zoo, before contestants spend a frenzied 30 seconds grabbing what they're going to use.

There is all the stress, shouting and swearing you'd expect, but Ramsay probably describes it best: "I'd find this challenge a f****g nightmare."
FRANCES TAYLOR TV PREVIEWS EDITOR

LIVE SPORT

Snooker: The Masters
12.45pm ***Eurosport 2***, *1pm* ***BBC2***
Judd Trump (above) won the Masters in 2019 after beating Ronnie O'Sullivan and could begin his campaign today against Ryan Day.

Spanish Super Cup Football
Real Madrid v Valencia
6.45pm ***BT Sport 1***
Riyadh, Saudi Arabia plays host to the Spanish Super Cup.

EFL Cup Football
7.30pm (k/o 8.00pm)
Sky Football/Main Event
Quarter-final action continues in the league cup.

FILM OF THE DAY

Star Trek ★★★★ 12
9.00pm ***Film4***
Playing Kirk and Spock as young cadets, Chris Pine and Zachary Quinto (above) bring fresh vigour to an energetic reboot of the classic adventure. With brisk direction from JJ Abrams and dynamic scoring from Michael Giacchino, it hits warp speed fast and doesn't let up. (2009)

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BBC PHOTOSALES; GETTY; ALLSTAR

WEDNESDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Jon Kay, Sally Nugent. (S) (HD)

9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays Angela Rippon, Julia Somerville and Gloria Hunniford present. (S) (HD)

10.00 Big Little Crimes A truck's suspicious licence plate helps police crack an international smuggling operation and a call about a disturbance leads officers to discover a huge haul of firearms. (S) (HD)

10.45 For Love or Money Meeting a team tackling a new trend in romance fraud – "sextortion". (R) (S) (HD)

11.15 Homes under the Hammer Properties in Kent, Norfolk and south London. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15pm Bargain Hunt Charlie Ross presents from Newmarket Racecourse in Suffolk. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

1.45 Doctors Kirsty Millar makes quite an impression on her first day. Meanwhile, Sid faces a patient who thinks she's possessed by the devil. (S) (AD) (HD)

2.15 The Farmers' Country Showdown Farmers aim for a sell-out day at the Ludlow Food Festival. Repeated tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (HD)

3.00 Escape to the Country Ginny Buckley helps a dog-loving couple find a High Weald home. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.45 The Repair Shop The team revive a 1960s lawnmower, a Welsh rugby union trophy and a leather belt bought for a 16th birthday. (S) (AD) (HD)

4.30–5.15 Make It at Market Dominic Chinea helps jeweller Annelies and woodturner Lucinda as they try to turn their hobbies into money-making businesses. Repeated tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am The Farmers' Country Showdown At the Royal Welsh Show. Shown yesterday 2.15pm BBC1 (S) (HD)

7.15 Make It at Market Shown Tue 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00–9.00 Sign Zone 8.00 See Hear William Grint tries to reach the summit of Corn Du in the Brecon Beacons. With voiceover. Repeated 2.05am (S) (HD) **8.30 A Countryside Winter** *2/5.* Sean Fletcher tries winter cod fishing. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 BBC News (S) (HD)

11.15 Politics Live Updates from Westminster. (S) (HD)

1.00–5.15pm LIVE Snooker Featuring Judd Trump v Ryan Day on the last day of first-round matches in the Masters at Alexandra Palace in north London. Trump will be keen to improve on his record here over the years, having reached the final only once, defeating Ronnie O'Sullivan to claim the trophy in 2019. (S) (HD)

ITV1

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)

9.00 Lorraine Showbiz and style tips. (S) (HD)

10.00 This Morning Lifestyle advice, competitions and star interviews. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)

12.30pm Loose Women Candid conversation. (S) (HD)

1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

2.00 Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers travel around the country assessing items brought in by members of the public. Signed repeat 5.05am (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00–4.00 Lingo Mother-and-son duo Michelle and Paul take on London siblings Nad and Rusha and two friends called Lisa in the fast-moving battle of words. Adil Ray presents. (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**

Channel 4

6.10am Countdown Richard Osman guests. (R) (S) (HD)

6.50 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S)

7.40 Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Frasier Three episodes of the sitcom. (R) (S) (AD)

10.25 Undercover Boss USA The president of Moe's Southwest Grill goes incognito. (R) (S) (HD) **11.25 News** (S) (HD)

11.30 Couples Come Dine with Me Three pairs compete for the cash prize in Glasgow. (R) (S) (HD)

12.30pm Steph's Packed Lunch Weekday magazine show presented by Steph McGovern. (S) (HD)

2.10 Countdown With guest Heather Small. (S) (HD)

3.00 A Place in the Sun Danni Menzies helps engaged couple Louise and Chris find their perfect holiday home in Manilva, Spain. Repeated 5pm 4seven (S) (HD)

4.00–5.00 A New Life in the Sun A couple add fine dining to their events business in France, while a B&B owner in Spain makes the expensive decision to install an air-conditioning system. Rptd 6pm 4seven (S) (HD)

BBC1 1

Dogs in the Wild: Meet the Family *8.00pm* Harvests in Brazil are an existential threat to the maned wolf

5.15pm Pointless

Quiz in which contestants try to score the fewest points possible by giving the least obvious correct answers to questions. Presented by Alexander Armstrong, with co-host Richard Osman. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 Regional news magazines (S)

Followed by **Party Political Broadcast** By the Conservative Party. (S) (HD)

7.00 The One Show

Presented by Jermaine Jenas and Alex Jones. Editor Rob Unsworth (S) (HD)

7.30 EastEnders

Zack shatters Whitney's dreams and the Slaters face serious financial problems. Meanwhile, an impromptu party at number 27 ends in a massive row.

Zack Hudson	**James Farrar**	Alfie Moon	**Shane Richie**
Whitney Dean	**Shona McGarty**	Dana Monroe	**Barbara Smith**
Freddie Slater	**Bobby Brazier**	Suki Kaur Panesar	**Balvinder Sopal**
Kat Slater	**Jessie Wallace**	Karen Taylor	**Lorraine Stanley**
Jean Slater	**Gillian Wright**	Kathy Beale	**Gillian Taylforth**
Stacey Slater	**Lacey Turner**	Ravi Gulati	**Aaron Thiara**
Sam Mitchell	**Kim Medcalf**	Patrick Trueman	**Rudolph Walker**
Bobby Beale	**Clay Milner Russell**	Dotty Cotton	**Milly Zero**
Felix Baker	**Matthew Morrison**	Eve Unwin	**Heather Peace**
Bernadette Taylor	**Clair Norris**	Brett	**Fabrizio Santino**

Writer Jonny O'Neill More cast tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Dogs in the Wild: Meet the Family

RT *3/3.* **Defending Wild Dogs.** As rescuers in southern Africa try to treat the fatal broken-heart syndrome to which wild dogs separated from their families succumb, scientists in Wyoming reveal how the tiny swift fox's chances of survival can depend on how bold they are. Meanwhile, in Japan's mountains, a naturalist seeks to prove that the "extinct" Japanese wolf still exists. And in North America, conservationists are racing to save the red wolf, of which fewer than 20 remain in the wild. The whole series is available on iPlayer. **See page 80.**
Producer Tessa Worgan; Executive producer Jo Shinner (S) (AD) (HD)
See feature: page 18

9.00 Ambulance

5/6 Series 10. A busy night shift for the North East Ambulance Service begins with an emergency call for a woman in labour. On hand to guide the patient through the birth is call handler Jen, who helps to safely deliver a baby girl. Responding to a category two call in Stockton are crewmates Hannah and Becky. They're attending a 78-year-old patient who has fallen down the stairs and suffered a seizure. The crew help to get the patient off the floor while consoling her daughter, who is worried about her mum.
Series director James Robinson
Series producers Becky Houlihan and Vicky Munro (S) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

10.40 The Accountant ★★

Crime drama starring Ben Affleck and Anna Kendrick. Unassuming accountant Christian Wolff struggles to balance his work for both criminal organisations and legitimate businesses, which draws him into a complex web of deception. Available on iPlayer for 30 days. **Review page 87.**

Christian Wolff	**Ben Affleck**	Francis Silverberg	**Jeffrey Tambor**
Dana Cummings	**Anna Kendrick**	Lamar Blackburn	**John Lithgow**
Ray King	**JK Simmons**	Marybeth Medina	**Cynthia Addai-Robinson**
Brax	**Jon Bernthal**	Rita Blackburn	**Jean Smart**

Director Gavin O'Connor (2016, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

12.40am The Apprentice *1/12.* Lord Sugar tasks two teams with selling and running bespoke tours on the Caribbean island of Antigua. Shown last Thursday (S) (HD)
1.40 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)
1.45–6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

BBC1 **Freeview** 1/HD 101 **Freesat** 101/HD 106 **Sky** 101/HD 115 **Virgin** 101

BBC2 2

The Hairy Bikers Go Local *8.00pm* In West Yorkshire, Si and Dave create a vegetarian dish based on rhubarb

5.15pm Flog It!

At Grimsby Minster, Anita Manning views pigeon racing memorabilia and Christina Trevanion uncovers a rare Chinese silver butter bowl. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Richard Osman's House of Games

Jasmine Harman, Dave Johns, Suzannah Lipscomb and Jason Mohammad reprise their rivalry in the week's third round of challenges. (S) (HD)

6.30 Take a Hike

8/15 Series 2. Powerlifter Fiona tests her fellow travellers with a challenging 8.5km hike to Rubha Hunish, the northernmost point of Skye, featuring epic cliff-top views stretching miles out to sea. (S) (HD)

7.00 This Farming Life

Series 5. Emma and Ewan hatch a plan to breed peacocks. Meanwhile, Ronnie and Pete turn to cutting-edge science in attempting an embryo transfer using a surrogate mare. Will it succeed in preserving the legacy of one of their best horses?
Series producer Fiona Wilson; Executive producer Jo Roe (R) (S) (HD)

BBC RED BUTTON 7.00–11.00 Snooker Live coverage of the Masters tournament from Alexandra Palace.

8.00 The Hairy Bikers Go Local

6/8. Dave Myers and Si King head to Drighlington, West Yorkshire, as they continue their mission to unite restaurants with innovative local suppliers. Here, husband-and-wife team Bobby and Minal want to turn their vegetarian Indian establishment, Prashad, into a unique dining experience with a tasting menu inspired by Gujarati cuisine and Yorkshire produce. As the Bikers prepare dishes based on mushrooms, rhubarb and beetroot, can they help them secure that Michelin star? Continues tomorrow 8pm. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Billion Dollar Downfall: the Dealmaker

RT The story of the meteoric rise and dizzying fall of businessman Arif Naqvi, currently under house arrest after the collapse of the world's biggest private equity firm, Abraaj. Accused of racketeering and fraud, he could face a lifetime in jail if found guilty. Key figures speak out, while personal videos of Naqvi give a glimpse into his life now. **See page 80.**
Director Victoria James; Producer Monika Ghosh (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Our Flag Means Death

2/10. **A Damned Man.** The comedy about a wealthy landowner who decides to become a pirate continues. Stede battles feelings of guilt while hunting for missing hostages. Then Lucius makes a surprising discovery. The whole series is on iPlayer. (S) (AD) (HD)

Stede Bonnet	**Rhys Darby**	Jim	**Vico Ortiz**
Buttons	**Ewen Bremner**	Black Pete	**Matthew Maher**
Frenchie	**Joel Fry**	Wee John Feeney	**Kristian Nairn**
Oluwande	**Samson Kayo**	Captain Nigel Badminton	**Rory Kinnear**
Izzy Hands	**Con O'Neill**	Ivan	**Guz Khan**
Lucius	**Nathan Foad**	Fang	**David Fane**

10.30 Newsnight With Victoria Derbyshire. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather (S) (HD)

11.15 Snooker

Action from the concluding Masters first-round match at Alexandra Palace between Kyren Wilson and Stuart Bingham, with a quarter-final place at stake. (S) (HD)

12.05am Snooker Extra Extended highlights. (S) (HD)
2.05–4.20am Sign Zone 2.05 See Hear William Grint dives into the archives as he counts down his top five See Hear on Tour moments. With voiceover. Shown 8am (S) (HD)
2.35 The Traitors *6/12.* As the stakes increase, the Faithfuls feel like they are on the back foot. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
3.35 Flipping Profit Caroline Hawley, Danny Sebastian and Stu Abbott search for items in Buxton. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

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Next Level Chef
9.00pm Gordon Ramsay sees how the chefs fare in both luxury and humble kitchens

4.00pm Tipping Point
Three contestants take turns on the supersized arcade machine as they try to bank the jackpot of £20,000. Ben Shephard presents. (S) (HD)

5.00 The Chase
Bradley Walsh presents as Matthew, Dick, Evie and Jenny pit their wits against one of the six mighty Chasers in an effort to walk away with a prize pot worth thousands of pounds. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)

6.25 Party Political Broadcast
By the Conservative Party. (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S) (HD)

7.30 Emmerdale
Moira remains anxious about Caleb. Chloe is taken into hospital. Rhona plans a surprise.
Writer Bill Lyons Cast Monday/Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Coronation Street
Jacob panics when police turn up at the bistro. Maria clashes with Len on live television. Daisy resolves to secure a top DJ for her wedding.

Jacob Hay	**Jack James Ryan**	Bernie Winter	**Jane Hazlegrove**
Daisy Midgeley	**Charlotte Jordan**	Todd Grimshaw	**Gareth Pierce**
DC Wiley	**Ashley Campbell**	Griff Reynolds	**Michael Condron**
Amy Barlow	**Elle Mulvaney**	Jenny Connor	**Sally Ann Matthews**
Gary Windass	**Mikey North**	Mrs York	**Hazel Ellerby**
Max Turner	**Paddy Bever**	Paul Foreman	**Peter Ash**
Ryan Connor	**Ryan Prescott**	Yasmeen Metcalfe	**Shelley King**
Daniel Osbourne	**Rob Mallard**	Billy Mayhew	**Daniel Brocklebank**
David Platt	**Jack P Shepherd**	Chesney Brown	**Sam Aston**
Alya Nazir	**Sair Khan**	Gail Rodwell	**Helen Worth**
Spider Nugent	**Martin Hancock**	Daryan Zahawi	**Twana Omer**
Aggie Bailey	**Lorna Laidlaw**	Michael Bailey	**Ryan Russell**
Damon Hay	**Ciaran Griffiths**	Supplier	**Dylan Baldwin**

Writers David Proud and Mark Wadlow More cast Fri (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Next Level Chef
RT ***New series. 1/8.*** Gordon Ramsay presents a new cookery contest, where 12 aspiring chefs do battle in a 50ft three-storey kitchen, ranging from a luxury top-level cooking space to a basic basement kitchen, forcing them to prove they can serve up excellence whatever the surroundings. The contestants must show Gordon and his fellow judges, Paul Ainsworth and Nyesha Arrington, that they deserve the prize of £100,000 and a 12-month mentorship, but just who will finish on top? **See page 81.**
Series director Paul Newton; Executive producer Iain Peckham
Repeated tomorrow 10.45pm (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 ITV News at Ten
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

10.45 Peston
Robert Peston talks to MPs and topical guests on the late-night political magazine show.
Series editor Vicky Flind (S) (HD)

11.40 Made in Britain
How a family farm in Somerset transforms 150 tons of apples a day into cider, and the secrets behind the making of traditional black pudding.
Series director/producer Di Evans (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am League Cup Highlights The best action from the quarter-finals. Shown 10.30pm ITV4 (S) (HD)
1.20 Home Shopping (HD)
3.00 Fly Tipping: Dirty Britain? Tonight Michelle Ackerley investigates why so much rubbish is being illegally dumped. Shown last Thursday (S) (SL) (HD)
3.25 Martin Lewis's Extreme Savers How to profit from switching bank accounts. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
3.50 Unwind A sequence to calm the mind. (S) (HD)
5.05–6.00am Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers search for treasure. Shown 2pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

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Channel 4 4 / 7 in Wales

Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It
8.00pm Nikki and Bash require the duo's help with an overcrowded home

5.00pm Come Dine with Me: the Professionals
Three sets of restaurateurs from Bristol cook each other a three-course dinner. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Hollyoaks
In a one-hour special, Eric seeks vengeance.
Writer Jane Wainwright This week's episodes directed by Neil J Wilkinson and Duncan Foster Cast Tue/Thu Shown Tue 7pm E4 Rptd Thu 6.30am E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It
RT ***Ep 2*** *Series 8.* Kirstie Allsopp and Phil Spencer meet Nikki and Bash from Hall Green in Birmingham. After living in their home for 15 years Bash thinks it's time for them and their three children to move. While Nikki agrees the house isn't right for them she doesn't want to leave. The next episode will be available on All 4 after tonight's edition is shown. **See page 80.**
Series producer Laura Harding; Executive producer Jonny Wharton
Repeated tomorrow 8pm 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Light in the Hall
RT ***3/6.*** Dai continues to support Sharon, while tensions simmer between her and Gafyn. A revelation from Caryl leads Cat to revisit the past. Continues tomorrow 9pm. **See page 81.**

Joe	**Iwan Rheon**	Shelley	**Rhian Blythe**
Sharon	**Joanna Scanlan**	Alana	**Hannah Mary Dando**
Cat	**Alexandra Roach**	Nina	**Lisa Palfrey**
DCI Parry	**Ioan Hefin**	Caryl	**Sian Reese-Williams**
PC Gwyn Jones	**Gwydion Rhys**	Ela	**Ella Peel**
Ian	**Aled Pugh**	Dai	**Morgan Hopkins**
Chris	**Dion Lloyd**	Steve	**Ben Bailey Smith**
Gafyn	**Aneirin Hughes**	Young Joe	**Dylan Jones**
Sali	**Catherine Ayres**	Young Shelley	**Mari Ann Bull**
Greta	**Annes Elwy**	Rhys	**Aled Bidder**
Wyn	**Ifan Huw Dafydd**	Young Izzy	**Mabli Jên Eustace**
Eilis	**Delyth Wyn**	Phil	**Alex Harries**
Izzy	**Hannah Daniel**	Carwyn	**Tonya Smith**

Writer Regina Moriarty; Executive producers Paul Marquess, Regina Moriarty, Shannon Cooper, Gwenllian Gravelle, Gwawr Martha Lloyd, Laurent Boissel, Nora Ostler Spiteri, Gethin Scourfield, Alec Spiteri, Jo Roderick and Donna Wiffen
Director Andy Newbery Repeated 3.20am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Caribbean: Billionaires' Paradise
2/4. On Antigua, security firm owner Anthony Athill is on a site visit at the Hermitage Bay, a hotel for the rich and famous. Alex Grimley, owner of the island's award-winning Sheer Rocks eatery, is launching an Asian-inspired restaurant – but will everything come together before the opening?
Series producer Zuelika Brown
Executive producer Anna Edwinson (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Billion Pound Cruise
Ep 2. The *Symphony of the Seas* sails into port, where 6,680 guests get off and on the ship. As always, it will be a mammoth task for the crew members as they try to keep to the schedule.
Director/Producer Christian Cerami
First shown on More4 (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am Murder in the Outback: the Falconio and Lees Mystery *3/4.* The murder trial's verdict is questioned. Continues tomorrow 12.25am. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
1.05 24 Hours in A&E *Ep 2.* Jillian, 61, arrives at A&E after a fall. **See choice, p70.** Shown Tue 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.00 Belfast Midwives *Ep 2.* Natalie goes into a long labour. **See choice, p71.** Shown Tue 10pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
2.55 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA The chef revisits Giuseppi's and Sante La Brea. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)
3.45 Couples Come Dine with Me Three couples from Birmingham take part in the contest. (R) (S) (HD)
4.40 Sarah Beeny's New Life in the Country Sarah and Graham work on the foundations. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
5.35–6.00am Food Unwrapped Investigating how many apples go into a can of cider. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

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The Old Devils
10.30pm Back in Wales, Rhiannon (Sheila Allen) has old admirers and lovers to handle

7.00pm Great British Railway Journeys
1/15 *Series 10.* **Warrington to Preston** Armed with his trusty *Bradshaw's Guide*, Michael Portillo follows in King George V's footsteps as he embarks on a tour of our industrial heartland, beginning by travelling from Warrington to Preston. More tomorrow 7pm.
Repeated tomorrow 1.40am (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 The Joy of Painting
American artist Bob Ross offers tips and advice as he demonstrates his painting technique, beginning with a picture of mountains, evergreens, paths and bushes. More tomorrow 7.30pm.
Producer Bob Ross (R) (S) (HD)

8.00 Michael Palin's New Europe
1/7. **War and Peace.** The adventurer travels to countries that for much of his life were hidden behind the Iron Curtain. From high in the Julian Alps of Slovenia, along the magical coast of Croatia, and deep into Bosnia and Serbia he discovers new countries still coming to terms with the bloody wars that created them, even as they reap the benefits of peace and EU membership.
Director/Producer John-Paul Davidson (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
RT TRAVEL An eight-day yacht cruise around Croatia: see travel supplement, centre pages

9.00 Spike Milligan: Love, Light and Peace
A portrait of the comedian, as told in his own words and featuring home-movie footage. With contributions from those who worked with him, lived with him and were inspired by him.
Director/Producer Verity Maidlow (R) (S) (HD)

10.30 The Old Devils
1/3. **Love, Lust and Litre Bottles** Comedy drama from 1992, adapted from Kingsley Amis's novel about university chums reunited in retirement. Writer and TV personality Alun Weaver returns to Wales with his wife.
11.20 *2/3.* Rhiannon's Boys. Alun reacquaints himself with old friends.
12.15am *3/3.* Clapped Out Casanovas Weaver awaits reaction to his novel.

Alun Weaver	**John Stride**
Peter Thomas	**James Grout**
Charlie Norris	**Ray Smith**
Malcolm Cellan-Davies	**Bernard Hepton**
Rhiannon Weaver	**Sheila Allen**
Gwen Cellan-Davies	**Anna Cropper**
Muriel Thomas	**Anne Stallybrass**
Garth Pumphrey	**Howell Evans**

Dramatised by Andrew Davies; Producer Adrian Mourby; Director Tristram Powell (R) (S)

1.10 Hope Street *7/10* *Series 2.* Marlene is unable to investigate a racing pigeon theft.

Sergeant Marlene Pettigrew	**Kerri Quinn**
Barry Pettigrew	**Des McAleer**
PC Callum McCarthy	**Niall Wright**
Siobhan O'Hare	**Rachel Tucker**
Inspector Finn O'Hare	**Ciarán McMenamin**
Hugh McCoy	**Brian Devlin**
Taylor Quinn	**Sade Malone**

First shown on BBC1 Northern Ireland (S) (AD) (HD)
1.55 Shakespeare in Italy *1/2.* How Italy inspired the Bard. Shown Sun 10.35pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.55–3.55am Britain's Lost Masterpieces *2/3* *Series 3.* An 18th-century painting at the Manchester Art Gallery that may have been misattributed. Shown Mon 9pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

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BBC1 SCOTLAND
2.15pm Politics Scotland **3.00–3.45** The Farmers' Country Showdown **6.30–7.00** Reporting Scotland; Party Political Broadcast: by the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party **12.40am** Scottish Questions **1.10** The Apprentice **2.10** Weather **2.15–6.00** BBC News

BBC SCOTLAND
7.00pm Loggerheads **7.30** Fish Town **8.00** Bump Birth Baby **8.30** Screen Grab **9.00** The Nine **10.00** River City **10.30** Robbie Coltrane at the BBC **11.15** Stunners **11.30–12 midnight** Sky High Club: Scotland and Beyond

STV
6.25–6.30pm Party Political Broadcast: by the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party **10.00** ITV News at Ten; STV News and Weather **10.40** Scotland Tonight; ITV Weather **11.10–12.10am** Peston; Scotland Revealed Moments **3.50–5.05** Night Vision

BORDER SCOTLAND
6.25–6.30pm Party Political Broadcast: by the Scottish Conservative and Unionist Party **10.45** Representing Border: political news **11.15–12.10am** Peston

BBC1 WALES
3.00pm Wales's Home of the Year **3.30–3.45** Weatherman Walking **6.30–7.00** BBC Wales Today; Party Political Broadcast: by the Welsh Conservatives **10.40** Blood, Sweat and Cheer **11.25 FILM:** The Accountant **1.25–6.00am** News

BBC2 WALES
7.00–8.00pm This Farming Life

ITV1 WALES
6.25–6.30pm Party Political Broadcast: by the Welsh Conservative Party

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND
10.40am True Northr **11.10 FILM:** The Accountant ★★ Crime drama starring Ben Affleck **1.10–6.00am** BBC News

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WEDNESDAY Freeview

Channel 5 [5]

No Place like Home *9.00pm* Victoria Derbyshire goes back to her roots

5.35am Milkshake! See page 86 (HD)
9.15 ***New.*** **Jeremy Vine** (S) (HD)
12.45pm Traffic Cops An officer's 100mph dash to an incident panics an unrelated driver into a crash. (S) (HD) **1.40 5 News** (S) (HD)
1.45 Home and Away Ziggy gets cramping pains that send her to hospital. Shown yesterday 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 A Dangerous Affair ★★
P Romantic thriller. Amélie begins a new relationship, but doesn't realise her beau has a jealous – and violent – ex. Director Christie Will Wolf (2022) (S) (W) (HD)
4.00 ***New.*** **Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun** Following Brits who moved to Spain for sun and a low-cost life. (S) (HD)
5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)
6.00 Holiday Homes in the Sun Amanda Lamb, JB Gill and Sam Pinkham are in Salerno, on Italy's west coast, competing to find the perfect family holiday home with incredible views and food to die for. (S) (HD)
6.55 5 News Update (S) (HD)
7.00 You Are What You Eat For busy mum Zoe, the only thing sweeter than her children is her sweet tooth. Entrepreneur Dennica needs to take action with the menopause looming. Can Trisha Goddard, Dr Amir Khan and nutritionist Kate Llewellyn-Waters help? Series director Liam Royales (S) (HD)
7.55 5 News Update (S) (HD)
8.00 ***New.*** **My Cornwall with Fern Britton** *2/3 Series 2.* Fern explores the regions of West Wivelshire and Powdershire, between the Fowey and Fal rivers, where she learns about the connections of writer Daphne du Maurier and painter JMW Turner to this area of Cornwall. Series producer/director Chris Williams (S) (HD)
Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
9.00 ***New.*** **No Place like Home** RT *2/6.* Victoria Derbyshire returns to where she grew up in Greater Manchester, to learn more about the history of the area. She hears stories of "Lancashire's Oskar Schindler", child labour, domestic abuse, internment and black pudding. **See page 80.** Director/Producer Ed Wright (S) (HD)
10.00 A&E after Dark Behind the scenes at Hull Royal Infirmary. A woman is admitted after sustaining a nasty injury falling off a bar stool. (S) (HD)
11.05 ***New.*** **Skin A&E** The dermatologists meet two patients with very different lumps but a common phobia of needles. Dr Natalia finds her patient's lump is not quite what it seemed. Directors James Boakes, Jamie Welham (S) (AD) (HD)
12.05am Ambulance: Code Red (S) (HD) **1.00** ***New.*** Casino (S) (HD) **3.00** Entertainment News (S) (HD) **3.05** Holiday Homes in the Sun (S) (HD) **3.55** Get Your Tatts Out: Kavos Ink (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** Divine Designs (S) (SL) (HD) **5.10–5.35am** House Doctor (S) (SL) (HD)

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BBC4 listings are overleaf

BBC3 [23]

Lara Croft: Tomb Raider *7.55pm* The adventurer seeks an ancient artefact

7.00pm ***New.*** **The Catch Up** A round-up of the day's news. (S) (HD)
7.05 Laugh Lessons Ehiz breaks down his experiences of toxic masculinity in this grime track. (S) (HD)
7.10 Gassed Up *1/6.* Rapper Mist takes on comedian Joel Dommett in a buggy race. (S) (HD)
7.55 Lara Croft: Tomb Raider ★★ Adventure based on the computer game, starring Angelina Jolie and Daniel Craig. Adventurer Lara Croft races against time to regain possession of an ancient artefact, the Triangle of Light. Available on iPlayer. **Review page 87.** Director Simon West (2001, 12) (S) (W) (HD)
9.30 ***New.*** **Blood, Sweat and Cheer** RT Following the athletes of Team Wales Adaptive Abilities as they prepare for the World Cheerleading Championships. **See p81.** First shown on BBC Wales (S) (AD) (HD)
10.15 Cuckoo *3/7 Series 2.* Ken defends Steve when he's accused of medical malpractice. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.45** *4/7.* Ken's former professor passes away, but not before issuing a final wish. A box set is on iPlayer. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.10 Planet Sex with Cara Delevingne *6/6.* Cara and Nyakim Gatwech talk about diversity in the fashion industry. (S) (HD)
12 midnight Meet the Khans: Big in Bolton (S) (HD) **1.00am** Blood, Sweat and Cheer (S) (AD) (HD) **1.45** Cuckoo (S) (AD) (HD) **2.45** Ellie and Natasia (S) (HD) **3.00–4.00am** Hire Me: Competing for a Dream Job (S) (HD)

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ITV2 [6]

6.00am World's Funniest Videos (S) (HD) **6.35** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (SL) (HD) **7.00** Secret Crush (S) (SL) (HD) **8.00** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **9.00** Chuck (S) (HD) **10.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **11.00** The OC (S) (HD)
12 noon Secret Crush (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (S) (HD) **3.05** Chuck (S) (HD) **4.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **5.00** The OC (S) (HD)
6.00pm Celebrity Catchphrase With James Jordan, Fiona Wade and Louis Walsh. Hosted by Stephen Mulhern. (S) (AD) (HD)
7.00 Ninja Warrior UK Ben Shephard, Rochelle Humes and Chris Kamara present the eliminator round. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Superstore *13/21 Series 5.* Amy tries to make Mateo her new assistant. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.30 *14/21.* Sandra and Jerry marry, and Garrett struggles with his speech. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Ekin-Su and Davide: Homecomings The *Love Island* winners go to Italy. (S) (HD)
10.00 Family Guy *Series 12.* Chris learns that he is the heir to Carter's fortune.
10.30 Stewie and Brian travel back to 17th-century Jamestown and accidentally change the course of history.
11.00 Peter and Quagmire form a singer/songwriter partnership. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.30 American Dad! *Series 14.* Francine discovers that Stan has been shielding her from unhappy news. (S) (AD) (HD)
12 midnight *Series 16.* Hayley and Francine go under cover as secret shoppers. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.30am Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **1.30** CelebAbility (S) (HD) **2.15** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records: peculiar record-breaking attempts (S) (SL) **2.45–3.00am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV2 Freeview 6 **Freesat** 113 **Sky** 118 **Virgin** 115/**HD** 176 **+1 Freeview** 29 **Freesat** 114 **Sky** 218 **Virgin** 116

ITV3 [10]

Lewis *8.00pm* Singer Esme Ford (Joanna Lumley) suddenly reappears

6.00am Classic Emmerdale (S) **7.00** Classic Coronation Street (S) (AD) **8.05** George & Mildred (S) **9.15** Agatha Christie's Marple: *By the Pricking of My Thumbs.* The sleuth investigates a case of infanticide Rptd 12.05am (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** Heartbeat: ***9/10.*** Nick risks his career; **12.35pm** ***10/10.*** Nick and Kate's relationship comes under stress (S) (AD)
1.40pm Classic Emmerdale: double bill. Zoe feels the pressure of giving Jean up, then Zoe plans Jean's homecoming (S) **2.40** Classic Coronation Street: Les ruins Vik's chances with Hazel, then Curly is apprehensive about leaving his job (S) (AD) **3.45** Inspector Morse: *Series 2. Last Bus to Woodstock.* Morse uncovers a web of passion and corruption (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00pm Heartbeat *1/10 Series 2.* Nick hears of a flasher on the moors, and Kate is confronted by a pregnant village girl. (S) (AD)
7.00 *2/10.* Greengrass attempts to turn events to his advantage, and a visitor from London evokes bad memories. (S) (AD)
8.00 Lewis *4/4 Series 3.* **Counter Culture Blues** While at rock legend Richie Maguire's mansion with Hathaway, Lewis is shocked to encounter Esme Ford, a singer who faked her own death 35 years before. Later, an orphan is found murdered on the other side of town and a forensic link leads Lewis and Hathaway to suspect that these rockers are involved. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 DCI Banks *5/6 Series 3.* **Bad Boy 1/2.** A gun is found in a teenage girl's bedroom. Against Banks's advice, Cabbot follows the correct firearms drill to retrieve the weapon. Despite this, an innocent man is injured. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 *6/6.* **Bad Boy 2/2.** Desperate to find his daughter Tracy and her abductor, Jaff Kitson, Banks becomes convinced that Al Jenkins is Kitson's accomplice in the murder of Richard Martin. More tomorrow 10pm. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.05am Agatha Christie's Marple Shown 9.15am (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **2.15–2.30am** Unwind (S) (HD)

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ITV4 [26]

6.00am World of Sport: Crazy Racing (S) (HD) **6.10** The Saint (S) **7.05** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **8.15** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **9.20** The Professionals (S) (AD) **10.25** Minder (S) (AD) **11.25** The Saint (S)
12.30pm The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (AD) (HD) **1.40** The Motorbike Show (S) (HD) **2.45** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **3.50** The Professionals (S) (AD) **4.50** Minder (S) (AD) **5.55** The Motorbike Show (S) (HD)
6.55pm The Chase Celebrity Special Shane Williams, Sair Khan, Milton Jones and Tanni Grey-Thompson take on the Chaser. Presented by Bradley Walsh. (S) (HD)
8.00 Made in Britain A look at Cornish pasties, umbrellas and carpets. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 An Audience with Billy Connolly The comedian entertains a celebrity crowd. (S)
10.05 Made in Britain A look behind the scenes of British brands. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.30 ***New.*** **League Cup Highlights** Action from the quarter-finals of the competition won last season by Liverpool. (S) (HD)
12.05am Heathrow: Britain's Busiest Airport (S) (AD) (HD) **1.05** The Professionals (S) (SL) (AD) **2.05–3.00am** Minder (S) (SL) (AD)

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Drama [20]

Sherlock *8.00pm* Culverton Smith (Toby Jones) is hiding a dark secret

7.25am All Creatures Great and Small Repeated 4.10pm (S) **8.15** The Bill: the officers come to terms with the tragedy **9.15** Classic Holby City: Jac is determined to prove she is a doctor and not a patient (S) (HD) **10.35** Classic Casualty: Ethan's obsession with Scott Ellisson starts to worry Alicia (HD) **11.40** The Bill: Taviner learns Harker may survive
12.40pm Classic EastEnders: double bill. Sonia takes decisive action, then Dot unearths a long-buried secret **2.00** Howards' Way: ***8/13*** *Series 1.* Ken conducts business with Charles Frere Rptd 2.50am **3.10** Pie in the Sky: ***8/10*** *Series 1.* Crabbe becomes involved in wine trade scams Rptd 1.50am (S) **4.10** All Creatures Great and Small: ***10/12*** *Series 6. In Whom We Trust.* James and Siegfried face a dilemma Shown 7.25am **5.25** As Time Goes By: ***8/10*** *Series 4.* Lionel gets cold feet Rptd 1.10am (S)
6.00pm Are You Being Served? *Series 7.* **Strong Stuff, This Insurance** The staff undergo medicals. (S)
6.40 'Allo 'Allo! ***5/6*** *Series 9.* **A Fishy Sendoff.** The general, the colonel and Gruber discuss the plot to blow up Hitler. Repeated 12.30am (S)
7.20 Last of the Summer Wine *Series 2.* **Northern Flying Circus** Compo takes up motorcycling. (S)
8.00 Sherlock *2/3 Series 4.* **The Lying Detective.** The detective faces a powerful new enemy who appears to be unassailable but who is concealing a terrible secret. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 New Tricks ***5/10*** *Series 10.* **Cry Me a River** The team investigates the unsolved murder of a pornographer. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.10 Hustle *2/6 Series 7.* **Old Sparks Come New** The gang targets the founder of a money-lending business. (HD)
12.30am 'Allo 'Allo! Shown 6.40pm (S)
1.10 As Time Goes By Shown 5.25pm (S)
1.50 Pie in the Sky Shown 3.10pm (S)
2.50–4.00am Howards' Way Shown 2pm

Drama Freeview 20 **Freesat** 158 **Sky** 143 **Virgin** 130 **+1 Freeview** 60 **Sky** 243 **Virgin** 226

ITVBe [28]

7.00am The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Buying and Selling (S) (HD) **9.00** LittleBe: children's programmes (HD)
12 noon Be Beautiful (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm** The Real Housewives of New York City (S) (HD) **1.05** The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** The Only Way Is Essex (S) (HD) **3.05** Million Dollar Listing: LA (S) (HD) **4.05** The Real Housewives of Atlanta (S) (HD) **5.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD)
6.00pm Masters of Flip Dave and Kortney Wilson work on a rundown craftsman. (S) (HD)
7.00 Buying and Selling Shane and Sydney look for a spacious property where they can expand their family. (S) (HD)
8.00 Dinner Date David from London picks three blind dates from five menus. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Botched A pop-star impersonator seeks help after silicone injections left her with a dented chin. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Dr Paul Nassif helps a woman who has "blowfish" lips. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 The Cabins There is an unlikely entanglement in the bathtub. (S) (HD)
12 midnight–1.00am The Only Way Is Essex: the truth comes out about Harry's texts (S) (HD)

ITVBe Freeview 28 **Freesat** 119 **Sky** 131 **Virgin** 119/**HD** 179 **+1 Virgin** 120 (Scotland 162)

RadioTimes The Sixties From the Beatles to the Moon landing to winning the World Cup – *RT* saw it all

More4 18

Best Year Ever... 1994 *9.00pm* Craig Charles remembers a Britpop rivalry

8.55am Food Unwrapped **9.15** A Place in the Sun **10.05** A New Life in the Sun **11.05** Find It, Fix It, Flog It: two editions

1.10pm Heir Hunters **3.10** Four in a Bed **5.55** Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It (AD)

6.55pm Escape to the Château Dick and Angel continue work on their £280,000 château. Despite two-and-a-half years of attention, problems aplenty remain. (AD)

7.55 Grand Designs Kevin McCloud meets two artists who are battling the elements to construct a modern home on the Isle of Skye, with a second building to use as a studio. (AD)

9.00 *New.* Best Year Ever... 1994 *3/4* Delving into the songs, stories and trends of 1994, when Blur and Oasis divided the country and the Wonderbra billboards caused traffic accidents. Narrated by Craig Charles.

10.00 Made in the 80s: the Decade That Shaped Our World A new generation of computer-literate kids built the foundations for an industry now worth billions, while Tim Berners-Lee staked a claim for the biggest discovery of all. Last in series. (AD)

11.05 24 Hours in A&E The department treats a biker who was involved in a head-on collision and a teenager left with injuries to his hand after punching through a window. (AD)

12.05am Best Year Ever... 1994 **1.15** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown: Jon Richardson and Michelle Wolf take on Jonathan Ross and Johnny Vegas (AD) **2.15** 24 Hours in A&E (AD) **3.20–3.50am** Food Unwrapped Investigates (AD)

More4 F'view 18 F'sat 124 Sky 136 Virgin 147/HD 195 +1 Freesat 125 Sky 236 Virgin 196

E4 13

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Mon/Tue 6.30pm C4 (AD) **7.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **9.00** The Goldbergs: double bill (AD) **10.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **12 noon** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **3.00** Modern Family **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **5.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory *1/24* *Series 10.* The gang gathers for Penny and Leonard's second wedding ceremony. (AD)

6.30 *2/24.* Penny reveals a secret. (AD)

7.00 *New.* Hollyoaks Felix warns Mercedes that the police are coming to arrest her. Cast pp73/93 Repeated tomorrow 6.30pm C4 (AD)

7.30 *New.* Modern Family *13/24* *Series 6* Phil takes it hard when Luke gives him the cold shoulder. First shown on Sky

8.00 The Great Celebrity Bake Off for Stand Up to Cancer With Nick Hewer, Stacey Solomon, Ricky Wilson and Perri Kiely. (AD)

9.00 Gogglebox The households' opinions on *Strictly Come Dancing* and *The Pet Shop*. (AD)

10.00 Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits How the show has broken new ground. (AD)

11.05 First Dates Used-car salesman Joey has a date with a fashion blogger. (SL) (AD)

12.10am Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **2.15** Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits (AD) **3.10** First Dates (SL) (AD) **4.05** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **4.55–6.00am** The Goldbergs (AD)

E4 Freeview 13 Freesat 122 Sky 135 Virgin 106/HD 145 +1 Freeview 30 Freesat 123 Sky 235 Virgin 146 **E4 Extra** Freeview 31 Freesat 181 Sky 138 Virgin 337

Really 17

6.00am Fantasy Homes by the Sea (AD) **7.00** Shopping **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** Posh Pawnbrokers **10.00** Antiques Road Trip **12 noon** Money for Nothing **1.00pm** The Bidding Room **2.00** Animal Cops Phoenix (AD) **4.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet **5.00** Cornwall Air 999 **6.00** Money for Nothing **7.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00 *New.*** My Feet Are Killing Me **10.00 *New.*** The Bad Skin Clinic **11.00** Ghost Adventures **12 midnight** The Osbournes Want to Believe **1.00am** Ghost Adventures **2.00** Shopping **4.00–6.00am** as 2pm

Really Freeview 17 Freesat 160 Sky 142 Virgin 128

Sky Arts 11

Landscape Artist of the Year *8.00pm* Stephen and Joan are back

6.00am Mario Lanza: the Best of Everything (AD) **7.45** Pavarotti: a Voice for the Ages **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **10.00** Alfred Hitchcock Presents **11.00** Discovering: Sissy Spacek **12 noon** World War II and Cinema **1.00pm** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **2.00** Wordsworth and Coleridge Road Trip with Frank Skinner and Denise Mina **3.00** Portrait Artist of the Year 2022 (AD) **4.00** Discovering: Alan Rickman: the actor's career **5.00** Tales of the Unexpected (AD)

6.00pm Alfred Hitchcock Presents A woman sees the chance for her dream to come true when she witnesses a murder.

6.30 A Scotland Yard inspector devises a unique ruse in order to capture a killer.

7.00 Portrait Artist of the Year 2014 The first heat of the contest to find the UK's most talented portrait artist.

8.00 RT CHOICE *New series.* Landscape Artist of the Year *1/8.* Joan Bakewell and Stephen Mangan return with the contest, heading to Blackpool's North Pier. **See p80.**

9.00 *New.* Sound of Freedom The hymns of the US civil rights movement.

10.15 The Lost Leonardo The story of the *Salvator Mundi*, the first Leonardo da Vinci painting to be discovered for over a century, which has now seemingly vanished. (AD)

12.05am The Eighties (AD) **1.05** My View: Clem Burke **2.05** Rosamund Pike: Off Camera **3.25** Hymn **5.00** Music Icons: Folk around the World **5.30–6.00am** Video Killed the Radio Star

Sky Arts Freeview 11 Freesat 147 Sky 130 Virgin 165/HD 140 BT 350/HD 365

4seven 49

9.00am Come Dine with Me: dinner parties in Newcastle (AD) **11.30** A Place in the Sun

1.30pm A New Life in the Sun **2.30** Come Dine with Me (AD) **5.00** A Place in the Sun

6.00pm A New Life in the Sun A B&B owner in Spain installs an aircon system. Shown 4pm C4

7.00 A Place in the Sun A pub landlady seeks a home on the Costa Dorada.

7.45 The Great Pottery Throw Down *Ep 1* Siobhán McSweeney hosts, with this year's contenders making a birthday tea set. **See choice, page 51.** Shown Sunday 7.45pm C4 (AD)

9.00 24 Hours in A&E A 56-year-old woman is rushed to St George's with an open ankle fracture after falling in her garden. (AD)

10.00 Keith arrives with a fast heart rate and, as staff urgently try to bring it down, his wife talks about raising deaf children. **See choice, p70.** Shown yesterday 9pm C4 (AD)

11.05 Belfast Midwives *2/5.* Eddie is proud stepdad to Natalie's nine-year-old daughter, but this is their first child together – conceived through IVF. How will they cope with Natalie's long labour? **See choice, page 71.** Shown yesterday 10pm Channel 4 (SL) (AD)

12.10am 999: on the Front Line **1.15** The Kardashians: a Billion Dollar Dynasty (AD) **3.20** The Light in the Hall **4.15–5.25am** Food Unwrapped

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Quest 12

6.00am How Do They Do It? **6.25** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **7.10** The Repair Shop **8.00** American Pickers **10.00** Chasing Classic Cars (AD) **11.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars (AD) **12 noon** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **1.00pm** The Repair Shop **2.00** The Restoration Man **3.00** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **4.00** Salvage Hunters **5.00** Salvage Hunters: the Restorers (AD) **6.00** Wheeler Dealers **7.00** Aussie Gold Hunters **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00 *New.*** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars **10.00 *New.*** The Yorkshire Auction House **11.00** How Do They Do It? **12 midnight** Wheeler Dealers **1.00am** Cornwall Air 999 **2.00** as 11am **3.00** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **4.00–5.00am** How It's Made

Quest Freeview 12 Freesat 172/HD 167 Sky 144 Virgin 169 +1 Freeview 70 Freesat 168 Sky 244 Virgin 213

Yesterday 27

Australia with Julia Bradbury *8.00pm* Sydney Harbour and Opera House

6.00am History Hunters **8.00** Abandoned Engineering (AD) **9.00** Secret Nazi Bases **10.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler (AD) **11.00** Fred Dibnah's Age of Steam

12 noon Great British Railway Journeys **1.00pm** Great British Railway Journeys Goes to Ireland **1.30** Great British Railway Journeys **2.00** Bangers and Cash (AD) **4.00** Secret Nazi Bases **5.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler: a look at the buildings that helped with D-Day and Operation Overlord (AD)

6.00pm Great British Railway Journeys Goes to Ireland Ballina to Westport in Co Mayo.

6.30 Great British Railway Journeys Train journeys through Edwardian Britain.

7.00 Fred Dibnah's Age of Steam The development of the steamship.

7.30 The invention of the steam turbine.

8.00 Australia with Julia Bradbury The presenter explores the continent.

9.00 Billy Connolly's Great American Trail The comedian journeys across the US.

10.00 Bangers and Cash Dave and Jack pick up an Alfa Romeo and a 1930s Jowett. (AD)

11.00 Abandoned Engineering (AD)

12 midnight Great British Railway Journeys **1.00–3.00am** History Hunters

Yesterday Freeview 27 Freesat 159 Sky 155 Virgin 129 +1 Freeview 75 Sky 255 Virgin 217

Dave 19

7.10am Modern Wheels or Classic Steals **8.00** Fast Justice **10.00** Rick Stein's Far Eastern Odyssey (AD) **11.00** Rick Stein: from Venice to Istanbul: the chef arrives in Istanbul (AD)

12 noon The Force: behind the Line **1.00pm** Border Force: America's Gatekeepers (AD) **2.00** Top Gear (AD) **4.00** QI XL **5.00** Taskmaster

7.00pm Richard Osman's House of Games With guests David Baddiel, Alex Brooker, Sophie Duker and Charlotte Hawkins.

7.40 Would I Lie to You? The Unseen Bits Extra material from the panel show.

8.20 QI Sandi Toksvig hosts a festive edition of the quiz, with guests Bonnie Langford, Joe Lycett and Sally Phillips joining Alan Davies.

9.00 QI XL Phill Jupitus, Cally Beaton and Rhod Gilbert join Alan Davies and host Sandi Toksvig for a look at a potpourri of topics.

10.00 Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You Extended edition from November 2018, hosted by Jennifer Saunders.

11.00 Taskmaster *8/10* *Series 6.* Russell Howard uses ear wax to charm a lady.

12 midnight Mock the Week: guests include Rob Beckett **12.40am** Would I Lie to You? **1.20** QI **2.00** Richard Osman's House of Games **2.30** Famalam **2.55–4.00am** Modern Wheels or Classic Steals

Dave F'view 19 F'sat 157 Sky 111 (Wales 112) Virgin HD 127 **Dave Ja Vu** Freeview 74 Sky 211 (Wales 212) Virgin 131

London Live 8

6.00am Dork Hunters from Outer Space **6.30** Kong: the Animated Series **7.00** Roswell Conspiracies **7.30** Extreme Dinosaurs **8.00** Stone Age **8.30** Skysurfer Strike Force **9.00** Department S **10.00** The Baron **11.00** Carluccio's 6 Seasons **11.30** After Henry **12 noon** Skies above Britain

1.00pm FILM The Bromley Boys ★★★ Coming-of-age comedy **3.00** The Wipers Times **4.50** London Districts **5.00** The Chiffy Kids **6.00** London Live News **7.00** Shine On Harvey Moon **8.00** Top Tens of Warfare **9.00** The Hidden City **9.30 FILM** Albatross ★★★ **11.20 FILM** Assassin ★★

1.00am FILM Bloody Mama ★★★ **2.45** The Comic Strip Presents... South Atlantic Raiders **3.30** News Rewind **5.00–6.00am** Talking Points

London Live Freeview 8 Sky 117 Virgin HD 159

Other regional stations are available on Freeview 7 or 8 around the country

5 USA 21

9.00am Murder, She Wrote **10.00** NCIS (AD) **2.55pm** Entertainment News **3.00** Law & Order **5.00** NCIS *Series 10.* Four episodes. The team identifies a killer as a Swedish mercenary **6.00** A marine lance corporal is involved in a fatal car crash **7.00** The team tries to stop a terrorist unleashing the Ebola virus **8.00** Vance discovers a key to a safety deposit box in his late wife's effects (AD) **9.00** Criminal Minds *Series 5.* The BAU profiles a child abductor, then the agents try to catch a serial killer in New Mexico **11.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit *Series 19.* Four episodes

2.50am The Blacklist **3.35–4.00am** Criminals: Caught on Camera: in Huntingdon and Chester

5 USA Freeview 21 Freesat 129 Sky 141 Virgin 153 +1 Freesat 130 Sky 241 Virgin 185

5 Star 32

8.00am Entertainment News **8.10** Rich Kids Go Skint **9.00** Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun **10.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law **11.00** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords **12 noon** Traffic Cops

2.00pm Police Interceptors **5.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law

6.00pm Home and Away Leah and Justin check in on Alf. Shown Tue 6.30pm 5 Star (AD)

6.30 *New.* Remi cannot bear watching Bree and Jacob playing the happy couple in public. Repeated tomorrow 1.45pm C5 (AD)

7.00 GPs: behind Closed Doors A woman suffering from an ectopic pregnancy. (AD)

8.00 Car Pound Cops: Give Me My Car Back! The work of vehicle recovery crews.

9.00 FILM Beverly Hills Cop ★★★★ Comedy starring Eddie Murphy. **Review p87.**

11.20 FILM The Naked Gun 2½: the Smell of Fear ★★★★ Comedy starring Leslie Nielsen and Priscilla Presley. **Review p87.**

1.00am Skin A&E: treatment for a lipoma **2.00** GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **3.00** It's Your Fault I'm Fat **3.55–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Star Freeview 32 Freesat 131 Sky 128 Virgin 151 +1 Freesat 141 Sky 228 Virgin 186

5 Action 33

9.00am Entertainment News **9.15** Extreme Winter Road Rescue **9.50** Trucking Hell **10.45 FILM** The Hallelujah Trail ★★★

1.40pm FILM Guns at Batasi ★★★★ (BW) **3.55** Trucking Hell **4.55** Winter Road Rescue **5.30** Winter Road Rescue

6.00pm Police Interceptors A motorist causes chaos after crashing into a gas main.

7.00 Sgt Carlin uncovers a major operation.

8.00 Dan Brigginshaw is on duty at Spalding's annual flower show.

9.00 FILM Hercules ★★★ Adventure starring Dwayne Johnson. Having completed his 12 labours, Hercules and his five mercenary companions are hired by the King of Thrace to topple a tyrannical warlord.

11.00 FILM Maximum Risk ★★ Action thriller starring Jean-Claude Van Damme. On a mission to hunt down his twin brother's murderers, a French cop uncovers corruption involving the Russian mafia and the FBI.

1.00am Police Interceptors Unleashed: with Vinnie Jones **2.00** 999: Criminals Caught on Camera **3.00** Car Crash TV **4.00** Airport 24/7: Thailand (AD) **4.50–5.00am** Entertainment News

5 Action F'view 33 F'sat 132 Sky 150 Virgin 187/HD 150

5 Select 56

9.00am GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **10.00** The Yorkshire Vet **12 noon** The Highland Vet **1.00pm** GPs: behind Closed Doors **3.00** The Yorkshire Vet **5.00** The Highland Vet

6.00pm Walking Tudor England Parts of East Anglia associated with Queen Mary.

7.00 Dunkirk: Mission Impossible The evacuation of Allied soldiers in 1940.

8.00 The beginning of the evacuation.

9.00 The battle to keep German forces back.

10.00 Ancient Mysteries: Egypt's Secret Tomb: Revealed The discovery of an ancient Egyptian tomb in the Valley of the Kings.

11.00 *New.* Forged in Fire Four of the top smiths from around the world compete in an international championship.

12 midnight *New.* Forged in Fire: two further editions **1.45am** Walking Britain's Lost Railways **2.45–4.00am** The Yorkshire Vet

5 Select F'view (HD only) 56 F'sat 133 Sky 153 Virgin 152

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WEDNESDAY Freeview & films

W 25

DIY SOS: The Big Build
8.00pm Nick meets Paul

6.15am Top Chef (S) (HD) **7.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes (S) (HD) **8.00** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **10.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (S) (HD) **12 noon** MasterChef USA (HD) **1.00pm** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **4.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (S) (HD) **5.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes: double bill (S) (HD)

7.00pm *New.* MasterChef USA The contestants create a fusion dish combining Southern cuisine with an international food. (HD)

8.00 DIY SOS: the Big Build Renovating a home that has been the site of two tragedies. (S) (HD)

9.20 Multiple Birth Wards A couple's second set of twins. (HD)

10.20 Alex Jones: Making Babies Presenter Alex Jones starts her training as a fertility assistant at King's Fertility, London. (AD) (HD)

11.20 Children's Ward Inside Wrexham Maelor Hospital. (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Nurses on the Ward (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00–3.00am** Tipping Point: double bill (S) (HD)

W **F'view** 25 **F'sat** 156 **Sky** 132 **Virgin HD** 125 **+1** **Sky** 232 **Virgin** 190

Pick 36

7.00am Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **8.00** Motorway Patrol **9.00** UK Border Force (AD) **10.00** Nothing to Declare **11.00** Highway Patrol (AD) **12 noon** Highway Cops (AD) **1.00pm** Border Patrol **2.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **3.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **4.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **5.00** Warehouse 13 **6.00pm** The Librarians **7.00** Caught Red Handed **8.10** Nothing to Declare **9.00** Agatha Raisin: a body is found on the morning of James's wedding (AD) **10.50** Britain's Most Evil Killers: the case of Ian Huntley **11.55** Murders That Shocked the Nation (AD) **1.00am** Britcam: Emergency on Our Streets (AD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare: double bill (AD) **3.00** Border Patrol: double bill **4.00** Motorway Patrol **5.00–6.00am** Highway Cops (AD)

Pick **F'view** 36 **F'sat** 144 **Sky** 151 **Virgin** 156

HGTV 44

7.00am Building Off the Grid **8.00** Love Your Garden **9.00** A Place in the Sun **10.00** Escape to the Country **12 noon** My Lottery Dream Home **1.00pm** 100 Day Dream Home (AD) **2.00** Unsellable Houses **3.00** Love Your Garden **4.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **5.00** Building Off the Grid **6.00** A Place in the Sun **7.00** Escape to the Country **9.00** My Lottery Dream Home **10.00 *New.*** Good Bones: transforming a basketball player's mansion. **11.00** 100 Day Dream Home (AD) **12 midnight** Escape to the Country **1.00am** Building Off the Grid **2.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **3.00–4.00am** My Lottery Dream Home

HGTV **F'view** 44 **F'sat** 166 **Sky** 158 **Virgin** 286 **+1** **Sky** 258 **Virgin** 290

FREEVIEW channels continued from overleaf

Food Network 43

Restaurant: Impossible
11.00pm Robert gets to work

6.00am Trisha's Southern Kitchen (HD) **7.00** The Pioneer Woman (S) (HD) **8.00 *New.*** Girl Meets Farm (HD) **9.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** The Hairy Bikers' Chicken and Egg (S) (HD) **11.00** Rachel Allen: Bake! (S) **12 noon** Bake Off: the Professionals (HD) **2.00pm** James Martin's Champagne (S) **3.00** River Cottage: Winter's on the Way **4.00** The Pioneer Woman (S) (HD) **5.00** Barefoot Contessa: back to Basics (HD) **6.00** Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea (S) **7.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) **8.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food: Ainsley Harriott makes a selection of dishes out of tasty vegetables (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The Hairy Bikers' Chicken and Egg: the duo set out to find the most delicious chicken and egg recipes in the world (S) (HD) **10.00** Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea (S) **11.00** Restaurant: Impossible: Robert ambushes Tasso, the owner of newly established bistro in Pennsylvania (HD) **12 midnight *New.*** Guy's Grocery Games (HD) **1.00am** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **2.00–3.00am** Tom Kerridge Barbecues: double bill (S) (HD)

Food Network **Freeview** 43 **Freesat** 148 **Sky** 140 **Virgin** 285

Great TV 50

6.00am Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **8.00** Highway to Heaven **10.00 FILM** Danielle Steel's Vanished ★★ Melodrama **11.50** Great! Movie News Extra **12 noon** Castle **1.00pm** Body of Proof **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **5.00** Murder, She Wrote **7.00** M*A*S*H **9.00** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased): Jeannie receives a shock **10.00** The Persuaders! **11.00** Return of the Saint **12 midnight** M*A*S*H: four episodes **2.00am** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased) **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **4.30–6.00am** Highway to Heaven

Great TV **Freeview** 50 *(limited)* **Freesat** 142 **Sky** 157 **Virgin** 189 **+1** **Freesat** 143 **Sky** 257

RealityXtra 68

9.00am Perry Mason **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** The Fugitive **1.05pm** JAG: double bill **3.00** Perry Mason: double bill **5.00** The Fugitive: Kimble and a young woman are taken hostage **6.00** Matlock: Leanne and Matlock put aside their differences and work together to help clear a murder suspect **7.00** Judge Judy **1.00am** Matlock **2.00** The Fugitive **3.00** Evidence of Evil: double bill **5.00–6.00am** Medical Detectives

RealityXtra **Freeview** 68 **Freesat** 134 **Sky** 147 **Virgin** 197

BBC Parliament 232

6.00am House of Lords: recorded coverage **7.30** Justice Questions **8.30** House of Commons **9.30** Live Select Committees **11.30** Live Scotland Questions: debate from the chamber **12 noon** Live Prime Minister's Questions **12.35pm** Live House of Commons **7.30** Live House of Lords **10.00** Prime Minister's Questions **10.35** Lords Questions **11.15–6.00am** House of Lords: recorded coverage

BBC Parliament **Freeview** 232 **Freesat** 201 **Sky** 504 **Virgin** 605

PBS America 84

Mutant Weather *6.25pm*
Tornado chasers hit the road

8.00am Beautiful Serengeti **8.30** Mutant Weather **9.30** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **10.35** KGB: the Sword and the Shield **11.45** Jazz (S) **1.00pm** Hidden Algeria **2.05** Mutant Weather **3.00** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **4.00** KGB: the Sword and the Shield **5.15** Jazz (S)

6.25pm Mutant Weather *7/10* How global warming is making tornados more deadly.

7.25 The Last Voices of World War One *3/6.* Recollections from nurses and the injured. (S)

8.30 KGB: the Sword and the Shield *3/3.* A look at the supreme authority of the Kremlin under President Putin's rule.

9.40 Jazz *7/12.* Dizzy Gillespie and Charlie Parker's performances of a new style in a Harlem club. (S)

10.55 KGB: the Sword and the Shield As 8.30pm.

12 midnight The Last Voices of World War One (S) **1.05–2.00am** Beautiful Serengeti

PBS America **F'view** 84 (1pm-12 midnight only) **Freesat** 155 **Sky** 174 **Virgin** 273

Blaze 64

6.00am Hardcore Pawn **7.45** Nature Gone Wild **8.40** Ancient Aliens **10.40** Storage Wars Canada **11.10** Storage Wars **12.10pm** Pawn Stars **2.05** Hardcore Pawn **4.00** Ancient Aliens **6.00** Nature Gone Wild **7.00 *New.*** Storage Wars: double bill. Brandi and Jarrod find themselves at the same auction, then the King of Montebello cannot wait to see what he can drum up this time around **8.00** Dickinson's Real Deal **9.00 *New.*** The UnXplained with William Shatner: double bill. Manmade structures, then some rumours, legends and eyewitness accounts of Bigfoot **11.00** Uncharted Mysteries **12 midnight** Paranormal: Caught on Camera **1.00am** Wicked Tuna **2.00** Swamp People **3.00** Dickinson's Real Deal **3.45** Storage Wars Canada **4.10–6.00am** Pawn Stars

Blaze **F'view** 64 **F'sat** 162 **Sky** 164 **Virgin** 199

Challenge 48

7.00am The Chase **10.00** Supermarket Sweep **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right (AD) **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune: double bill (AD) **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **3.00** Play Your Cards Right (AD) **4.00** Bruce's Price Is Right **5.00** Bullseye **7.00pm** Pointless Celebrities: with sitcom stars Kerry Howard, Neil Stuke, Robert Duncan, Susannah Doyle, Brigit Forsyth, James Baxter, Simon Greenall and Pauline McLynn **8.00** The Chase: double bill of the quiz show, hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?: a classic episode of the award-winning quiz show presented by Chris Tarrant **11.00** Bullseye: double bill of the quiz **12 midnight** The Chase: four edition **4.00am** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **5.00–6.00am** Bullseye

Challenge **Freeview** 48 **Freesat** 146 **Sky** 145 **Virgin** 160

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

5.35am Peppa Pig **5.40** Paw Patrol **5.50** Pip and Posy **6.00** Peppa Pig **6.10** The Secret Life of Puppies **6.15** Blue's Clues & You **6.40** Oggy Oggy **6.45** Odo **6.55** Fireman Sam **7.05** Thomas & Friends **7.15** Kangaroo Beach **7.25** Peppa Pig **7.45** Paw Patrol **7.55** Pip and Posy **8.25** Milo **8.35** Paw Patrol **8.45 *New.*** Daisy & Ollie **8.55** Pip and Posy **9.05–9.15am** Peppa Pig

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CBeebies 202

6.00am Raa Raa **6.10** Bing **6.20** Teletubbies **6.35** School of Roars **6.40** Chuggington **6.50** Bing **7.00** Colourblocks **7.05** Hey Duggee **7.20** Bluey; My Petsaurus **7.40** Go Jetters **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.05** Octonauts **8.15** Numberblocks **8.20** Love Monster **8.30** Popcast **8.35** Justin's House **8.55** Dipdap **9.00** Bing **9.10** Yakka Dee! **9.15 *New.*** Messy Goes to OKIDO **9.25** Colourblocks **9.30** Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.10** Teletubbies **10.20** The Toddler Club **10.35** Small Potatoes **10.40** Hey Duggee **10.50** Roots and Fruits **10.55** BOT and the Beasties **11.00** Bluey **11.10** Let's Go for a Walk **11.20** School of Roars **11.30** Teeny Tiny Creatures **11.45** Our Family **11.55** What's On Your Head? **12 noon** Big Cook Little Cook **12.20pm** Woolly & Tig **12.25** Waffle the Wonder Dog **12.40** Tee and Mo **12.45** Pablo **1.00** Yakka Dee! **1.05** Numberblocks **1.10** Alphablocks **1.20** Dog Loves Books **1.25** Hey Duggee **1.35** Love Monster **1.40** Let's Dance **1.45** Something Special **2.10** Teletubbies **2.25** Bluey **2.30** Go Jetters; My Petsaurus **2.45** Do You Know? **3.00** Dog Squad **3.15** Swashbuckle **3.35** Hey Duggee **3.45** Peter Rabbit **3.55** Wild Adventures **4.10** Pinocchio and Friends **4.25** Bluey **4.40 *New.*** Supertato **4.50** Go Jetters **5.00** Apple Tree House **5.15** Waffle the Wonder Dog **5.25** Sarah & Duck **5.35** JoJo & Gran Gran **5.45** Moon and Me **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden… **6.50–7.00pm** Bedtime Stories

CBeebies **F'view** 202 **F'sat** 608 **Sky** 608 **Virgin** 702

CBBC 201

7.00am Shaun the Sheep **7.05** Danger Mouse **7.20** Dennis & Gnasher **7.30** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **7.45** Newsround **7.55** Ninja Express **8.10** Danny & Mick **8.20** Odd Squad **8.30** Horrible Histories **9.00** The Zoo **9.10** Deadly 60 **9.40** Out of This World **9.50** Art Ninja **10.15** Do Try This at Home **10.25** Horrible Histories **10.55** Shark Bites **11.00** Bitesize Daily **11.20** Celebrity Supply Teacher **11.30** Art Jam **11.45** Wild & Weird **12 noon** Danger Mouse **12.15pm** Oswaldo **12.25** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **12.35** Monster Loving Maniacs **12.45** Dennis & Gnasher **1.00** The Dengineers **1.55** Holly Hobbie **2.20** Lagging **2.45** One Zoo Three **3.05** Clipheads **3.20 *New.*** Best in the World **3.40** Danger Mouse **3.50** Shaun the Sheep **4.00** Ninja Express **4.10** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **4.25** Monster Loving Maniacs **4.35 *New.*** Pokémon **5.00** Odd Squad **5.10** We Bare Bears **5.25** Summer Camp Island **5.35 *New.*** Dragons: the Nine Realms **6.00** Silverpoint **6.25** The Real Jamie Johnson **6.35–7.00pm** The Next Step

CBBC **F'view** 201 **F'sat** 607 **Sky** 607 **Virgin** 701

CITV

6.00am Mission Employable **6.05** Robozuna **6.30** Hotel Transylvania **7.00** Mr Magoo **7.30** Lloyd of the Flies **7.45** Dave Spud **8.00** 50/50 Heroes **8.30** Scooby-Doo **9.55** Tata and Kuma **10.00** Teen Titans Go! **10.25** DC Super Hero Girls **10.50** Mr Bean **11.30** Dave Spud **12 noon** Mighty Mike **12.30pm** Spy School **1.00** Don't Unleash the Beast **1.30** Inspector Gadget **2.00** 50/50 Heroes **2.30** Hotel Transylvania **3.00** Craig of the Creek **3.30** Scooby-Doo **4.30** Mr Magoo **5.00** Lloyd of the Flies **5.15** Dave Spud **5.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **6.00pm** Teen Titans Go! **6.30** Inspector Gadget **7.00** Scooby-Doo **7.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **8.00** Mr Bean **8.30** Don't Unleash the Beast **8.55–9.00pm** Mission Employable

CITV **F'view** 203 **F'sat** 602 **Sky** 612 **Virgin** 734

FILMS

Film4 14

11.00am Arizona Raiders ★★ Routine western starring Audie Murphy as a convict who helps the Arizona Rangers round up the remainder of his gang. (1965) (S)

12.50pm Red Mountain ★★ Alan Ladd plays a rebel Confederate captain in this western. (1951) (S)

2.30 Ice Cold in Alex ★★★★ Memorable Second World War drama about an ambulance crew trying to cross the north African desert after the fall of Tobruk. **Review, right.** John Mills (1958, PG) (S) (AD)

5.10 The Wackiest Ship in the Army ★★ Misfiring wartime comedy in which a broken-down boat is used as a decoy. Jack Lemmon (1961, U) (S)

7.10pm Pitch Perfect 3 ★★ This final instalment in the *a cappella* choir saga fails to hit the high notes of the first two films. Anna Kendrick, Rebel Wilson (2017, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Star Trek ★★★★ The long-running sci-fi franchise is relaunched with this energetic and fun prequel. **Film of the Day, right.** Chris Pine (2009, 12) (S) (AD)

11.30 Den of Thieves ★★★ Gerard Butler plays a maverick detective who tails a daring gang of bank robbers in this well-mounted, if familiar, crime thriller. Pablo Schreiber (2018, 15) (S) (AD)

2.20–4.00am Pledge ★★★ A college initiation ceremony turns nasty for three nerdy friends in this lean frat-boy horror. Zachery Byrd (2018, 18) (S)

Film4 **Freeview** 14 **Freesat** 300 **Sky** 313 **Virgin** 428/HD 429 **+1** **F'view** 47 **F'sat** 301 **Sky** 314 **Virgin** 430

Talking Pictures TV 82

6.00am The Detectives TV crime drama starring Robert Taylor. **6.30 Charlie Chan at the Olympics** ★★ Fast-moving mystery. (1937, U) (S) **8.05 A Cry from the Streets** ★★★ Decent, heart-warming social drama, directed in quasi-documentary style by Lewis Gilbert. Max Bygraves (1957, PG) (S) **10.00 The Onedin Line** TV drama. (S) **11.00 The Night Has Eyes** ★★★ Mystery set on the Yorkshire moors, with James Mason as a reclusive composer. **Review, right.** (1942, PG) (S) **12.35pm Cloak without Dagger** ★★ Uncomfortable romantic mystery. Philip Friend (1955, U) (S) **2.00 Upstairs, Downstairs** Vintage TV drama. **3.05 When the Legends Die** ★★★★ Superb, emotionally complex western starring Richard Widmark. (1972, PG) (S) **5.15 Dick Powell's Zane Grey Theatre** Western anthology television series. (S) **5.50 Behemoth, the Sea Monster** ★★★ Evocative sci-fi tale with special effects from *King Kong* creator Willis O'Brien. Gene Evans (1959, PG) **7.30pm Time to Remember** A look back at footage from 1922. **8.00 Gideon's Way** TV drama. **9.00 Absence of Malice** ★★★ Worthy, well-acted drama about manipulation of the media. **Review, right.** Paul Newman, Sally Field (1981, PG) (S) **11.15 Waking the Dead** Feature-length TV pilot of the crime drama. **1.20am Beat Girl** ★★ This raucous juvenile-delinquency romp has a groovy soundtrack. David Farrar, Noelle Adam (1960, 12) **3.05 Keep on Burning** TV documentary about the Northern Soul scene. **5.05–6.00am The London Nobody Knows** ★★★★ Fascinating documentary exploring London's stranger corners before they were changed by redevelopment in the late 1960s. (1967, U) (S)

Talking Pictures TV **Freeview** 82 **Freesat** 306 **Sky** 328 **Virgin** 445

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Sky Premiere

6.05am Der Kaiser As 9.55pm **7.45 Operation Mincemeat** As 5.45pm **10.05 Aisha** ★★★★ Sincere drama starring Letitia Wright and Josh O'Connor. (2022, 12) **11.55 The Last Son** As 8pm **1.50pm Hounded** ★★ British survival horror. Samantha Bond (2022, 15) **3.35 Downton Abbey: a New Era** ★★★★ Beautifully tailored second outing for the Crawley clan. Hugh Bonneville, Elizabeth McGovern (2022, PG) **5.45pm Operation Mincemeat** ★★★★ Captivating re-enactment of a bizarre wartime mission. **Review p38.** Colin Firth (2022, 12) **8.00 The Last Son** ★★ Promising but lethargic western starring Sam Worthington. (2021, 15) **9.55 Der Kaiser** ★★★ Biopic of influential footballer Franz Beckenbauer. Klaus Steinbacher (2022) **11.40 Crimes of the Future** ★★★★ David Cronenberg's wonderfully weird sci-fi horror set in a near future. **Review p38.** (2022, 18) **1.30am Hounded** As 1.50pm **3.10 Downton Abbey: a New Era** As 3.35pm **5.15** Sky Cinema Preview

Sky Premiere Sky 301 **Virgin** 401 **BT** 501/**HD** 515 **+1 Sky** 312

Great Movies 34

9.00am Past Obsessions ★★ Made-for-TV thriller. (2011) **11.00 The Terrorist Next Door** ★★ Drama. (2008) **1.00pm Escaping Dad** ★★ *Sleeping with the Enemy*-style thriller. Sunny Mabrey (2017) **3.00 Killer Cover Up** ★★ Lurid made-for-TV mystery thriller. René Ashton (2021) **4.50 Malachi's Cove** ★★ Attractive children's period adventure. Donald Pleasence (1973, U) **6.40pm Hitch** ★★★ Will Smith brings easy charm to this flimsy but fun comedy. Eva Mendes (2005, 12) **9.00 Alpha Dog** ★★★ A kidnapping goes tragically awry in this rambling but compelling crime drama. Emile Hirsch, Justin Timberlake (2006, 15) **11.20 The Hatton Garden Job** ★★★ A gang of old lags plans a diamond heist in this spirited take on the real-life robbery. (2016, 15) **1.15am The Exception** ★★ Tepid hybrid of romance, wartime spy drama and fanciful political fable. Lily James (2016, 15) **3.25–6.00am Eat Pray Love** ★★ Sumptuously filmed guide to living well. Julia Roberts (2010, 15)

Great Movies Freeview 34 **Freesat** 302 **Sky** 321 **Virgin** 425 **+1 Freeview** 61 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **Sky** 322

Great Romance 52

6.00am Love Afloat ★★ Sweet romcom. Alanna Smith (2022) **7.45 A Love to Remember** ★★ Farcical romance. (2021) **9.30 Cupid** ★★ Comedy. Joely Fisher (2012) **11.15 A Wish Come True** ★★ Romantic comedy. (2015) **1.00pm Frozen in Love** ★★ Romance. (2018) **2.45 All for Love** ★★ Soul-sucking romcom. (2016) **4.30 Blueprint to the Heart** ★★ Dreary romance. (2020) **6.15pm The Beauty of Love** ★★ An online lifestyle guru teams up with a younger influencer. (2021) **8.00 I Do, I Do, I Do** ★★ Romcom with a touch of *Groundhog Day*. (2015) **10.00 Harvest Moon** ★★ A woman tries to help her family by fixing up their pumpkin farm. Jesse Hutch (2015, U) **11.45 Meet Me in New York** ★★ Breezy romance. Brooke Nevin (2022) **1.30am Flip That Romance** ★★ Romance. (2019) **3.00 Valentine Ever After** ★★ So-so romcom. (2016) **4.30–6.00am The Song to My Heart** ★★ Romantic drama. (2022)

Great Romance Freeview 52 *(limited)* **Freesat** 303 **Sky** 319 **Virgin** 424 **+1 F'view** 63 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **F'sat** 304 **Sky** 320

TCM Movies

6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **6.35** Off Set **7.15** The Man from UNCLE **9.30 Sierra Passage** ★★★ Watchable B-western about a boy raised to be a sharpshooter in a travelling show. Wayne Morris (1950) **11.15** The Man from UNCLE **1.30pm Beau Brummell** ★★★ Stewart Granger stars in this historical drama. **Review, right.** (1954, U) **3.50 The Bounty Hunter** ★★★ Satisfying western about three bank robbers who have disguised themselves as respectable townsfolk. Randolph Scott (1954, PG) **5.30 Fort Worth** ★★ Randolph Scott makes an unlikely newspaper editor in this watchable if rather predictable western. (1951, U) **7.15pm Rails into Laramie** ★★ Routine railroad western. (1954, U) **9.00 Unlocked** ★★ Loud, brash thriller starring Noomi Rapace. (2017, 15) **11.05 National Lampoon's European Vacation** ★★★ Endearing comedy starring Chevy Chase. Beverly D'Angelo (1985, 15) **1.00am** To be announced **3.15** Off Set **3.30** Close Up **5.00** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM Movies Sky 315 **Virgin** 415/**HD** 416 **+1 Sky** 316 **Virgin** 417

Great Movies Action 42

6.00am M*A*S*H **7.10 Hijack** ★★ Routine action thriller. Jeff Fahey (1999) **9.00 Mind Blown** ★★ Low-budget *X-Men* clone. Luke Goss (2016) **10.50** The War in the Air **12 noon** M*A*S*H **1.00pm Apache Ambush** ★★★ Decent low-budget western. Bill Williams (1955, PG) **2.25 The Last Posse** ★★ Unusual but tiresome western. Broderick Crawford (1953, U) **3.55** The Blitz on the Midlands **5.10 Women of Valor** ★★ War drama. (1986, 12) **7.15pm Earthstorm** ★ Cliché-ridden disaster movie. (2006) **9.00 Harrigan** ★★ Muddled drama set in north-east England in the 1970s. Stephen Tompkinson (2013, 15) **10.55 Braven** ★★★ Jason Momoa stars in this tough action film, playing a logger who goes up against vengeful drug dealers. (2018, 15) **12.45am Prison Riot** ★★ Violent action movie. Dolph Lundgren (2015, 18) **2.30–4.00am Operation Dames** ★★ Uneven wartime romance. Eve Meyer, Chuck Henderson (1959, PG)

Great Movies Action Freeview 42 *(limited)* **F'sat** 305 **Sky** 323 **Virgin** 426 **+1 Sky** 324

Legend 41

8.00am Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** Mutant X **10.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **11.00 San Andreas Mega Quake** ★ Cheap and cheesy disaster movie. (2019) **1.00pm Meteor Apocalypse** ★★ Disaster thriller. (2010) **3.00 Avalon: beyond the Abyss** ★★ Low-budget disaster thriller. Parker Stevenson (1999, PG) **5.00** Star Trek **6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation** TV sci-fi adventure. **7.00 Airwolf** TV drama. **8.00 Walker, Texas Ranger** TV action crime drama. **9.00 Cell** ★★★ A mysterious cellphone signal triggers global mayhem in this stylish sci-fi horror. John Cusack, Samuel L Jackson (2014, 15) **10.55 The Black Torment** ★★ Intriguing enough gothic horror about a lord who discovers he might be losing his mind. (1964, 12) **12.40am Jeepers Creepers** ★★★★ Riveting and imaginative horror about a brother and sister who disturb an ancient demon's lair. (2001, 15) **2.30–4.30am The Tall Man** ★★ Ambitious but muddled horror thriller. Jessica Biel (2012, 15)

Legend F'view 41 **F'sat** 137 **Sky** 148 **Virgin** 149

FILM REVIEWS

FILM OF THE DAY

Star Trek ★★★★ *9.00-11.30pm* ***Film4*** 12

SCI-FI With its big budget and top-flight special effects, JJ Abrams's franchise reboot is designed to snare a new audience while featuring enough in-jokes to satisfy the old guard. Set before the original TV series, it sees a young James T Kirk (Chris Pine) reluctantly attend Starfleet Academy and stow aboard the *Enterprise*. His relationship with Vulcan officer Spock (Zachary Quinto) gets off to a frosty start, but thaws in the grip of an epic battle with Romulan foe Nero (Eric Bana). Light relief is provided by Simon Pegg's offbeat Scotty and an already grumpy Dr McCoy (Karl Urban). **ANDREW COLLINS** (US/Ger 2009, some violence, swearing, HD)

The Night Has Eyes ★★★ *11.00am-12.35pm* ***Talking Pictures TV*** PG

THRILLER The saturnine side of James Mason's screen persona was exploited in this studio-bound melodrama, set on the Yorkshire moors. Mason plays a reclusive veteran of the Spanish Civil War who is subject to fits and could well be a threat to the female teachers taking refuge from a storm. Director Leslie Arliss develops the sinister atmosphere with some skill. **ALLEN EYLES** (UK 1942, BW)

Beau Brummell ★★★ *1.30-3.50pm* ***TCM*** U

PERIOD DRAMA Stewart Granger cuts a dashing figure here as the Regency fop whose life, loves and dress sense set tongues wagging. Faced with the exuberance of Robert Morley (as George III) and Peter Ustinov (deliciously affected as the Prince of Wales), Elizabeth Taylor seems a little daunted as Granger's love interest – and who could blame her? **DAVID PARKINSON** (US 1954, HD)

Ice Cold in Alex ★★★★ *2.30-5.10pm* ***Film4*** PG

ADVENTURE This is the film in which John Mills swigs the most famous glass of beer in movie history. And how well he's earned it, having steered clear of the bottle as well as Axis troops to bring an ambulance to safety after the fall of Tobruk in 1942. Sylvia Syms, Harry Andrews and Anthony Quayle's suspect South African are also along for the ride, and director J Lee Thompson keeps the action tense. **DP** (UK 1958, BW, HD)

Lara Croft: Tomb Raider ★★ *7.55-9.30pm* ***BBC3*** 12

ACTION Angelina Jolie makes a credible enough Lara Croft in this first movie outing for the daredevil adventurer. The story involves Lara's search for two halves of an ancient artefact, taking her to Cambodia and Siberia, but Simon West's direction does little to whip up the momentum. **AC** (US/Ger/UK/Jpn 2001, violence, swearing, HD)

Beverly Hills Cop ★★★★ *9.00-11.20pm* ***5 Star*** 15

COMEDY Eddie Murphy was propelled to megastardom off the back of this movie, playing the brash Detroit detective who ruffles feathers in posh Beverly Hills when he turns up to solve a murder. Murphy is in his wisecracking pomp and director Martin Brest orchestrates the set pieces with aplomb. Followed later tonight by the first sequel. **JOHN FERGUSON** (US 1984, violence, swearing, HD)

Absence of Malice ★★★ *9.00-11.15pm* ***Talking Pictures TV*** PG

DRAMA Miami reporter Sally Field defames honest businessman Paul Newman in this big-issue drama, new to Talking Pictures TV this week. Sydney Pollack's direction is well focused and the Oscar-nominated script makes all the right liberal noises. While the two leads give worthy turns, the standout performance is from Melinda Dillon as Newman's fretful alibi. **TOM HUTCHINSON** (US 1981, some violence, swearing)

The Accountant ★★ *10.40pm-12.40am* ***BBC1*** *(starts 11.10pm in N Ireland; 11.25pm in Wales)* 15

CRIME Ben Affleck stars as the number-cruncher who struggles with autism but miraculously becomes a Bourne-like hitman as soon as he whips off his glasses. This convoluted crime flick veers awkwardly between action, conspiracy tale and romance, but the classy cast (Anna Kendrick, JK Simmons, John Lithgow) is a major plus. **STELLA PAPAMICHAEL** (US 2016, violence, swearing, HD)

The Naked Gun 2½: the Smell of Fear ★★★★ *11.20pm-1.00am* ***5 Star*** 15

COMEDY This first sequel is a deliriously funny delight. The steadfastly stupid one-man wrecking ball that is Lt Frank Drebin (Leslie Nielsen) here blunders his way through an investigation involving shady businessmen. Many of the original cast (George Kennedy, Priscilla Presley, the now-notorious OJ Simpson) return, and the jokes come thick and fast. **ALAN JONES** (US 1991, swearing, nudity, HD)

Sky Cinema picks

Early Man ★★★★ *5.30-7.00pm* ***Sky Animation*** Aardman romp. (2018, PG) **Sky 305; Virgin 412; BT 500/514**

Cold Mountain ★★★ *8.00-10.40pm* ***Sky British Icons*** American Civil War epic. (2003, 15) **Sky 304; Virgin 404; BT 504/518**

Clerks ★★★★ *9.40-11.15pm* ***Sky Cinema Comedy*** Hilarious indie comedy. (1994, 18) **Sky 308; Virgin 408; BT 508/522**

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Sky Showcase

Hold the Front Page *9.00pm* Nish heads to West Sussex

6.00am The Early Rundown (HD) **7.00** Kay Burley (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (HD) **4.30** Futurama (S) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD)

6.30pm The Simpsons Homer discovers a talent for opera. **7.00** Marge's efforts to cure Maggie's clinginess bear fruit. **7.30** Marge is stalked by an escaped convict. (S) (HD)

8.00 ***New series.*** **Landscape Artist of the Year** *1/8 Series 8* Joan Bakewell and Stephen Mangan return with the contest. (HD)

9.00 ***New.*** **Hold the Front Page** *2/6.* Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe are in West Sussex. (HD)

10.00 Brassic *2/6 Series 1* The boys plan a heist. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 An Idiot Abroad *1/8 Series 1.* Karl Pilkington's world tour begins in China. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight The Force: North East (S) (HD) **1.00am** Road Wars (HD) **2.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** The Early Rundown (HD)

Sky Showcase **Sky** 106 **Virgin** 110/**HD** 109 **BT** 340/**HD** 355 **+1** **Sky** 206

Sky Sci-Fi

6.00am The Outpost **7.00** The Librarians **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Blood & Treasure **12 noon** Star Trek: the Next Generation **2.00pm** Warehouse 13 **3.00** The Librarians **4.00** Blood & Treasure **5.00** Stargate SG-1: Jack is stranded on an alien planet

6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation *24/26 Series 5.* An accident causes Geordi LaForge and Ro to become undetectable to everyone but each other. **7.00** *25/26.* Picard is stunned by a pulse of energy from a mysterious probe and finds himself living another man's life.

8.00 Merlin *7/13 Series 3.* Gwen is forced to choose between her estranged brother Elyan and the love of her life, Arthur – with one of them certain to die.

9.00 Evil Dead II ★★★★★ Horror comedy starring Bruce Campbell as Ash, whose romantic break in a cabin goes terrifyingly wrong when he accidentally unleashes an evil force that possesses his girlfriend.

11.00 Reginald the Vampire *Ep 1* Vampire comedy based on Johnny B Truant's *Fat Vampire* novel series. **12 midnight** *Ep 2.* Reginald learns how to feed and it doesn't go well.

1.00am Blood & Treasure **2.00** Wynonna Earp **3.00** Stargate SG-1 **4.00–6.00am** Star Trek: the Next Generation: doble bill

Sky Sci-Fi **Sky** 139 **Virgin** 139/**HD** 138 **BT** 348/**HD** 363 **+1** **Virgin** 229

Sky Atlantic

Devils *9.00pm* Massimo makes an interesting discovery

6.00am Storm City (S) (AD) **7.55** The Sopranos (S) **10.05** True Blood (S) **12.15pm** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) **1.20** True Detective (S) (AD) **3.35** The Sopranos: double bill (S)

5.45pm True Blood *7/10 Series 7* Sookie hopes for a miracle to save Bill, while Andy and Holly search for Adilyn and Wade. (S) **6.50** *8/10.* Sookie puts her life on the line for Bill, and Violet has revenge on her mind. Meanwhile, Eric weighs up his options and Lettie Mae finds closure. (S)

7.55 Game of Thrones *7/10 Series 1.* House Lannister prepares for conflict. Ned confronts Cersei about Jon Arryn's death. (S) (AD)

9.00 Devils *2/10 Series 1* Feeling betrayed and abandoned, Massimo devises a plan to create a scandal against NYL. (S) (AD)

10.05 Succession *10/10 Series 2* Logan weighs up whether a member of the family, or a top lieutenant, will be sacrificed. (S) (AD)

11.25 The Tunnel: Sabotage *4/8 Series 2.* Karl and Elise receive a tip-off from a woman they believe knows Robert Fournier's whereabouts. (S) (AD)

12.25am Britannia (S) (AD) **1.55** Boardwalk Empire (S) (AD) **3.00** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) **4.05–6.00am** Storm City (S) (AD)

Sky Atlantic **Sky** 108 (Wales 109) **BT** 342/**HD** 357 **+1** **Sky** 208 (Wales 209)

Sky Witness

6.00am The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Border Patrol (S) (HD) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (S) **11.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **12 noon** The Good Doctor (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Rookie (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Bull (S) (HD)

4.00pm Nothing to Declare Eight editions of the show following customs officers in Australia. (S)

8.00 Blue Bloods *3/16 Series 11* Frank struggles following a revelation about Joe Hill. Meanwhile, Danny and Jamie's opposing natures clash while solving a murder. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 New Amsterdam *10/13 Series 5.* Reynolds has a tough decision to make and Bloom takes a step forward with her sister. Max helps an intern with the loss of a patient and Wilder receives an offer she can't refuse. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 9-1-1 *1/18 Series 3* Athena enlists the 118's help when a teenager speeds out of control on the freeway. Meanwhile, a traffic stop uncovers a kidnapping. (S) (HD)

11.00 FBI *16/22 Series 4.* An ICE agent is fatally shot at an ICE vs DEA hockey game. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight FBI: Most Wanted: crime drama (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Criminal Minds (S) (HD) **3.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD) **4.00** Road Wars (S) **5.00–6.00am** Brit Cops: Frontline Crime UK (S) (HD)

Sky Witness **Sky** 107 **Virgin** 112/**HD** 111 **BT** 341/**HD** 356 **+1** **Sky** 207 **Virgin** 220

Sky Max

Brassic *10.00pm* A colossal fatberg causes a problem

6.00am Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Supergirl (S) (HD)

6.00pm NCIS: New Orleans *22/24 Series 2.* A 100-year-old restaurant belonging to a naval chef's family is bombed. (S) (HD) **7.00** *23/24.* A diver's death is linked to a possible US attack. (HD)

8.00 Flintoff: from Lord's to the Ring *1/3 Series 1.* Andrew Flintoff pursues a new career as a professional boxer. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 ***New.*** **Hold the Front Page** *2/6.* West Sussex beckons for Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe. (HD)

10.00 Brassic *2/6 Series 1.* The boys plan a heist. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 An Idiot Abroad *1/8 Series 1.* Karl Pilkington embarks on a world tour, beginning with a visit to China. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight The Force: North East (S) (HD) **1.00am** Road Wars (HD) **2.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Highway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Max **Sky** 113 (Wales 114) **Virgin** 122/**HD** 121 **BT** 346/**HD** 361

Sky Replay

7.00am 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry (S) **8.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Cooks to Market (S) (HD) **11.00** Road Wars (S) **12 noon** Highway Patrol (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **2.00** Merlin (S) (AD) **4.00** Manifest: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Most Haunted: double bill (S) **8.00** Road Wars (S) **9.00** A Discovery of Witches: Diana learns news that will change everything when she returns to London, while the Queen holds Matthew to account (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **11.00** Hold the Front Page (HD) **12 midnight** New Amsterdam (S) (HD) **1.00am** 911 Crisis Centre: double bill (S) (HD) **2.00** A League of Their Own (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry: double bill (S)

Sky Replay **Sky** 152 **Virgin** 180

Sky Crime

6.00am Highway Patrol (S) (AD) **7.00** Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) **8.00** Highway Cops (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Send in the Dogs (S) **12 noon** Murdered at First Sight (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Murders That Shocked the Nation (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **5.00** How I Caught the Killer (HD) **6.00** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **7.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **9.00** ***New.*** What the Killer Did Next (S) (HD) **10.00** How I Caught the Killer (S) (HD) **11.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **1.00am** Forensics: Catching the Killer (HD) **2.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** as 1pm **4.00** Brit Cops (S) (AD) **5.00–6.00am** as 7am (S) (HD)

Sky Crime **Sky** 122 **Virgin** 137/**HD** 136 **BT** 349/**HD** 364 **+1** **Sky** 222 **Virgin** 221

Gold

The Royle Family *9.20pm* How pressing is Jim's need?

7.10am Hold the Sunset (S) (AD) (HD) **8.15** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **8.50** My Hero (S) **9.30** Are You Being Served? (S) **10.10** Porridge (S) **10.45** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **12 noon** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **12.40pm** My Hero (S) **1.20** Dad's Army (S) **2.00** Porridge (S) **2.40** Are You Being Served? (S) **3.20** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **4.40** dinnerladies (S) (AD) **5.20** Keeping Up Appearances (S)

6.00pm Are You Being Served? Mrs Peacock suspects her husband is being unfaithful. (S)

6.40 Dad's Army (S)

8.00 dinnerladies The girls attend their work party. (S) (AD) **8.40** Bren runs the shift. (S) (AD)

9.20 The Royle Family Jim and Nana fight over who is going to use the toilet first. (S) (AD)

10.00 Not Going Out Lee gets a job as a caretaker. (S) (HD)

10.35 Live at the Apollo With Rhod Gilbert, Jon Richardson and Kerry Godliman. (S) (HD)

11.35 Absolutely Fabulous Patsy moves in with Edina. (S)

12.15am Absolutely Fabulous (S) **12.55** French and Saunders (S) **2.20** dinnerladies (S) (AD) **2.55** Not Going Out (S) (HD) **3.25–4.00am** Absolutely Fabulous (S)

Gold **Sky** 110 (Wales 111) **Virgin** 124 **BT** 344/**HD** 359 **+1** **Sky** 210 (Wales 211) **Virgin** 194

Sky Comedy

8.00am Will & Grace (HD) **9.00** Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD) **10.00** Entourage (S) (HD) **11.10** House of Lies (S) (HD) **12.30pm** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **1.30** A.P. Bio (S) (HD) **2.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **2.55** Pen15 (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (HD) **4.30** Futurama (S) **5.00** The Office US (S) (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **6.30** Futurama (S) (AD) **7.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** The Conners (HD) **8.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **9.00** Girls: double bill. An ex of Hannah's drops a bombshell, then her boss proves overly friendly (S) (AD) (HD) **10.10** Sex and the City (S) (HD) **11.15** ***New.*** The Late Late Show with James Corden (HD) **12.15am** ***New.*** The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon (HD) **1.15** Sex and the City (S) (HD) **2.15** Silicon Valley (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Futurama (S) (AD)

Sky Comedy **Sky** 114 (Wales 115) **Virgin** 135/**HD** 123 **BT** 347/**HD** 362

Comedy Central

8.00am My Wife and Kids (S) (HD) **9.00** The Middle (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **12 noon** Friends: eighteen episodes (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00pm** Live at the Apollo: the genial Michael McIntyre is at the west London venue to introduce two top acts from Britain's stand-up comedy circuit – Rich Hall and Rhod Gilbert (S) (HD) **10.00** Chris Ramsey Live: All Growed Up (S) (HD) **11.00** Channel Hopping with Jon Richardson (S) (HD) **12 midnight** The Ricky Gervais Show (S) (HD) **12.30am** South Park (S) (HD) **2.30** The Ren & Stimpy Show (S) **3.00** Beavis and Butt-Head **3.20** Fugget about It (S) **3.45** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **4.10–5.00am** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

Comedy Central **Sky** 112 (Wales 113) **Virgin** 181/**HD** 132 **BT** 345/**HD** 360 **+1** **Sky** 212 (Wales 213) **Virgin** 133

Alibi

CSI: Vegas *9.00pm* A ghost town throws up a mystery

7.10am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **9.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD) **11.00** Person of Interest (HD) **12 noon** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD)

6.00pm Without a Trace *5/24 Series 2.* Jack and the team search for a missing woman. (HD)

7.00 Person of Interest *8/23 Series 1.* A former secret agent embarks on a killing spree. (HD)

8.00 Death in Paradise *8/8 Series 1.* A murder brings to light a case of money-laundering – but it seems Richard will not be around to solve the mystery. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 ***New.*** **CSI: Vegas** *3/21* RT *Series 2.* A dead woman is discovered behind the wheel of an abandoned car in a Nevada ghost town. **See page 81.** (AD) (HD)

10.00 Clarice *3/13.* Clarice is determined to learn who hired the hitman responsible for the three River Murders. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Without a Trace As 6pm. **12 midnight** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.00–4.00am** Major Crimes (S) (HD)

Alibi **Sky** 109 (Wales 110) **Virgin** **HD** 126 **BT** 343/**HD** 358 **+1** **Sky** 209 (Wales 210) **Virgin** 191

Discovery

6.00am Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **7.00** Deadliest Catch (S) (HD) **8.00** Alaska: Homestead Rescue (S) (HD) **9.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** How Do They Do It? (S) (HD) **11.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **12 noon** Salvage Hunters (S) (AD) **1.00pm** Gold Rush (S) (HD) **3.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (HD) **4.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **5.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Salvage Hunters (S) (AD) **7.00** Diesel Brothers (S) (HD) **8.00** Outback Truckers (S) (HD) **9.00** ***New.*** The Dino Hunters: in Wyoming, Mike Harris and his team uncover a huge Triceratops (S) (HD) **10.00** ***New.*** Moonshiners (S) (HD) **11.00** Naked and Afraid (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) (HD) **1.00am** The Dino Hunters (S) (HD) **2.00** Moonshiners (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Wheeler Dealers (S) (AD) (HD)

Discovery **Sky** 125 **Virgin** 250 **BT** 320/**HD** 325 **+1** **Sky** 225 **Virgin** 258

Discovery History

6.00am Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **7.00** How the Universe Works (S) **8.00** HMS Ark Royal (S) (AD) **9.00** Combat Dealers: Reloaded (S) **10.00** Treasure Quest: Snake Island (S) **11.00** UFOs Over Phoenix **12 noon** Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **1.00pm** Expedition Unknown **2.00** Curse of the Bermuda Triangle (S) **3.00** Blowing Up History (S) **4.00** Mysteries at the Museum **5.00** HMS Ark Royal (S) (AD) **6.00** How the Universe Works (S) **7.00** Expedition Unknown **8.00** Combat Dealers: Reloaded (S) **9.00** Mysteries of the Missing (S) **10.00** How the Universe Works **11.00** UFOs Over Phoenix **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) **1.00am** as 8pm **2.00** as 10pm **3.00** Curse of the Bermuda Triangle (S) **4.00–5.00am** Blowing Up History (S)

Discovery History **Sky** 177 **Virgin** 257 **+1** **Sky** 277 **Virgin** 261

ALL PROGRAMMES ON THE ABOVE CHANNELS ARE REPEATS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen

Sky Documentaries

The Beatles: Eight Days a Week The Fab Four *11.20pm*

6.00am The Comedy Store (S) (AD) (HD) **7.05** Discovering: Bing Crosby (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** The Directors: Antoine Fuqua (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Kingdom of Dreams (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** The Lady and the Dale (S) (HD) **11.05** The Guest Wing (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** I Am MLK Jr (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **2.00pm** Say Hey, Willie Mays! (HD) **4.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Discovering: Bing Crosby: a profile of the singer and actor (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Kingdom of Dreams Rivalry between designers spills out of the boardrooms and onto the catwalks. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 The Lady and the Dale Liz goes on the run again – but she soon faces media scrutiny. (S) (HD)

8.05 The Guest Wing Following everyday life at Northumberland's Chillingham Castle. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Going Clear ★★★ Exploring the inner workings of the Church of Scientology, based on the book by Lawrence Wright. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

11.20 The Beatles: Eight Days a Week – the Touring Years ★★★★ A look at the band's 1962–66 tours. (S) (W) (HD)

1.30am Missile from the East (S) (AD) (W) (HD) **3.20** The Longest War (S) (W) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Discovering: Bing Crosby (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Documentaries **Sky** 121 **Virgin** 278/**HD** 277 **BT** 352/**HD** 367

Nat Geographic

8.00am Food Factory (S) (HD) **8.30** Money Meltdown (HD) **9.00** Nazi Megastructures (S) (HD) **10.00** WW2: Hell under the Sea (S) (HD) **11.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (S) (HD) **12 noon** Air Crash Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Wicked Tuna (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Drain the Oceans (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Lost Tombs of the Pyramids (HD) **4.00** The Truth behind... (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Lost Cities with Albert Lin (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** ***New series.*** Alaska: the Next Generation (HD) **9.00** America's Hardest Prisons (S) (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Wicked Tuna: North v South (S) (HD) **1.00am** Ice Road Rescue (HD) **2.00** Lords of War (HD) **2.30** Food Factory (S) (HD) **4.10** When Sharks Attack (HD) **4.35-5.00am** Prairie Dog Dynasty (HD)

Nat Geographic **Sky** 129 **Virgin** 266/**HD** 268 **+1** **Sky** 229 **Virgin** 267

Sky History

6.00am Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** Counting Cars (HD) **8.00** American Pickers (HD) **9.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **10.00** Mystery Places (HD) **11.00** Strangest Things (HD) **12 noon** The Proof Is Out There (HD) **1.00pm** What on Earth? (HD) **2.00** Curse of Skinwalker Ranch (HD) **3.00** Legends of the Pharaohs: Secrets of the Pyramid Builders (HD) **4.00** Counting Cars (HD) **5.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **6.00** American Pickers (HD) **7.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** Mountain Men (HD) **9.00** ***New.*** The Curse of Oak Island (HD) **11.00** Hitler's Mega Plane (HD) **12 midnight** Westall '66: a Suburban UFO Mystery (W) (HD) **1.00am** as 8pm **2.00** as 11am **3.00** as 11pm **4.00** as 1pm **5.00–6.00am** The Proof Is Out There: double bill (HD)

Sky History **Sky** 123 **Virgin** 270 **BT** 353/**HD** 368 **+1** **Sky** 223 **Virgin** 271

Sky Nature

Becoming Orangutan *8.00pm* Beni clearly enjoys his food

6.00am Battle of the Alphas (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **9.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **10.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **11.00** Equator (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** One Planet, One Chance (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Monkey Life (S) (HD) **2.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **5.00** Equator (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm One Planet, One Chance The palm oil industry and wild orangutans in Sumatra. (S) (HD)

7.00 Monkey Life Alison collects a female marmoset. (S) (HD) **7.30** Capuchin Matty needs a visit from the vet. (S) (HD)

8.00 Becoming Orangutan A bromance blossoms. (S) (HD)

9.00 Gangs of Baboon Falls The Victoria gang struggle with lots of new mouths to feed. (S) (HD)

10.00 One Planet, One Chance As 6pm.

11.00 Equator The dangers of living beneath the sun. (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Wild Latin America (S) (HD) **1.00am** Reef Wrecks (S) (HD) **2.00** Becoming Orangutan (S) (HD) **3.00** Gangs of Baboon Falls (S) (HD) **4.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD)

Sky Nature **Sky** 124 **Virgin** 280/**HD** 279 **BT** 354/**HD** 369

Eden

9.00am Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **10.00** Outback Vet (HD) **11.00** The Zoo (HD) **12 noon** Viking Dead (HD) **2.00pm** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **3.00** Fascinating New Zealand (AD) (HD) **5.00** Outback Vet (HD) **6.00** The Zoo: double bill. A giraffe's health takes a turn for the worse, then Helen travels to the Republic of the Congo (HD) **7.00** Viking Dead: a Viking ship discovered in 1904 (HD) **8.00** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **9.00** Fascinating New Zealand (AD) (HD) **10.00** The Zoo (HD) **11.00** Outback Vet (HD) **12 midnight** Viking Dead (HD) **1.00am** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **2.00** Outback Vet (HD) **3.00** The Zoo (HD) **3.50** Fascinating New Zealand (AD) (HD) **4.40** Viking Dead (HD) **5.30–6.00am** David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities (AD) (HD)

Eden **Sky** 166 **Virgin HD** 245 **+1** **Sky** 266 **Virgin** 246

Animal Planet

8.00am Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **9.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **10.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **11.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **12 noon** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **2.00** Crikey! It's the Irwins (HD) **4.00** Saved By the Barn (S) (HD) **5.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **6.00** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **7.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Into the Shark Bite **9.00** Return to the Isle of Jaws (S) (HD) **10.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **11.00** The Aquarium (S) (HD) **1.00am** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **2.00** Saved By the Barn (S) (HD) **3.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **4.00-5.00am** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD)

Animal Planet **Sky** 162 (NI 178) **Virgin** 251 **+1** **Sky** 262 (NI 278) **Virgin** 259

SPORT

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 **Virgin** 511/**HD** 501 **BT** 420/**HD** 440

6.00am Sky Sports News **7.00** Good Morning Sports Fans **8.00** Ashes Greats (AD) **8.10 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Brisbane Heat v Perth Scorchers, a T20 match from Brisbane Cricket Ground. **12 noon** Transfer Talk **1.00pm** Sky Sports News **3.30 LIVE SA20 Cricket** Durban Super Giants v Johannesburg Super Kings at Kingsmead Stadium. **7.30 LIVE League Cup Football** Coverage of a League Cup quarter-final (kick-off **8.00**). **11.00–6.00am** Sky Sports News

Sky Football

Sky 403 **Virgin** 513/**HD** 503 **BT** 422/**HD** 442

6.00am Classic Play-Off Finals (AD) **9.00** League Cup Highlights **9.30** EFL Greatest Games **10.00** Championship Retro: Aston Villa v Derby from 2019 **12 noon** German Football **1.00pm** League Cup Highlights **1.30** League One and Two Goals **2.00** Soccer AM **2.30** Best League Cup Goals (AD) **3.30** League Cup Highlights **4.00** German Football **5.00** EFL Greatest Games **5.30** SPFL Greatest Games **6.00** Scottish Premiership Highlights **6.30** League Cup Highlights **7.00 LIVE League Cup Football** Coverage of a League Cup quarter-final (kick-off **8.00**). **11.00** League Cup Highlights **11.30** Scottish Premiership Highlights **12 midnight** League Cup Retro **1.00am** Classic Play-Off Finals **4.00–6.00am** League Cup Retro

Sky Golf

Sky 405 **Virgin** 515/**HD** 505 **BT** 424/**HD** 444

6.00am PGA Tour Golf **11.00** How the 1995 Ryder Cup Was Won (AD) **1.00pm** PGA Tour Golf: Tournament of Champions **2.00** Rory's Review of 2022 **2.30** Uneven Fairways **3.25** Loopers: the Caddies Long Walk **4.50** Tiger Tales **5.45** 25 Years of Tiger **6.45** The Improvers (AD) **7.00** PGA Tour: the Cut **7.30** Chronicles **8.00** Junior Golf **9.00** PGA Tour: the Cut **9.30** Chronicles **10.00** How the 1995 Ryder Cup Was Won (AD) **12 midnight** PGA Tour: the Cut **12.30am** Chronicles **1.00** PGA Tour Golf **5.00–6.00am** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer: double bill (AD)

Sky NFL

Sky 407 **Virgin** 517/**HD** 507 **BT** 426/**HD** 446

6.00am NFL: America's Game (AD) **7.00** NFL Highlights **9.00** NFL Review Show **11.00** NFL Highlights **12 noon** Good Morning Football **3.00pm** NFL Highlights **4.00** NFL Review Show **6.00** Pro-Football Talk **8.00** NFL Bitesize **8.30** One Jets Drive **9.00** Jaguars Weekly UK **9.30** NFL Bitesize: double bill **10.00** NFL Highlights **11.00** NFL: Total Access **1.00am** Jaguars Weekly UK **1.30** One Jets Drive **2.00** Bitesize **3.00** NFL Review Show **5.00** Jaguars Weekly UK **5.30–6.00am** One Jets Drive

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 **Virgin** 521 **BT** 412/**HD** 435

6.00am Dakar Rally **7.00** Tennis **8.00 LIVE ATP Tennis** The third day of the Adelaide International at Memorial Drive Tennis Centre, featuring second-round matches. **10.00** Tennis: Roger's Last Dance **10.30** Snowboarding **12.55pm** Winter Sport: Mikaela Shiffrin's 100th World Cup Podium **1.00** Alpine Skiing **2.00** Ski Jumping **3.00** Tennis **4.00** Alpine Skiing **6.00** Ski Jumping **7.00** Tennis **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Alpine Skiing **10.00** Tennis **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Ski Jumping **1.00am** Tennis **2.00** Dakar Rally **3.00** Tennis **4.00–6.00am** Snooker: the Masters

League Cup Football *7.00pm* ***Sky Football*** The road to Wembley continues

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 **Virgin** 512/**HD** 502 **BT** 421/**HD** 441

6.00am Premier League Greatest Games **7.00** Legends (AD) **8.00** Best Goals **9.00** Premier League 100 Club (AD) **10.00** The Football Show **12 noon** Gary Neville's Soccerbox (AD) **1.00pm** Premier League Years (AD) **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.00** Premier League 100 Club (AD) **6.00** Legends (AD) **7.00** Premier League Stories **7.30** Premier League 100 **8.00** Gary Neville's Soccerbox **9.00** Premier League Stories **9.30** Premier League 100 (AD) **10.00** Icons **10.30** Premier League Retro **12.30am** Icons **1.00** Premier League Years: the highlights of 2009/10 (AD) **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.30–6.00am** 100 Club (AD)

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 **Virgin** 514/**HD** 504 **BT** 423/**HD** 443

6.00am Ashes Greats (AD) **6.10** SA20 Highlights **7.10** Big Bash Highlights **8.10 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Brisbane Heat v Perth Scorchers, a T20 match from Brisbane Cricket Ground. **12.10pm** Best of the Big Bash **1.10** Best of England v Australia (AD) **1.30** International One-Day Cricket Highlights **2.25** SA20 Highlights **3.20 LIVE SA20 Cricket** Durban Super Giants v Johannesburg Super Kings at Kingsmead Stadium. **7.30** Big Bash League Highlights **8.30** International One-Day Highlights **9.30** SA20 Highlights **10.30** Big Bash League Highlights: Heat v Scorchers **11.30** International One-Day Highlights **12.30am** SA20 Highlights **1.30** Best of the Big Bash **2.00** Big Bash League Highlights **3.00** International One-Day Highlights **4.00** SA20 Highlights **5.00–6.00am** Best of the Big Bash

Sky Arena

Sky 408 **Virgin** 518/**HD** 508 **BT** 427/**HD** 447

6.00am Super League (AD) **7.00** Boxing (AD) **10.00** Darts **2.00pm** Super League **3.30** NBA on Fire **4.00** NBA **6.00** World Darts Championship **9.30** Boxing Archive **10.00** Boxing (AD) **11.00** NBA **1.15am** British Basketball League **3.30–6.00am** International Netball

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 **Virgin** 522 **BT** 413/**HD** 436

6.00am Snooker: the Masters **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Ski Jumping **10.00** The Power of Sport **10.30** Snooker **12.45pm LIVE Snooker** Judd Trump v Ryan Day, round one of the Masters at Alexandra Palace. **4.30** Dakar Rally **5.30** Snooker **6.45 LIVE Snooker** Kyren Wilson v Stuart Bingham, round one of the Masters at Alexandra Palace. **10.30** Snooker: the Masters **12 midnight** Tennis **1.00am** Dakar Rally: stage ten **2.00** Snooker **4.00** Formula E **5.00–6.00am** Tennis

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 **Virgin** 527 **BT** 408/**HD** 430

6.00am ESPN FC **6.30** Premier League Stories (AD) **7.00** BT Sport Goals Reload **7.30** Currie Club (AD) **8.00 LIVE Australian Football** Adelaide United v Melbourne City, an A-League Women match from ServiceFM Stadium (kick-off **8.00**). **10.00** Fishing **11.00** Premiership Rugby Union: highlights **12.30pm** Rugby Tonight (AD) **1.15** Around The Block (AD) **1.30** BT Sport Goals Reload **2.00** Test Cricket Highlights **4.00** ESPN FC: world football **4.30** Premier League Stories (AD) **5.00** Serie A: Full Impact **5.30** French Football **6.00 LIVE French Football** The first in a double header of Ligue 1 matches (kick-off **6.00**); **8.00** The night's second game from Ligue 1 (kick-off **8.00**). **10.00** Wrestling **12.45am** BT Sport Goals Reload **1.15** Australian Football Highlights **1.45** Uefa Documentaries (AD) **2.00** Motor Racing (AD) **3.00–6.00am LIVE Badminton** Day three of the Malaysia Open at the Axiata Arena, Kuala Lumpur. Coverage continues until 1pm.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 **Virgin** 528 **BT** 409/**HD** 431

6.00am LIVE Badminton Day two of the Malaysia Open from the Axiata Arena, Kuala Lumpur. **1.00pm** Classic Premier League **4.00** BT Sport Goals Reload **4.30** Australian Football: highlights **5.00** Wrestling **7.00** Around the Block **7.15 LIVE EuroCup Basketball** London Lions v Hapoel Tel Aviv, a Group B game from the Copper Box Arena (tip-off **7.30**). **9.30** BT Sport Reload **10.00** Serie A: Full Impact **10.30** Fishing: on the Bank **11.30** Badminton Unlimited **12 midnight–6.00am LIVE Basketball** A US college game; **2.00am** More college action; **4.00** Washington State Cougars v California Golden Bears from Beasley Coliseum (tip-off **4.00**).

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 **Virgin** 529 **BT** 410/**HD** 432

6.00am Classic French Football **7.00** Uefa Documentaries (AD) **8.00 LIVE Australian Football** Sydney FC v Western United, an A-League Women match from Leichhardt Oval (kick-off **8.00**). **10.00** BT Sport Films: Proud to be Town (AD) **11.45** What I Wore **12 noon** Italian Football: highlights of five weekend matches from Serie A **5.00pm** Badminton Unlimited **5.30** BT Sport Reload **6.00 LIVE French Football** The first in a double header of Ligue 1 matches (kick-off **6.00**); **8.00** The night's second game from Ligue 1 (kick-off **8.00**). **10.00** The Rugby's On **11.00** Rugby Union **12.30am** Rugby Tonight (AD) **1.15–6.00am** Classic Boxing (AD)

BT Sport 4

Sky 423 **Virgin** 530 **BT** 411/**HD** 434

6.00am Around the Horn: discussion **6.30** Pardon the Interruption **7.00** Basketball **10.30** SportsCenter **10.45** Around the Horn **11.15** Pardon the Interruption **11.45** SportsCenter **12 noon** American Football **4.00pm** Basketball **5.45** SportsCenter **6.00 LIVE French Football** The first in a double header of Ligue 1 matches (kick-off **6.00**); **8.00** The night's second game from Ligue 1 (kick-off **8.00**). **10.00** SportsCenter **10.15** Basketball **12 midnight** Around the Horn **12.30am** Pardon the Interruption **1.00** BT Sport Reload **1.30** 30 for 30: the U (AD) **5.30–6.00am** BT Sport Reload

Thursday

ON THE CASE Emilia Fox and Professor David Wilson investigate unsolved killings

DOCUMENTARY

In the Footsteps of Killers

*10.00pm **C4** Watch the whole series on All 4 after broadcast*

This is a canny bit of scheduling on the part of Channel 4, what with Emilia Fox already solving fictional mysteries over on BBC1 each Monday and Tuesday evening.

Here, though, her concern is real-life cold cases, which she's investigating in the company of criminologist Professor David Wilson. Yet anyone who saw their first series together back in 2021 will recall that this is true crime littered with detective drama motifs, from the incident board of suspects to the ever-present manila folders by way of a haunting theme tune that sounds, quite honestly, like a *Silent Witness* knock-off.

It's an odd mix: stagey rather than gripping, and filled with an atmosphere of manufactured shock. All of which is a shame, as the killings being scrutinised are undoubtedly deserving of attention. They date back to 1979–80 and involve two women found dead in Templeton Woods, Dundee. Over 60 minutes, a key suspect emerges, their name revealed with a thunder-rumble accompaniment before we cut to one of many ad breaks. **DAVID BROWN**

REALITY

Dragons' Den

*8.00pm **BBC1** Catch up via iPlayer*

In its 20th series, *Dragons' Den* is as dramatic as ever. The tycoons may fight to clinch a deal – or they might make an offer only to then retract it. They may like the entrepreneurs themselves but not their product or the balance sheet. You can never tell which way it will go, and tonight's edition is an edge-of-your-seat one.

"It's not rocket science, is it?" says Steven Bartlett about one idea. "You've walked in here thinking we're idiots!" says Touker Suleyman dismissively about another. Surprisingly, those entrepreneurs don't turn tail and head for the exit. But one person accepts a deal that thrills Deborah Meaden – even though it's not with her.

JANE RACKHAM

PROPERTY

Build Your Dream House in the Country

*8.00pm **Channel 5***
Catch up via My5

Yacht-maker turned project manager Mike is stressed. His high-spec self-build is behind schedule and there's a problem fitting the stairs. The last thing he needs is Mark Millar's dad-joke about getting "a sinking feeling". There's not so much of a hint of a smile from Mike. In fact, he kind of looks like he wants to bury Mark in the foundations of the building. But the pensive expression is understandable, for he's on a deadline to get himself, wife Carly and their kids out of a static caravan and into a fancy-pants forever home.

That staircase, though – with no banisters and three children running around... well, my first thought was: "Is A&E nearby?" **DBr**

REALITY

The Apprentice

*9.00pm **BBC1** Catch up via iPlayer*

Would it even *be* a catering challenge on *The Apprentice* without quantities and measurements going skew-whiff? One team on tonight's episode upholds the fine tradition of misfiring their maths when faced with Lord Sugar's next task: creating bao buns.

In a bid to make the most profit, the two teams must hawk their dishes to both corporate clients and regular punters. And as ever, some of the most memorable (and wincingly painful) scenes come courtesy of fallouts in the kitchen and their palpable desperation behind a street food stall. Although the candidates often struggle to deliver the goods when it comes to food, they never fail on cringeworthy moments.

FRANCES TAYLOR

Claude Littner: page 146

DRAMA

Marie Antoinette

*9.00pm **BBC2** Full series available now on iPlayer*

The royal family visit their countryside seat in Fontainebleau. The ever-whispering Versailles is exchanged for fresh air and freedom – but the underhand politics of the court is inescapable. The hot topic of the trip is who Provence, the heir's younger (and significantly slimier) brother, should take to wife. This poses a threat to Marie – if the newcomer conceives and she doesn't, any child of Provence will stand as France's future king.

There's a gorgeous canon of fresh thinking about queens at the moment – C4's *The Great*, Netflix's *The Empress*, Amazon's *The Serpent Queen*. Exploring the lives of women in these epochs makes for brilliant telly. **KELLY-ANNE TAYLOR**

ALSO ON TODAY

The Dog House
8.00pm ***C4***
There's more match-making at Woodgreen Pets Charity as the team try to find new family homes for needy dogs (right).

Alex Jones: Making Babies
8.00pm ***W***
Undergoing IVF treatment can take its toll, as Alex Jones learns on her second week of training.

EastEnders
7.30pm ***BBC1***
Although her make-over didn't have the desired effect, Denise (Diane Parish) does find a new friend.

DOCUMENTARY

Britain's Notorious Prisons: Strangeways
9.00pm ***ITV1 (not STV)***
Catch up via ITVX

This is a brutal hour of TV, but then it is a history of Strangeways prison, the scene of a riot in 1990, the footage from which came to dominate news broadcasts for close to a month. Those old enough will recall the sight of inmates in Manchester protesting on the roof, but down below, there were bloodier scenes, with "grasses" being tortured and sex offenders getting brutalised.

It was, say former offenders, the culmination of years spent existing in Dickensian conditions. And worryingly, a fast-forward to the present day appears to suggest that the pandemic and its lockdowns have created a fresh tinder box. **DBr**

DRAMA

The Madame Blanc Mysteries
9.00pm ***Channel 5***
Catch up via My5

Actor Elizabeth Bourgine has swapped Saint Marie for Saint Victoire, with a guest role here as a lawyer in possession of secrets taking her far away from Catherine's Bar in *Death in Paradise*. Legal eagle Madame Belvoir is caught up in a search for hidden treasure at a local theatre – one that seems to have cost two people their lives. But clues such as an inscription on an old script and a hidden compartment inside a ring play very much to the strengths of a sleuthing Jean (Sally Lindsay).

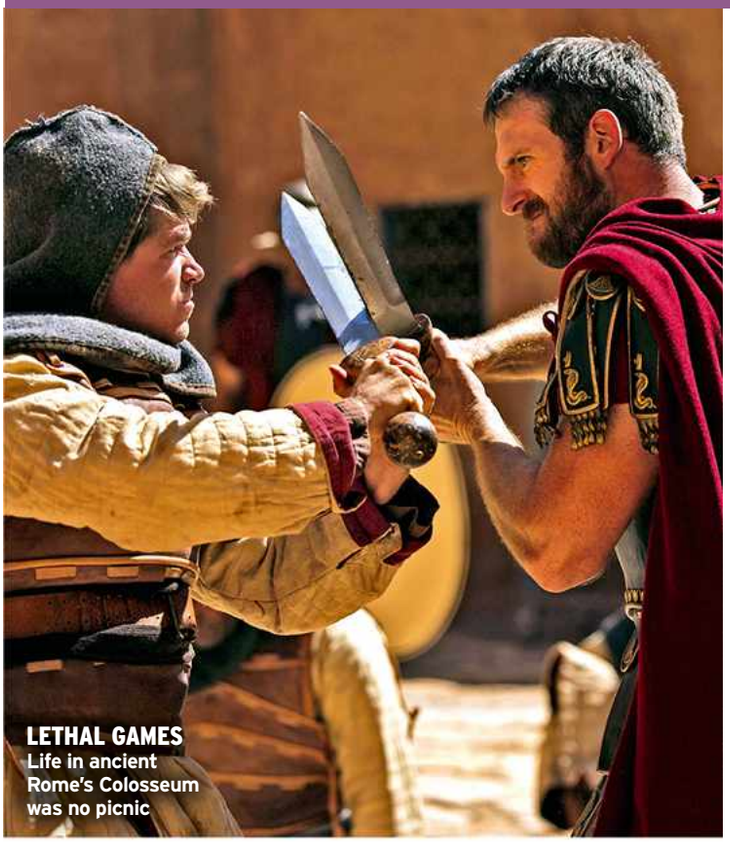
A decades-old mystery might just end up getting solved, thanks to our Mancunian expat and her antiquing expertise. **DBr**

REALITY

Ed Stafford: First Man Out
9.00pm ***Discovery***
Catch up via Discovery+

Never content to rest on his laurels (he probably prefers a bed of moss), survival expert Ed Stafford is back for more gruelling races, but he's upping the ante across this third series by facing everything from multiple opponents to old rivals.

It's the latter in this opening episode as we welcome back US wilderness king Matt Graham, who previously beat Stafford in a race across Mongolia's Gobi desert. It's a different test here as they compete over four rainy days to cross from the west coast of Scotland to the snowy top of Ben Nevis. It's a gruelling watch full of fascinating and frequently icky survival tips. **CERI THOMAS**



LETHAL GAMES Life in ancient Rome's Colosseum was no picnic

HISTORY

Colosseum (Uncensored)
9.00pm ***Sky History***
Catch up via Sky Go/Now

NEW SERIES

Dr Patrick Wyman, one of several experts interviewed for this documentary, describes the ancient Romans as "connoisseurs of violence" – so, inevitably, this new series comes with a health warning. Using the Roman arena of the title to tell the history of the empire itself, episode one opens with an account of a great gladiatorial battle in AD 80.

Priscus and Verus were two of the era's best-known athletes and were pitted against each other in a fight to the death as part of the Colosseum's inaugural 100 days of games. In signature Sky History style, the story is told partly through dramatic reconstruction (done with an almost Hollywoodish sheen) and insights into the men's lives – from their brutal training to the bonds of brotherhood between those who must face each other in the ring. **ORLA THOMAS**

LIVE SPORT

Premier League Football
Fulham v Chelsea
7pm (k/o 8pm) ***BT Sport 1***
Fulham manager Marco Silva (above) is looking to consolidate the team's Premier League status.

Snooker: The Masters
12.45pm, 6.45pm ***Eurosport 2****, 1pm, 7pm* ***BBC2***
The tournament, from Alexandra Palace in north London, reaches the quarter-final stage.

International Cricket
Pakistan v New Zealand
9.20am ***Sky Cricket****, 11.45am* ***Sky Main Event***
The second one-day international from Lahore.

FILM OF THE DAY

The Silence of the Lambs
★★★★★ 15
10.20pm ***ITV4***
Still an unnerving watch over 30 years after its release, Jonathan Demme's multi-Oscar-winning classic stars Jodie Foster as a rookie FBI agent and Anthony Hopkins (above) as the killer who agrees to help her. (1991)

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DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Naga Munchetty, Charlie Stayt. (S) (HD)

9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays Investigating disastrous vacations and travel troubles. (S) (HD)

10.00 Big Little Crimes Two PCSOs find themselves caught in a web of lies designed to discredit their colleague, and a married couple rip-off thousands of concert-goers with extortionate ticket prices. (S) (HD)

10.45 For Love or Money A woman who sent £3,000 to someone she met online. (R) (S) (HD)

11.15 Homes under the Hammer Properties in Conwy, Hampshire and Cumbria. (S) (HD)

12.15pm Bargain Hunt Two teams compete at the Lincolnshire Antiques and Home Show. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

1.45 Doctors Daniel and Zara struggle to find cover, while Jimmi counsels a mother who has to come to terms with her son being a murderer. (S) (AD) (HD)

2.15 The Farmers' Country Showdown Two farming families sell their meat and cheese at Ripley Farmers' Market in Surrey. Rptd tomorrow 6.30am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00 Escape to the Country Jules Hudson helps a dog groomer who wants to relocate her business to Suffolk on a budget of £320,000. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.45 The Repair Shop Restoring a bass marching drum, a model windmill and a "frog" mug. (S) (AD) (HD)

4.30–5.15 Make It at Market Glassblower Alison sets out to achieve her dream of selling in high-end galleries. Repeated tomorrow 7.15am BBC2 (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am The Farmers' Country Showdown From Ludlow Food Festival. Shown yesterday 2.15pm BBC1 (S) (HD)

7.15 Make It at Market Shown Wed 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00–9.00 Sign Zone Macaque: Monkeys in the Mountains A look at leadership struggles among macaque monkeys in Morocco. Shown Friday 30 December BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 BBC News The latest headlines. (S) (HD)

12.15pm Politics Live Stories from Westminster. (S) (HD)

1.00–5.15 LIVE Snooker The opening quarter-final of the Masters from Alexandra Palace, featuring the winner of Mark Williams's match v Ronnie O'Sullivan or Luca Brecel. Williams edged past John Higgins 6–5 at this stage last year, while O'Sullivan lost to eventual champion Neil Robertson in a high-quality game. (S) (HD)

ITV1

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)

9.00 Lorraine Fashion, food and chat. (S) (HD)

10.00 This Morning Celebrity interviews, cookery and lifestyle advice. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)

12.30pm Loose Women Heated debates. (S) (HD)

1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

2.00 Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers travel around the country assessing items brought in by members of the public. Signed repeat 3am (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00–4.00 Lingo Inka and Alex, Jeni and Mia, and Jenny and Kim use their powers of deduction in the fast-moving battle of words presented by Adil Ray. Signed repeat 5.05am (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**

Channel 4

6.00am Find It, Fix It, Flog It In Suffolk. (R) (S) (HD)

6.10 Countdown Hosted by Colin Murray. (R) (S) (HD)

6.50 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S) (AD)

7.40 Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Frasier Three episodes of the sitcom. (R) (S) (AD)

10.25 Undercover Boss USA Sara Bittorf goes under cover at restaurant chain Boston Market, where she is chief brand officer. (R) (S) (HD) **11.25 News** (S) (HD)

11.30 Couples Come Dine with Me Contestants from in and around Glasgow compete. (R) (S) (HD)

12.30pm Steph's Packed Lunch Magazine. (S) (HD)

2.10 Countdown Heather Small guests. (S) (HD)

3.00 A Place in the Sun Property expert Jean Johansson helps Trish and her sister Ann find a holiday home in southern Cyprus. Repeated 5pm 4seven (S) (HD)

4.00–5.00 A New Life in the Sun A couple try to clinch some sales at their shop on the Spanish Costas, and two business owners throw an opening party in their newly renovated wine cellar. Repeated 6pm 4seven (S) (HD)

BBC1 1

The Apprentice
9.00pm Bun fight: at the Shard in London, Lord Sugar sets a culinary challenge

5.15pm Pointless
Quiz show presented by Alexander Armstrong.
Series producer Laura Turner; Exec producer Tamara Gilder (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 Regional news magazines (S)

7.00 The One Show
Alex Jones and Ronan Keating present. (S) (HD)

7.30 EastEnders
Denise seeks solace in a bottle and makes a new friend. Sharon is desperate to find out why Zack's a mess and Lola and Jay have a big announcement.

Denise Fox	**Diane Parish**	Sonia Fowler	**Natalie Cassidy**
Sharon Watts	**Letitia Dean**	Nish Panesar	**Navin Chowdhry**
Lola Pearce	**Danielle Harold**	Callum "Halfway" Highway	**Tony Clay**
Jay Brown	**Jamie Borthwick**	Tom "Rocky" Cotton	**Brian Conley**
Chelsea Fox	**Zaraah Abrahams**	Mick Carter	**Danny Dyer**
Honey Mitchell	**Emma Barton**	Kim Fox	**Tameka Empson**
Harvey Monroe	**Ross Boatman**	Billy Mitchell	**Perry Fenwick**
Ben Mitchell	**Max Bowden**	Ash Kaur	**Gurlaine Kaur Garcha**
Linda Carter	**Kellie Bright**	Mitch Baker	**Roger Griffiths**
Janine Butcher	**Charlie Brooks**	Shirley Carter	**Linda Henry**
Finlay Baker	**Ashley Byam**	Vinny Panesar	**Shiv Jalota**
Martin Fowler	**James Bye**	Jack Branning	**Scott Maslen**
Jada Lennox	**Kelsey Calladine-Smith**	Phil Mitchell	**Steve McFadden**

Writer Jonny O'Neill This week's episodes directed by Sheridan de Myers
For more cast see yesterday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Dragons' Den
RT *2/14.* Entrepreneurs Peter Jones, Deborah Meaden, Touker Suleyman, Sara Davies and Steven Bartlett listen to pitches from a couple who organise social events for four-legged friends and a 29-year-old with a larger-than-life clothing business. A married couple claim they've invented the holy grail for tall people – a decent night's sleep, while a self-proclaimed accidental CEO aims to give some dignity to those people borrowing money from friends and family. Evan Davis presents. **See page 90.**
Series producer Julie Grant; Exec producer Samantha Davies (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Apprentice
RT *2/12.* The candidates are summoned to Hutong at the Shard in London, where Lord Sugar tasks them with manufacturing bao buns to make a profit. The teams must create a savoury bun to punt to the public and a sweet one for a corporate client. One team takes on more than they can chew with a Jurassic-themed bun and the other team are left in short supply after a maths meltdown. Back in the boardroom, one team is given a grilling and from the losing team, one candidate is sent packing. Who will it be? *You're Fired* follows on BBC2. **See page 90.**
Director Sarah Carnie; Series producer Natalie Richardson (S) (HD)
The view from Claude Littner's sofa: page 146

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

10.40 Question Time
Fiona Bruce chairs the debate from Birmingham, inviting a panel of guests to answer questions from an audience on subjects that have made the headlines recently. Also available live at 8pm on iPlayer.
Executive producer Nicolai Gentchev; Series editor Gerry Gay (S) (HD)
Have Your Say: tweet with #bbcqt

11.40 Newscast
A weekly round-up from Westminster, delivering the usual mix of serious analysis and light-hearted gossip.
Editor Jonathan Aspinwall
The podcast is available via BBC Sounds (S) (HD)

12.10am Question of Sport With Lauren Hemp, Simon Doull, Andy Lapthorne and Pamela Cookey. Shown last Friday (S) (HD)
12.40 Born to Race: We Are England Following two youngsters who dream of making it in Formula One. Shown Monday 8pm (London, Oxford, South, South East only) (S) (HD)
1.10 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)
1.15–6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

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BBC2 2

Marie Antoinette
9.00pm The plans of Madame du Barry (Gaia Weiss) cause friction in the royal family

5.15pm Flog It!
Paul Martin and experts Adam Partridge and Philip Serrell visit Ickworth House, near Bury St Edmunds. The team pick out a selection of collectables to be sold at auction, including a pair of light cavalry swords.
Director Rebecca Painting; Series producer Louise Hibbins (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Richard Osman's House of Games
Jasmine Harman, Dave Johns, Suzannah Lipscomb and Jason Mohammad test their general knowledge skills in the penultimate round of challenges. (S) (HD)

6.30 Take a Hike
9/15 Series 2. Café owner and opera singer Rhona takes the other hikers on a 7km coastal walk around Skye, from Waterloo to Ashaig. Crossing marshland and rivers, the group will be treated to breath-taking views of the Red Cuillin mountains. (S) (HD)

7.00 Snooker
Coverage of the second quarter-final of the Masters from Alexandra Palace, featuring Mark Selby or Zhao Xintong v John Higgins or Jack Lisowski. The action continues on the red button. (S) (HD)

8.00 The Hairy Bikers Go Local
7/8. Pembrokeshire in south-west Wales is fast becoming a foodie hotspot. Dave Myers and Si King head to the Stackpole Inn, where head chef Matt Waldron prides himself on using Welsh ingredients and the Bikers hope to find some suppliers who aren't yet on Matt's radar. Using charcoal made with traditional methods on a family farm, they make barbecue Peking duck with plum sauce. Next, they source local goat meat before pairing craft vinegar with seaweed to produce dishes they hope will appeal to Matt. Concludes tomorrow 8pm. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Marie Antoinette
RT *3/8.* **Pick a Princess.** As the royal family holidays at Fontainebleau, Marie's hostilities with du Barry threaten to sour things with the King. Now that the heir is married, the "spare", Provence, needs a wife, prompting his aunts to argue with du Barry over the choice. The danger is that the newcomer could conceive the future king if Marie fails. **See page 90.**

Marie Antoinette	**Emilia Schüle**	Duc de Chartres	**Oscar Lesage**
Dauphin	**Louis Cunningham**	Josephine	**Roxane Duran**
Provence	**Jack Archer**	Joseph II d'Autriche	**Jonas Bloquet**
Princess de Lamballe	**Jasmine Blackborow**	Mercy	**Nathan Willcocks**
Louis XV	**James Purefoy**	Duc d'Aiguillon	**Nicola Perot**
Empress Maria Teresa	**Marthe Keller**	Rohan	**Maximilien Seweryn**
Madame du Barry	**Gaia Weiss**	Julie	**Nathaniel Spender**
Adelaide de France	**Crystal Shepherd-Cross**	Chanteuse Fête Champêtre	**Elena Schmidt-Raynaud**
Victoire de France	**Caroline Piette**	Musicien Fête Champêtre	**Nicolas Mingot**

Writer Avril E Russell; Director Pete Travis (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 The Apprentice: You're Fired
Tom Allen is joined by a panel of experts and fans who will analyse this week's task and meet the second candidate to be fired.
Executive producer Amanda Sangorski (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight With Kirsty Wark. (S) (HD)

11.10 Weather (S) (HD)

11.15 Snooker
Highlights of the second match in the quarter-finals of the Masters at Alexandra Palace. (S) (HD)

12.05am Snooker Extra Extended highlights of one of the opening quarter-finals of the Masters. (S) (HD)
2.05–4.35am Sign Zone 2.05 The Traitors *7/12* A dramatic confession at the round table changes the game and one Faithful seems to be keeping a secret. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
3.05 Flipping Profit Finding bargains in St Andrews to turn into profit for Children in Need. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
3.50 The Travelling Auctioneers A mother and daughter raise money for a cause that is close to their hearts. (R) (S) (HD)

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ITV1 3

Emmerdale *7.30pm* Mack has problems on the home front when he learns Chloe has moved in

4.00pm Tipping Point
Ben Shephard hosts as three players try to hit the jackpot on the big arcade machine. (S) (HD)

5.00 The Chase
Emily, Sam, Ailsa and Colin take on one of the six fearsome Chasers with the aim of winning the prize pot. Bradley Walsh presents. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S) (HD)

7.30 Emmerdale
Things get complicated for Mackenzie. Cathy and April are intrigued by Arthur's plan, while tensions fester between Chas and Cain.

Mackenzie Boyd	**Lawrence Robb**	Dan Spencer	**Liam Fox**
Chas Dingle	**Lucy Pargeter**	David Metcalfe	**Matthew Wolfenden**
Cain Dingle	**Jeff Hordley**	Eric Pollard	**Christopher Chittell**
Chloe Harris	**Jessie Elland**	Ethan Anderson	**Emile John**
Amy Wyatt	**Natalie Ann Jamieson**	Gabby Thomas	**Rosie Bentham**
Bear Wolf	**Joshua Richards**	Jacob Gallagher	**Joe-Warren Plant**
Belle Dingle	**Eden Taylor-Draper**	Jai Sharma	**Christopher Bisson**
Billy Fletcher	**Jay Kontzle**	Jimmy King	**Nick Miles**
Bob Hope	**Tony Audenshaw**	Kerry Wyatt	**Laura Norton**
Brenda Walker	**Lesley Dunlop**	Kim Tate	**Claire King**
Caleb	**William Ash**	Laurel Thomas	**Charlotte Bellamy**
Charity Dingle	**Emma Atkins**	Leyla Cavanagh	**Roxy Shahidi**
Charles Anderson	**Kevin Mathurin**		

Writer Bill Taylor This week's episodes produced by Kate Brooks and Laura Shaw, directed by Alan Wareing, Eddy Marshall and Clive Arnold More cast Monday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 When Can I See My GP? Tonight
While patients increasingly struggle to get an appointment to see their doctor, it's reported that 42 per cent of GPs are planning to leave the profession in the next five years, placing even greater strain on the NHS. Dr Amir Khan asks how we can fix the nation's primary care.
Director/Producer Sally Ogden (S) (HD)
NOTE: as *Tonight* reacts to the news its subject matter may change

9.00 Britain's Notorious Prisons: Strangeways
RT *1/2.* Featuring the first-hand testimony of former inmates and staff, this documentary reveals the truth about life behind the walls of Manchester's Strangeways, one of the nation's most infamous prisons. The programme also recounts the story of the rooftop protests and riots of April 1990, when prisoners managed to take over the jail, leaving a trail of destruction. Narrated by David Morrissey. **See page 91.**
Director James Cohen
Producer Rebecca Hoggarth (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 ITV News at Ten
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

10.45 Next Level Chef
1/8. Gordon Ramsay presents a new cookery competition where 12 aspiring chefs do battle in a 50ft three-storey kitchen, ranging from a luxury cooking space to a basic basement kitchen, in a bid to prove they can serve up excellence anywhere. **See choice, page 81.**
Shown yesterday 9pm (S) (AD) (HD)

11.40 All Elite Wrestling: Rampage
Excalibur, Taz, Chris Jericho and Ricky Starks introduce hard-hitting action from the USA.
Shown Tuesday 10.50pm ITV4 (S) (HD)

12.35am Home Shopping (HD)
3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers search for treasure. Shown 2pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
3.50 Unwind A sequence to calm the mind. (S) (HD)
5.05–6.00am Lingo Three teams compete in the fast-moving battle of words. Shown 3pm (S) (SL) (HD)

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Channel 4 4 7 in Wales

In the Footsteps of Killers *10.00pm* Emilia Fox and David Wilson probe the murders of two Dundee women

5.00pm Come Dine with Me: the Professionals
At the Cloak and Dagger in Bristol, Sebastian and Alex showcase their sustainable fine food.
Director/Producer Laura Stevens (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons
Homer the Heretic. Homer has a vision from God and decides to start his own religion. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks
Felix warns Mercedes that the police are coming.

Felix Westwood	**Richard Blackwood**	Shaq Qureshi	**Omar Malik**
Mercedes McQueen	**Jennifer Metcalfe**	Sienna Blake	**Anna Passey**
Nancy Osborne	**Jessica Fox**	Sophie Fox	**Scarlett Kerr**
Norma Crow	**Glynis Barber**	Ste Hay	**Kieron Richardson**
Oscar Osborne	**Noah Holdsworth**	Tony Hutchinson	**Nick Pickard**
Sam Chen-Williams	**Matthew McGivern**	Warren Fox	**Jamie Lomas**
Scott Drinkwell	**Ross Adams**	Zara Morgan	**Kelly Condron**
Sebastian Fox	**Teddie Williamson**	Zoe Anderson	**Garcia Brown**
Serena Chen-Williams	**Emma Lau**	DI Cohen	**Ariana Fraval**

Writer Daniel Moulson More cast Tuesday Shown yesterday 7pm E4 Rptd tomorrow 7am E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 The Dog House
Ep 2 *Series 4.* The team at Woodgreen Pets Charity continues with their mission to find homes for abandoned dogs, including 13-week-old puppy Albie and "escape artist" Lily the beagle.
Series director Jordan Malloy; Series producer Katie Brimblecombe Repeated tomorrow 1am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Light in the Hall
4/6. Sharon is feeling anxious after Joe's visit, but will this be enough to stop her threatening behaviour towards him? DCI Parry visits Cat to warn her to stop fishing for information, but something he says to her makes her more determined than ever to uncover the truth.
Writer Regina Moriarty For cast see yesterday
Repeated 3.05am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 In the Footsteps of Killers
RT ***New series. Ep 1*** *Series 2.* Emilia Fox, criminologist Professor David Wilson and former senior detective Dr Graham Hill investigate more unsolved murder cases, beginning with the Templeton Woods murders. In 1979, the body of Carol Lannen was found just outside Dundee. Less than 12 months later the body of Elizabeth McCabe was found in the same area. Both had been strangled. The whole series will be available on All 4 after tonight's episode is shown. **See p90.**
Director/Producer Jonathan Stiasny Rptd 2am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

11.05 Catching a Killer: a Knock at the Door
Filmed over 12 months, this is the story of a family from Hong Kong who came to the UK in search of a better life for their son, but whose hopes were shattered by a deadly attack.
Director/Producer Jennifer Shaw (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.25am Murder in the Outback: the Falconio and Lees Mystery ***4/4.*** How DNA samples were decisive in the murder trial of Bradley John Murdoch. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
1.20 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA Gordon visits New Jersey's Spanish Pavillion. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)
2.10 Jane Got a Gun ★★ Western starring Natalie Portman and Ewan McGregor. A woman asks her former lover for help when a deadly rival gang hunts down her outlaw husband. As her past converges with her present, the scene is set for an epic confrontation.
Director Gavin O'Connor (2015, 15) (S) (SL) (W) (HD)
3.45 Couples Come Dine with Me From Kent. (R) (S) (HD)
4.40 Sarah Beeny's New Life in the Country The family plans to diversify the farm. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
5.35–6.00am Food Unwrapped Kate Quilton finds out about locust bean gum in Portugal. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

Channel 4 **Freeview** 4/**HD** 104 **Freesat** 104 **Sky** 104 **Virgin HD** 104
+1 **Freeview** 15 **Freesat** 121 **Sky** 204 **Virgin** 142

BBC4 9 24 in Scotland

Witness *9.00pm* Cop John Book (Harrison Ford) must protect an Amish boy and his mother

7.00pm Great British Railway Journeys
2/15 *Series 10.* **Blackburn to Manchester.** In Nelson, the former MP sups a pint of tea with the socialist working classes in Britain's last Clarion House. And in Manchester, he learns what motivated suffragette Emmeline Pankhurst and her daughters Christabel and Sylvia.
Director Anthony Holland
Series editor Alison Kreps (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

7.30 The Joy of Painting
Nature's Paradise. Bob Ross paints an American south-western mountain scene, with red peaks looming over a lazy, tree-lined stream. (R) (S)

8.00 Elizabeth I's Secret Agents
1/3. When Elizabeth I came to the throne in 1558, England was a divided country and her own position as monarch was far from assured. It was against this backdrop that one of the world's first secret services was born. Run by William and Robert Cecil, this father-and-son team had the duty of protecting the queen and the country. In this series, historians each study the period from a different key player's point of view. Colin Tierney narrates.
Director Julian Jones
Producer Bernadette Ross (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Witness ★★★★★
Romantic thriller. Tough cop John Book is assigned to protect Rachel Lapp, a member of the reclusive Amish community, after her son witnesses a murder on a rare trip to the city. Forced to run for their lives, the trio flees to the Lapps' home, but the violence of the outside world is never far away. Available on iPlayer for 18 days.

John Book	**Harrison Ford**
Rachel Lapp	**Kelly McGillis**
Deputy Commissioner Schaeffer	**Josef Sommer**
Samuel Lapp	**Lukas Haas**
Eli Lapp	**Jan Rubes**

Director Peter Weir (1985, 15) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)

10.45 Manhunter ★★★★
Psychological thriller. Ex-FBI investigator Will Graham is called in to solve a series of brutal murders by a killer dubbed the "Tooth Fairy". To help him in his search, Graham uses the talents of Dr Hannibal Lecktor, a brilliant psychotherapist with a taste for human flesh. Available on iPlayer.

Will Graham	**William Petersen**
Dr Hannibal Lecktor	**Brian Cox**
Jack Crawford	**Dennis Farina**
Molly Graham	**Kim Greist**
Freddie Lounds	**Stephen Lang**

Director Michael Mann (1986, 18) (S) (W) (HD)

12.40am Around the World in 80 Treasures ***4/10.*** **Japan to China.** Dan Cruickshank visits a temple with a meditation garden and marvels at the Great Wall. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
1.40 Great British Railway Journeys ***1/15*** *Series 10.* Travelling from Warrington to Preston. Shown Wednesday 7pm (S) (AD) (HD)
2.10–3.10am A History of Britain by Simon Schama ***1/7*** *Series 1.* From the Stone Age to the Vikings. Shown Tue 9pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

BBC4 **F'view** 9/**HD** 106 **F'sat** 108 **Sky** 116 **Virgin** 108

BBC1 SCOTLAND
11.15am Bargain Hunt **12 noon–1.00pm** First Minister's Questions **7.00–7.30** River City: Karen's new friendship suffers a setback **12.40–1.10am** Would I Lie to You?

BBC SCOTLAND
7.00pm Loggerheads **7.30** Sky High Club: Scotland and Beyond **8.00** My Kind of Town **8.30** Iain Robertson Rambles: with Kari Corbett **9.00** The Nine **10.00** Scot Squad **10.30** Scam Land: Money, Mayhem and Maseratis **11.00** The Scotts **11.30–12 midnight** The Karen Dunbar Show

STV
8.30pm Scotland Tonight **9.00** Rush: Australian police drama **10.00** ITV News; STV News; Weather **10.45** When Can I See My GP?: Tonight **11.10** Next Level Chef **12.05–3.00am** Home Shopping **3.50–5.05** Night Vision

ITV1 BORDER SCOTLAND
10.45pm Representing Border: political news **11.10–11.40** Made in Britain: a look at cider production

BBC1 WALES
3.00pm Wales's Home of the Year **3.30–3.45** The Hairy Bakers **12.40am** Ambulance **1.40** Weather for the Week Ahead **1.45–6.00** BBC News

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND
10.40pm The View **11.20** Question Time**12.20am** Newscast **12.50** Question of Sport: with Lauren Hemp, Andy Lapthorne, Pamela Cookey and Simon Doull **1.20–6.00** BBC News

BBC2 NORTHERN IRELAND
10.00–10.30pm Beauty Queen and Single: twenty-eight-year old Vivienne goes dating completely make-up free **11.15** The Apprentice: You're Fired: an interview with the second rejected candidate **11.45** Snooker: Highlights of the second match in the Masters quarter-finals at Alexandra Palace **12.35–2.05am** Snooker Extra: extended highlights of one of the opening Masters quarter-finals

Channel 5 listings are overleaf

THURSDAY Freeview

Channel 5 5

The Madame Blanc Mysteries
9.00pm Jean has a dramatic case

5.35am Milkshake! See page 96
9.15 *New.* Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)
12.45pm Traffic Cops Alex follows three men who are believed to be carrying a handgun. (S) (HD) **1.40 5 News** (S) (HD)
1.45 Home and Away Remi cannot bear Bree and Jacob playing the happy couple. Shown yesterday 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (AD) (HD)
2.15 A Beautiful Place to Die: a Martha's Vineyard Mystery Drama starring Jesse Metcalfe. Former detective Jeff Jackson takes retirement and returns to Martha's Vineyard, until a body washes up. (S) (HD)
4.00 *New.* Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun Following Brits who moved to Spain for sun and a low-cost life. (S) (HD)
5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)
6.00 Holiday Homes in the Sun Amanda Lamb, JB Gill and Sam Pinkham are in Saint-Emilion near Bordeaux. (S) (HD)
6.55 5 News Update (S)
7.00 *New.* Nick Knowles's New Year Clearout
2/6. Nick and the team help a family in Gloucester who are drowning under three generations' worth of stuff.
Director/Producer Sam Casey (S) (HD)
7.55 5 News Update (S)
8.00 *New.* Build Your Dream Home in the Country
RT Builder Mark Millar helps a family intending to construct an "upside down" house on a hillside in the Cornwall countryside, while the three-children family live in an old caravan on site. **See page 90.**
Director/Producer Sam Daniels (S) (HD)
Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
9.00 *New.* The Madame Blanc Mysteries
RT ***3/7*** *Series 2.* At the wake of a leading light in Sainte Victoire's theatre, Jean uncovers a cold case relating to a death in 1974. **See page 90.**

Jean White	**Sally Lindsay**
Dom Hayfield	**Steve Edge**
Judith Lloyd-James	**Sue Holderness**
Jeremy Lloyd-James	**Robin Askwith**
Gendarme Caron	**Alex Gaumond**
Gloria Beauchamp	**Sue Vincent**

Writers Sue Vincent and Sally Lindsay; Producer Myf Hopkins; Director Dermot Boyd (S) (HD)
10.00 Million Pound Motorhomes
1/10 *Series 3.* TV presenter Matt Allwright gives a tour of his camper van and portable barbecues are reviewed.
Directors Pete Jones, Selina Tso and Chris Vila (S) (HD)
11.05 Motorway Cops: Catching Britain's Speeders
When PC Rich Woodward stops a speeding vehicle on the M6, he starts to question its insurance status.
Director/Producer Jo Conchie (S) (HD)
12.05am Police: Night Shift 999 ***4/8*** *Series 2* Shown Mon 9pm (S) (HD) **1.00 *New.*** Casino (S) (HD) **3.00** Entertainment News (S) (HD) **3.05** Holiday Homes in the Sun (S) (HD) **3.55** My Mum's Hotter than Me! (S) (SL) **4.40** Divine Designs (S) (SL) **5.10–5.35am** House Doctor (S) (SL)

C5 F'view 5/**HD** 105 **F'sat** 105 **Sky** 105 **Virgin** 154/**HD** 105
+1 Freeview 46 **Freesat** 128 **Sky** 205 **Virgin** 155

BBC4 listings are overleaf

BBC3 23

Legend *10.00pm* Reggie Kray (Tom Hardy) faces a personal challenge

7.00pm Hungry for It
6/8. It's fast food week, and the final five cooks level up instant noodles and prepare a Mexican dish in 90 seconds. (S) (AD) (HD) Followed by ***New.*** **The Catch Up** (S) (HD)
8.00 *New.* Young MasterChef
6/10. The final seven rookie cooks must replicate a fine-dining recipe given to them by chef James Cochran. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.30 Hot Cakes
2/5. A last-minute cake causes chaos for the busy team. The series is on iPlayer. (S) (HD)
9.00 Me, My Brother and Our Balls Former *Love Island* contestant Chris Hughes and his brother Ben explore the issue of male fertility in this personal film. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 Legend ★★★
Biographical drama starring Tom Hardy and Emily Browning. The notorious Kray twins rule the East End underworld with iron fists. But while no outsider dare challenge their dominance, Reggie Kray suffers a personal battle when he is increasingly forced to choose between loyalty to his unpredictable brother Ron and his wife Frances. Available on iPlayer for 26 days. **Review page 57.**
Director Brian Helgeland (2015, 18) (S) (AD) (W) (HD) Shown Sunday BBC1
12 midnight *New.* Shrill: double bill. Annie is invited to a sophisticated soirée, then Annie has to endure a humiliating office meeting. Last in series (S) (HD) **12.50am** Hungry for It (S) (AD) (HD) **1.50** Hot Cakes (S) (HD) **2.20** Cuckoo (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **3.15–3.45am** Young MasterChef (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

BBC3 F'view 23/**HD** 109 (not Scot/Wales) **F'sat** 179/**HD** 107 **Sky** 117 (173 London; 141 Scot) **Virgin** 107 (157 Scot/Wales)

ITV2 6

6.00am World's Funniest Videos (S) (HD) **6.35** Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **7.00** Secret Crush (S) (SL) (HD) **8.00** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **9.00** Chuck (S) (HD) **10.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **11.00** The OC (S) (HD)
12 noon Secret Crush (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (S) (HD) **3.05** Chuck (S) (HDx) **4.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **5.00** The OC: concern grows for Marissa (S) (HD)
6.00pm Celebrity Catchphrase Krishnan Guru-Murthy, Lesley Joseph and Nathan Bryon try to "say what they see". (S) (AD) (HD)
7.00 Ninja Warrior UK Ben Shephard, Rochelle Humes and Chris Kamara present the grand final of the contest. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Superstore ***15/21*** *Series 5.* Cloud 9 receives a new cereal bar. Garrett tries to con Glenn into giving him paid time off. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.30 ***16/21.*** Cloud 9 employees experience unforeseen problems with the new Zephra app. Dina's texts lead to animosity. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Ekin-Su and Davide: Homecomings The couple soak up the culture of Istanbul and camp overnight in Bursa before venturing on an eight-hour trip to meet Ekin-Su's family. (S) (HD)
10.00 Plebs ***3/8*** *Series 4.* Marcus spies a money-making opportunity when the city goes into a frenzy of fundraising. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.30 ***4/8.*** Marcus starts dating popular Roman satirist Minerva. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 Family Guy *Series 12.* Stewie helps Chris battle some school bullies. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.30 Lois tires of Peter's disappointing performances in the bedroom. (S) (AD) (HD)
12 midnight American Dad!: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Hey Tracey! (S) (HD) **2.55–3.00am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV2 Freeview 6 **Freesat** 113 **Sky** 118 **Virgin** 115/**HD** 176
+1 Freeview 29 **Freesat** 114 **Sky** 218 **Virgin** 116

ITV3 10

Heartbeat *6.00pm* Greengrass is taken hostage at the Aidensfield Arms

6.00am Classic Emmerdale (S) **7.00** Classic Coronation Street (S) (AD) **8.05** George & Mildred (S) **9.15** Agatha Christie's Marple: *The Sittaford Mystery.* The owner of a house where Miss Marple has taken sanctuary during a blizzard is found dead after spending the night at a hotel Rptd 12.05am (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** Heartbeat: ***1/10.*** A flasher prowls the moors; **12.35pm** ***2/10.*** A remote farm is raided (S) (AD)
1.40pm Classic Emmerdale: double bill. Things get tricky for Scott, then Emily is frustrated with Charity (S) **2.40** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Fred plans to steal Betty's hotpot recipe, then Emma returns to work (S) (AD) **3.45** Inspector Morse: *Series 3. The Ghost in the Machine.* An aristocrat disappears after some of his paintings are stolen (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00pm Heartbeat
3/10 *Series 2.* Nick and Greengrass are held hostage in the pub cellar. A newsagent is accused of selling pornography. (S) (AD)
7.00 ***4/10.*** The slaughtermen arrive at an Aidensfield farm where a suspected case of foot-and-mouth disease has been reported, but they get a hostile reception. (S) (AD)
8.00 Vera
4/4 *Series 6.* **The Sea Glass.** When the body of a missing fisherman is pulled from the tangled nets of a North Sea trawler, DCI Vera Stanhope must delve into the lives of the deceased's family in a close-knit fishing community. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 DCI Banks
1/6 *Series 4.* **What Will Survive 1/2** After the body of an unknown young woman is discovered on wasteground, the detectives come up against a wall of silence as they make their enquiries locally. Gradually, however, they begin to unravel a dark world of vice. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 ***2/6.*** **What Will Survive 2/2.** A shocking secret is uncovered as the police investigation into a murdered young woman and her missing sister continues. More tomorrow 10pm. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.05am Agatha Christie's Marple Shown 9.15am (S) (AD) (HD) **2.10–2.30am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV3 Freeview 10 **Freesat** 115 **Sky** 119 **Virgin** 117/**HD** 177
+1 F'view 59 *(9pm–4am)* **F'sat** 116 **Sky** 219 **Virgin** 174

ITV4 26

6.00am The Saint (S) **6.55** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **8.05** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **9.05** The Professionals (S) (AD) **10.10** Minder (S) (AD) **11.15** The Saint (S)
12.20pm The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (AD) (HD) **1.25** The Motorbike Show (S) (HD) **2.25** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **3.25** Made in Britain (S) (AD) (HD)
4.00pm LIVE Darts Day one of the inaugural Bahrain Masters in Sakhir, as 16 players aim to win the first title of the new season. (S) (HD)
8.00 FILM From Russia with Love ★★★★★ Spy adventure starring Sean Connery. James Bond is sent to Istanbul to help a Russian defect to the West with an important cipher machine. **Review p97.** (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
10.20 FILM The Silence of the Lambs ★★★★★ Thriller starring Jodie Foster and Anthony Hopkins. FBI student Clarice Starling is assigned to help in the search for the serial killer known as "Buffalo Bill". Starling seeks the assistance of Dr Hannibal "the Cannibal" Lecter, a sociopathic former psychiatrist. **Film of the Day: page 97.** (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
12.45am The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **2.00–3.00am** Minder (S) (SL) (AD)

ITV4 Freeview 26 **Freesat** 117 **Sky** 120 **Virgin** 118/**HD** 178
+1 Freesat 118 **Sky** 220 **Virgin** 175

Drama 20

Judge John Deed *8.00pm* Deed argues for a harsher sentence

7.25am All Creatures Great and Small Rptd 4.10pm (S) **8.15** The Bill: Taviner learns Harker may survive **9.15** Classic Holby City: Fletch is shocked by a face from his past (S) (HD)
10.35 Classic Casualty: Sam steps down (HD)
11.40 The Bill: Taviner feels the heat
12.40pm Classic EastEnders: double bill. Dot feels unable to face life with Jim, then Barry's first day as a house husband doesn't go quite to plan **2.00** Howards' Way: ***6/13*** *Series 1.* Tom realises Jan or Jack must come around to save the yard Repeated 2.50am **3.10** Pie in the Sky: ***6/10*** *Series 1.* A murder investigation is reopened Repeated 1.50am (S) **4.10** All Creatures Great and Small: ***11/12*** *Series 6 The Rough and the Smooth.* Siegfried tries to become more efficient Shown 7.25am **5.25** As Time Goes By: Judith's new romance seems to have problems Repeated 1.10am (S)
6.00pm Are You Being Served?
Series 7. **The Apartment.** Mrs Slocombe's flat is occupied by squatters. (S)
6.40 'Allo 'Allo!
6/6 *Series 9.* **A Winkle in Time.** The war draws to a close. Repeated 12.30am (S)
7.20 Last of the Summer Wine
Series 3. **The Man from Oswestry** Foggy Dewhurst arrives in the village. (S)
8.00 Judge John Deed
1/6 *Series 5.* **Hard-Gating.** A judge blames a seemingly racially motivated murder on prison overcrowding. (S) (AD)
10.00 New Tricks
6/10 *Series 10.* **Into the Woods.** The team investigates why five years earlier a man seemingly vanished during his morning run and has not been seen since. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.10 Hustle
3/6 *Series 7.* **Clearance from a Deal** Albert learns his great-great-grandfather is known as the first cheat ever caught by a family-run casino chain. (HD)
12.30am 'Allo 'Allo! Shown 6.40pm (S)
1.10 As Time Goes By Shown 5.25pm (S)
1.50 Pie in the Sky Shown 3.10pm (S)
2.50–4.00am Howards' Way Shown 2pm

Drama Freeview 20 **Freesat** 158 **Sky** 143 **Virgin** 130
+1 Freeview 60 **Sky** 243 **Virgin** 226

ITVBe 28

7.00am The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Buying and Selling (S) (HD)
9.00 LittleBe: children's programmes (HD)
12 noon Be Beautiful (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm** The Real Housewives of New York City (S) (HD)
1.05 The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** The Only Way Is Essex (S) (HD)
3.05 Million Dollar Listing: LA (S) (HD) **4.05** The Real Housewives of Atlanta (S) (HD) **5.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD)
6.00pm Masters of Flip Transforming a split-level house in the woods. (S) (HD)
7.00 Buying and Selling A couple hope to move to a more child-friendly home. (S) (HD)
8.00 Dinner Date Kimberley from Glasgow dines with three blind dates. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Emergency Nurses: A&E Stories Behind the scenes at Northwick Park Hospital in Harrow, as nurses Ellie and Nikita battle to save a patient in cardiac arrest. (S) (HD)
10.00 Jacqueline Jossa: Me and Periods Actress Jacqueline Jossa investigates the condition of painful periods. (S) (HD)
11.00 The Cabins Someone is left in the dark as decision time leads to an argument. (S) (HD)
12.05–1.00am The Only Way Is Essex (S) (HD)

ITVBe Freeview 28 **Freesat** 119 **Sky** 131 **Virgin** 119/**HD** 179
+1 Virgin 120 (Scotland 162)

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More4 18

24 Hours in A&E *9.00pm* A cabbie is brought in with head injuries

8.55am Food Unwrapped **9.15** A Place in the Sun **10.05** A New Life in the Sun **11.05** Find It, Fix It, Flog It: double bill
1.10pm Heir Hunters **3.10** Four in a Bed **5.55** Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It (AD)
6.55pm Escape to the Château Dick buys himself a mini tractor as he sets out to tame the walled garden. Angel, meanwhile, designs the Boudoir Suite and there's a wedding proposal in the dining room. (AD)
7.55 Grand Designs Jonathan and Deborah have long dreamed of creating a miniature but lavish Hollywood Hills-style home. As work begins in north London, the difficulties of the project quickly become apparent. (AD)
9.00 24 Hours in A&E The staff of King's College Hospital in London deal with the victims of brain injuries, including a cabbie whom doctors worry has suffered a possible haemorrhage in a car accident. (AD)
10.00 999: What's Your Emergency? This edition focuses on how young males can lead each other into criminality, and how what may start as youthful pranks can easily progress to committing offences. (AD)
11.05 24 Hours in A&E Patients dealt with at King's College Hospital, London include a man who was stabbed in his own home and has injuries to his lung, arm and liver, and an elderly woman injured in a fall. (AD)
12.05am Emergency Helicopter Medics (AD) **1.15** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown **2.20** 24 Hours in A&E (AD) **3.25–3.50am** Food Unwrapped (AD)

More4 **F'view** 18 **F'sat** 124 **Sky** 136 **Virgin** 147/**HD** 195
+1 **Freesat** 125 **Sky** 236 **Virgin** 196

E4 13

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Tuesday 6.30pm/yesterday 6pm C4 (AD) **7.30** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **8.30** The Goldbergs: triple bill (AD) **10.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD)
12 noon Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **3.00** Modern Family: double bill **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **5.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD)
6.00pm The Big Bang Theory *3/24 Series 10* Tensions emerge between the guys. (AD)
6.30 *4/24.* Amy's apartment floods. (AD)
7.00 Hollyoaks Dave and Honour are given an ultimatum. Cast pp73/93 Rptd Fri 6.30pm C4 (AD)
7.30 ***New.*** **Modern Family** *14/24 Series 6* The Dunphys dust off their Valentine alter-egos Clive and Juliana. First shown on Sky
8.00 The Great Stand Up To Cancer Bake Off John Lithgow, Jon Richardson, Hannah Cockroft and Russell Brand take part. (AD)
9.00 Gogglebox *Trigger Point, Dragons' Den* and *Pam & Tommy* are appraised. (AD)
10.00 Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits The most memorable pickers. (AD)
11.05 First Dates Leslie and Babs bond over their adoration of Michelle Obama. (SL) (AD)
12.05am Gogglebox (SL) (AD) **1.10** Rick and Morty (AD) **1.45** ***New.*** Rick and Morty Specials (AD) **2.15** Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits (AD) **3.05** First Dates (SL) (AD) **4.00** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA (SL) **4.50–6.00am** The Goldbergs (AD)

E4 **Freeview** 13 **Freesat** 122 **Sky** 135 **Virgin** 106/**HD** 145
+1 **Freeview** 30 **Freesat** 123 **Sky** 235 **Virgin** 146
E4 Extra **Freeview** 31 **Freesat** 181 **Sky** 138 **Virgin** 337

Really 17

6.00am Fantasy Homes (AD) **7.00** Shopping **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** Posh Pawnbrokers **10.00** Antiques Road Trip **12 noon** Money for Nothing **1.00pm** Bidding Room **2.00** Animal Cops Phoenix (AD) **3.00** Animal Cops Houston (AD) **4.00** Dr Jeff **5.00** Cornwall Air 999 **6.00** Money for Nothing **7.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00** ***New.*** Paranormal: Caught on Camera **10.00** The Osbournes Want to Believe **11.00** Ghost Adventures **12 midnight** The Osbournes Want to Believe **1.00am** Ghost Adventures **2.00** Shopping **4.00** as 2pm **5.00–6.00am** as 3pm

Really **Freeview** 17 **Freesat** 160 **Sky** 142 **Virgin** 128

Sky Arts 11

Discovering: Tom Hanks *8.00pm* The *Philadelphia* and *Forrest Gump* star

6.00am LSO: Sir Simon Rattle Conducts Delage, Ravel and Dutilleux With Leonidas **7.45** Tony Bennett and Lady Gaga: Cheek to Cheek Live! **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected: double bill (AD) **10.00** Alfred Hitchcock Presents **11.00** Discovering: Alan Rickman
12 noon David Hockney at the Royal Academy of Arts **1.00pm** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **2.00** The Art of the Garden **3.00** Portrait Artist of the Year 2022 (AD) **4.00** Discovering: Harrison Ford **5.00** Tales of the Unexpected: two episodes (AD)
6.00pm Alfred Hitchcock Presents A man fakes being mugged to cover poker losses.
6.30 A woman is dissatisfied with her marriage.
7.00 Landscape Artist of the Year Joan Bakewell and Stephen Mangan head to Blackpool's North Pier for the first heat.
8.00 Discovering: Tom Hanks A profile of the double Oscar-winning actor.
9.00 Comedy Legends Barry Cryer pays tribute to pioneering stand-up comedian Billy Connolly, who also appeared in films including *Mrs Brown* and *The Last Samurai*.
10.00 The Movies The era of *Casablanca*, *It's A Wonderful Life* and *A Star Is Born*.
11.00 ***New.*** **The Directors** The life and work of Stephen Soderbergh, whose films include *sex, lies, and videotape* and *Out of Sight*.
12 midnight Clint Eastwood: a Life in Film **1.45am** David Harewood's F Word **2.45** Manson: Music from an Unsound Mind (AD) **5.00** Music Icons: New York Hip Hop **5.30–6.00am** Video Killed the Radio Star

Sky Arts **Freeview** 11 **Freesat** 147 **Sky** 130 **Virgin** 165/**HD** 140 **BT** 350/**HD** 365

4seven 49

9.00am Come Dine with Me: from Gloucestershire (AD) **11.30** A Place in the Sun
1.25pm A New Life in the Sun **2.30** Come Dine with Me **5.00** A Place in the Sun
6.00pm A New Life in the Sun Two events business owners throw a grand opening party in their renovated wine cellar. Shown 4pm C4
7.00 Grand Designs A couple who want to build a home from recycled materials. (AD)
8.00 Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It *Ep 2 Series 8.* In Birmingham, Nikki and Bash wonder whether to sell their three-bed house or renovate so it suits their needs. **See choice, page 80.** Shown yesterday 8pm C4 (AD)
9.00 FILM Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull ★★★★ Period action adventure starring Harrison Ford and Ray Winstone. Nevada in the late 1950s: intrepid archaeologist Indiana Jones encounters Irina Spalko and a gang of Soviet agents at a military base in the desert. **Review page 47.** Shown Sat 6.45pm C4 (AD)
11.25 2022: the Year from Space Images of the world filmed by satellites over the course of 2022. Shown Sunday 6.15pm Channel 4
1.00am The Dog House (AD) **2.00** In the Footsteps of Killers: the Templeton Woods Murders **3.05** The Light in the Hall **4.05–4.55am** 24 Hours in A&E (AD)

4seven **F'view** 49 **F'sat** 127 **Sky** 137 **Virgin** 143/**HD** 193

Quest 12

6.00am How Do They Do It? **6.25** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **7.10** The Repair Shop **8.00** American Pickers **10.00** Chasing Classic Cars (AD) **11.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars (AD) **12 noon** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **1.00pm** The Repair Shop **2.00** The Restoration Man **3.00** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **4.00** Salvage Hunters **5.00** Salvage Hunters: the Restorers (AD) **6.00** Wheeler Dealers **7.00** Aussie Gold Hunters **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** ***New.*** Fifth Gear Recharged **10.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars **11.00** How Do They Do It? **12 midnight** Wheeler Dealers **1.00am** Cornwall Air 999 **2.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars (AD) **3.00** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car **4.00–5.00am** How It's Made

Quest **Freeview** 12 **Freesat** 172/**HD** 167 **Sky** 144 **Virgin** 169
+1 **Freeview** 70 **Freesat** 168 **Sky** 244 **Virgin** 213

Yesterday 27

Bangers and Cash *8.00pm* A former Paris bread van causes a stir

6.00am The Living Universe **8.00** Abandoned Engineering (AD) **9.00** Secret Nazi Bases **10.00** The Buildings That Fought Hitler (AD) **11.00** Fred Dibnah's Building of Britain
12 noon Great British Railway Journeys **2.00pm** Bangers and Cash **4.00** Secret Nazi Bases **5.00** Warbird Workshop
6.00pm Great British Railway Journeys Exploring an Edwardian utopia in Letchworth.
6.30 Michael Portillo travels between Croydon and Shoreham-by-Sea.
7.00 Fred Dibnah's Building of Britain Norman engineering techniques.
7.30 Castles of north Wales.
8.00 Bangers and Cash Derek takes delivery of a beautiful green Renault van, previously used as a bread van in Paris. (AD)
9.00 Hornby: a Model World *1/11 Series 2* The famous locomotive *Flying Scotsman* is scaled down 120 times from real life. (AD)
10.00 Bangers and Cash A rare 1980s Sierra Cosworth draws in a crowd of fans.
11.00 Abandoned Engineering Projects include a maze of tunnels filled with haunting remains beneath the streets of Paris. (AD)
12 midnight Great British Railway Journeys **1.00–3.00am** The Living Universe

Yesterday **Freeview** 27 **Freesat** 159 **Sky** 155 **Virgin** 129
+1 **Freeview** 75 **Sky** 255 **Virgin** 217

Dave 19

7.10am Modern Wheels or Classic Steals **8.00** Fast Justice **10.00** Rick Stein's Far Eastern Odyssey: in Vietnam (AD) **11.00** Rick Stein's German Bite: in the Rheingau (AD)
12 noon The Force: behind the Line **1.00pm** Border Force: America's Gatekeepers (AD) **2.00** Top Gear (AD) **4.00** QI XL
5.00pm Taskmaster *5/8 Series 4* Noel Fielding has a sliding session.
6.00 *6/8.* Alex Horne supervises as Mel Giedroyc's good nature is pushed to its limits.
7.00 Richard Osman's House of Games With guests David Baddiel, Alex Brooker, Sophie Duker and Charlotte Hawkins.
7.40 Would I Lie to You? With Miranda Hart, Stephen Mangan, Barry Cryer and Miles Jupp.
8.20 QI Sandi Toksvig asks questions relating to animals that start with the letter S.
9.00 QI XL With guests Aisling Bea, Holly Walsh and Nikki Bedi. Hosted by Sandi Toksvig.
10.00 Have I Got a Bit More Old News for You An edition from November 2018.
11.00 Taskmaster *9/10 Series 6.* Tim Vine is left bereft by a small piece of bent metal.
12 midnight Mock the Week **12.40am** Would I Lie to You? **1.20** QI **2.00** as 7pm **2.35** Famalam **3.00–4.00am** Modern Wheels or Classic Steals

Dave **F'view** 19 **F'sat** 157 **Sky** 111 (Wales 112) **Virgin HD** 127
Dave Ja Vu **Freeview** 74 **Sky** 211 (Wales 212) **Virgin** 131

London Live 8

6.00am Dork Hunters from Outer Space **6.30** Kong: the Animated Series **7.00** Roswell Conspiracies **7.30** Extreme Dinosaurs **8.00** Stone Age **8.30** Skysurfer Strike Force **9.00** Department S **10.00** My Greek Odyssey **11.00** The World's Most Incredible Hotels **12 noon** Top Tens of Warfare **1.00pm FILM** A Place of One's Own ★★★ (BW) **3.00 FILM** The Bromley Boys ★★★ **5.00** Shine on Harvey Moon **6.00** News **7.00** Dear John **7.45** Secrets of London with Mark Monroe **8.00** Never the Twain **8.30** The Brothers McGregor **9.00** Oliver Twist **9.45** London Districts **10.00** London Live Film Festival **11.00 FILM** American: the Bill Hicks Story ★★ **1.15am FILM** The Iron Rose ★★★ **2.45** as 9pm **3.30** News Rewind **5.00–6.00am** Talking Points

London Live **Freeview** 8 **Sky** 117 **Virgin HD** 159
Other regional stations are available on Freeview 7 or 8 around the country

5 USA 21

9.00am Entertainment News **9.05** Murder, She Wrote (AD) **10.05** NCIS (AD) **2.55pm** Entertainment News **3.00** Law & Order **5.00** NCIS *Series 10.* Four episodes. Ducky and Jimmy are abducted **6.00** Gibbs's barber suspects his son may be a serial killer **7.00** The team investigates the death of a marine in Afghanistan **8.00** A doctor dies on board the USS *Borealis* (AD) **9.00** Blue Bloods *Series 2* Danny's actions are closely scrutinised by Internal Affairs after he shoots an undercover cop who failed to identify himself **10.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit: four episodes
1.50am The Blacklist: double bill **3.35–4.00am** Riots and Robbers: Caught on Camera

5 USA **Freeview** 21 **Freesat** 129 **Sky** 141 **Virgin** 153
+1 **Freesat** 130 **Sky** 241 **Virgin** 185

5 Star 32

8.00am Entertainment News **8.10** Rich Kids Go Skint **9.00** Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun **10.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law **11.00** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords **12 noon** Traffic Cops **2.00pm** Police Interceptors **5.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law
6.00pm Home and Away Remi cannot bear watching Bree and Jacob playing happy couple in public. Shown 1.45pm C5 (AD)
6.30 ***New.*** Xander secures a date with a charmed Stacey. Rptd tomorrow 1.45pm C5 (AD)
7.00 GPs: behind Closed Doors A concerned father brings his daughter into the surgery.
8.00 Casualty 24/7: Every Second Counts A former miner is struggling to breathe.
9.00 ***New.*** **Cold Case Killers** The murder of 77-year-old Georgina Edmonds in Hampshire.
10.00 Ambulance: Code Red An 11-year-old boy has been hit by a van. (AD)
11.00 999: Critical Condition
12 midnight Skin A&E **1.00am** Rich Kids Go Skint **2.00** GPs: behind Closed Doors **3.00** Plastic Surgery Knifemares **3.50–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Star **Freeview** 32 **Freesat** 131 **Sky** 128 **Virgin** 151
+1 **Freesat** 141 **Sky** 228 **Virgin** 186

5 Action 33

9.00am Winter Road Rescue **9.35** Trucking Hell **10.35** Police Interceptors **11.35 FILM** The Indian Fighter ★★★ Western starring Kirk Douglas, Elsa Martinelli and Walter Abel
1.25pm FILM Decision before Dawn ★★★ Spy drama starring Richard Baseheart **3.55** Trucking Hell **4.55** Winter Road Rescue
6.00pm Police Interceptors A van thief takes a disastrous wrong turn.
7.00 An officer has an early morning encounter with a drunk driver.
8.00 A man wreaks havoc in a hospital and a fuel thief is caught red-handed.
9.00 ***New.*** **Trucking Hell** On the M25 near Enfield, two lorries, two cars and a van have piled into each other, blocking three lanes of the motorway. Last in series. (AD)
10.00 Outback Truckers Christian racks up massive mileage, and the Wise couple feel the pressure of a fuel-draining headwind.
11.00 Wrestling WWE Raw highlights.
12 midnight Police Interceptors: double bill **2.00am** Criminals: Caught on Camera (AD) **3.00** Car Crash TV **4.00** Airport 24/7: Thailand (AD) **4.50–5.00am** Entertainment News

5 Action **F'view** 33 **F'sat** 132 **Sky** 150 **Virgin** 187/**HD** 150

5 Select 56

9.00am GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **10.00** The Yorkshire Vet **12 noon** The Highland Vet **1.00pm** GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **3.00** The Yorkshire Vet **5.00** The Highland Vet
6.00pm Walking Tudor England Visiting locations associated with Queen Elizabeth I.
7.00 Kew Gardens: a Year in Bloom Spring is in full flow in Kew Gardens.
8.00 Cruising with Susan Calman Susan sails to the island of Madeira.
9.00 Naughty Tories: John Major and Edwina Currie The story of the affair.
10.35 Forged in Fire Bladesmiths are tasked to create Knights Templar crusader daggers.
11.35 Crafting the finest tai chi sword.
12.25am The deadly German dussäge sword.
1.15 Charles Dickens with Gyles Brandreth: places that inspired Dickens **2.40–4.00am** Agatha Christie: 100 Years of Poirot and Miss Marple

5 Select **F'view** (HD only) 56 **F'sat** 133 **Sky** 153 **Virgin** 152

FREEVIEW TV and film channels continue overleaf

BBC News **Freeview** 231 **Freesat** 212 **Sky** 503 **Virgin** 601 **Sky News** **Freeview** 233 **Freesat** 202 **Sky** 501 **Virgin** 603 **BT** 313

W 25

Secret Life of Four, Five, Six Year Olds Australia *9.00pm*

6.15am Top Chef (S) (HD) **7.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes (S) (HD) **8.00** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **10.00** DIY SOS (S) (HD) **11.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (S) (HD) **12 noon** MasterChef USA (HD) **1.00pm** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **4.00** DIY SOS (S) (HD) **5.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes: double bill (S) (HD)

7.00pm *New.* MasterChef USA It's the first baking challenge. (HD)

8.00 *New.* Alex Jones: Making Babies Alex witnesses the resilience of the patients. (AD) (HD)

9.00 *New series.* The Secret Life of Four, Five, Six Year Olds Australia Observing how children navigate the world around them. (HD)

10.00 24 Hours in A&E A 64-year-old man is brought to St George's in an induced coma. (HD)

11.00 Louis Theroux: Extreme Love – Autism (S) (AD) (HD)

12.20am Nurses on the Ward (S) (AD) (HD) **1.25** Tipping Point: with Ben Shephard (S) (HD) **2.15–3.00am** Inside the Ambulance (S) (HD)

W **F'view** 25 **F'sat** 156 **Sky** 132 **Virgin HD** 125 **+1** **Sky** 232 **Virgin** 190

Pick 36

7.00am Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **8.00** Motorway Patrol **9.00** UK Border Force **10.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **11.00** Highway Patrol (AD) **12 noon** Highway Cops (AD) **1.00pm** Border Patrol **2.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **3.00** Nothing to Declare: double bill (AD) **4.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **5.00** Warehouse 13 **6.00pm** The Librarians **7.00** Caught Red Handed **8.10** Nothing to Declare **9.00 *New.*** Manifest: double bill (AD) **11.00** Britain's Most Evil Killers: Michael Ryan's killing spree in Hungerford in 1987 **12 midnight** Murders That Shocked the Nation (AD) **1.00am** Britcam: Emergency on Our Streets (AD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **3.00** Border Patrol **4.00** Motorway Patrol **5.00–6.00am** Highway Cops (AD)

Pick **F'view** 36 **F'sat** 144 **Sky** 151 **Virgin** 156

HGTV 44

7.00am *New.* Building Off the Grid **8.00** Love Your Garden **9.00** A Place in the Sun **10.00** Escape to the Country **12 noon** My Lottery Dream Home **1.00pm** 100 Day Dream Home (AD) **2.00** Good Bones **3.00** Love Your Garden **4.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **5.00** Building Off the Grid **6.00pm** A Place in the Sun: a music therapist looks for a holiday home in Crete **7.00** Escape to the Country **9.00** My Dream Derelict Home in the Sun **10.00** Rock the Block **11.00** 100 Day Dream Home (AD) **12 midnight** Escape to the Country **1.00am** Building Off the Grid **2.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **3.00–4.00am** My Lottery Dream Home

HGTV **F'view** 44 **F'sat** 166 **Sky** 158 **Virgin** 286 **+1** **Sky** 258 **Virgin** 290

FREEVIEW channels continued from overleaf

Food Network 43

Guy's Grocery Games *12 midnight* A final challenge

6.00am Trisha's Southern Kitchen (HD) **7.00** The Pioneer Woman (S) (HD) **8.00 *New.*** Girl Meets Farm (HD) **9.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** The Hairy Bikers' Chicken and Egg (S) (HD) **11.00** Rachel Allen: Bake! (S) **12 noon** Bake Off: the Professionals (HD) **2.00pm** James Martin's Brittany (S) **2.30** James Martin's Favourite Feasts (S) **3.00** River Cottage: Winter's on the Way (S) **4.00** The Pioneer Woman (S) (HD) **5.00** Barefoot Contessa – back to Basics (HD) **6.00pm** Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea (S) **6.30** Rick Stein's Food Heroes: Another Helping (S) (HD) **7.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) **8.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food: how herbs and spices can elevate dishes (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The Hairy Bikers' Chicken and Egg (S) (HD) **10.00** Rick Stein's Fruits of the Sea (S) **10.30** Rick Stein's Food Heroes: Another Helping (S) (HD) **11.00** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **12 midnight *New.*** Guy's Grocery Games (HD) **1.00am** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **2.00–3.00am** Tom Kerridge Barbecues (S) (HD)

Food Network **Freeview** 43 **Freesat** 148 **Sky** 140 **Virgin** 285

Great TV 50

6.00am Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **8.00** Highway to Heaven **10.00** Danielle Steel's Family Album **11.50** Movie News **12 noon** Castle **1.00pm** Body of Proof **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **5.00** Murder, She Wrote **7.00pm** M*A*S*H **9.00** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased): a big-time crook threatens Jeff **10.00** The Persuaders!: an heiress is exploited **11.00** Return of the Saint **12 midnight** M*A*S*H: four episodes **2.00am** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased) **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **4.30–6.00am** Highway to Heaven

Great TV **Freeview** 50 *(limited)* **Freesat** 142 **Sky** 157 **Virgin** 189 **+1** **Freesat** 143 **Sky** 257

RealityXtra 68

9.00am Perry Mason **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** The Fugitive **1.05pm** JAG **3.00** Perry Mason: double bill **5.00** The Fugitive: Kimble is trapped aboard an ocean liner when police officials board at sea to investigate the passengers **6.00pm** Matlock: lawyer Ben Matlock meets someone from his past **7.00** Judge Judy: 14 editions **1.00am** Matlock **2.00** The Fugitive **3.00** Evidence of Evil: double bill **5.00–6.00am** Medical Detectives

RealityXtra **Freeview** 68 **Freesat** 134 **Sky** 147 **Virgin** 197

BBC Parliament 232

6.00am House of Lords **7.00** Scotland Questions **7.30** Prime Minister's Questions **8.05** House of Commons **9.30** Live Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Questions **10.30** Live Business Questions **11.15** Live House of Commons **5.30pm** Scottish FMQs **6.30** Lords Questions **7.10** House of Lords **2.30am** Live Environment, Food and Rural Affairs Questions **3.30** Business Questions **4.15–6.00am** House of Commons

BBC Parliament **Freeview** 232 **Freesat** 201 **Sky** 504 **Virgin** 605

PBS America 84

The Murder of Emmett Till *8.30pm* The killing in 1955

8.00am Beautiful Serengeti **8.30** Mutant Weather **9.30** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **10.35** The Murder of Emmett Till **11.40** Jazz (S) **1.00pm** Becoming Frederick Douglass **2.05** Mutant Weather **3.05** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **4.05** The Murder of Emmett Till **5.15** Jazz (S)

6.25pm Mutant Weather *8/10* The effect of rising heatwaves, including the story of a community facing the end of an industry.

7.25 The Last Voices of World War One *4/6.* The battles at Arras and Passchendaele. (S)

8.30 The Murder of Emmett Till How the killing of 14-year-old Emmett Till in Mississippi in 1955 sparked the civil rights movement.

9.40 Jazz *8/12.* How jazz became a symbol of freedom. (S)

10.55 The Murder of Emmett Till As 8.30pm.

12 midnight The Last Voices of World War One (S) **1.05–2.00am** Beautiful Serengeti

PBS America **F'view** 84 (1pm-12 midnight only) **Freesat** 155 **Sky** 174 **Virgin** 273

Blaze 64

6.00am Hardcore Pawn **7.45** Nature Gone Wild **8.40** Ancient Aliens **10.40** Storage Wars Canada **11.10** Storage Wars **12.10pm** Pawn Stars **2.05** Hardcore Pawn **4.00** Ancient Aliens: double bill **6.00pm** Nature Gone Wild **7.00 *New.*** Storage Wars: double bill. Dan and Laura are on the hunt for better units and better buyers, then Kenny makes a profit as he courts an unfamiliar pastime **8.00** Dickinson's Real Deal: from Winsford, Cheshire **9.00 *New.*** Close Encounters Down Under: a plane's loss over the Bass Strait **10.00** Alien Files: Unsealed: the Blue Planet Project **11.00** Curse of Skinwalker Ranch **12 midnight** Paranormal: Caught on Camera **1.00am** Wicked Tuna **2.00** Swamp People **3.00** Dickinson's Real Deal **3.45** Storage Wars Canada **4.10–6.00am** Pawn Stars

Blaze **F'view** 64 **F'sat** 162 **Sky** 164 **Virgin** 199

Challenge 48

7.00am The Chase **10.00** Supermarket Sweep **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune (AD) **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **3.00** Play Your Cards Right (AD) **4.00** Bruce's Price Is Right **5.00** Bullseye: four editions **7.00pm** Pointless Celebrities: Richard Madeley and Dreda Say Mitchell, John O'Farrell and Lise Mayer, Jenny Colgan and Jane Fallon, and Richard Stilgoe and Don Black all aim for the lowest score **8.00** The Chase: double bill of the quiz show hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?: a classic episode of the award-winning quiz show **11.00** Bullseye: double bill of the darts-based quiz **12 midnight** The Chase: four editions **4.00am** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **5.00–6.00am** Bullseye

Challenge **Freeview** 48 **Freesat** 146 **Sky** 145 **Virgin** 160

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

5.35am Peppa Pig **5.40** Paw Patrol **5.50** Pip and Posy **6.00** Peppa Pig **6.10** Secret Life of Puppies **6.15** Blue's Clues **6.40** Oggy Oggy **6.45** Odo **6.55** Fireman Sam **7.05** Thomas & Friends **7.15** Kangaroo Beach **7.25** Peppa Pig **7.45** Paw Patrol **7.55** Pip and Posy **8.05** Paddington **8.25** Milo **8.35** Paw Patrol **8.45 *New.*** Daisy & Ollie **8.55** Pip and Posy **9.05** Peppa Pig **9.10–9.15am** Sunny Bunnies

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CBeebies 202

6.00am Raa Raa **6.10** Bing **6.20** Teletubbies **6.35** School of Roars **6.40** Chuggington **6.50** Bing **7.00** Colourblocks **7.05** Hey Duggee **7.20** Bluey; My Petsaurus **7.40** Go Jetters **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.05** Octonauts **8.15** Numberblocks **8.20** Love Monster **8.30** Popcast **8.35** Justin's House **8.55** Dipdap **9.00** Bing **9.10** Yakka Dee! **9.15 *New.*** Messy Goes to OKIDO **9.25** Colourblocks **9.30** Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.10** Teletubbies **10.20** Toddler Club **10.35** Small Potatoes **10.40** Hey Duggee **10.50** Roots and Fruits **10.55** BOT and the Beasties **11.00** Bluey **11.05** Let's Go for a Walk **11.20** School of Roars **11.30** Teeny Tiny Creatures **11.45** Our Family **11.55** What's on Your Head? **12 noon** Big Cook Little Cook **12.20pm** Woolly & Tig **12.25** Waffle **12.40** Tee and Mo **12.45** Pablo **1.00** Yakka Dee! **1.05** Numberblocks **1.10** Alphablocks **1.20** Dog Loves Books **1.25** Hey Duggee **1.30** Love Monster **1.40** Let's Dance **1.45** Something Special **2.10** Teletubbies **2.25** Bluey **2.30** Go Jetters; My Petsaurus **2.45** Do You Know? **3.00** Dog Squad **3.15** Swashbuckle **3.35** Hey Duggee **3.45** Peter Rabbit **3.55** Wild Adventures **4.10** Pinocchio **4.25** Bluey **4.40 *New.*** Supertato **4.50** Go Jetters **5.00** GiggleQuiz **5.15** Waffle **5.25** Sarah & Duck **5.35** JoJo & Gran Gran **5.45** Moon and Me **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden… **6.50–7.00pm *New.*** Bedtime Stories

CBeebies **F'view** 202 **F'sat** 608 **Sky** 608 **Virgin** 702

CBBC 201

7.00am Shaun the Sheep **7.05** Danger Mouse **7.20** Dennis & Gnasher **7.30** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **7.45** Newsround **7.55** Ninja Express **8.10 *New.*** Danny & Mick **8.20** Odd Squad **8.30** Horrible Histories **9.00** The Zoo **9.10** Deadly 60 **9.40** Out of This World **9.50** Art Ninja **10.15** Do Try This at Home **10.25** Horrible Histories **10.55** Shark Bites **11.00** Bitesize **11.20** Celebrity Supply Teacher **11.30** Ricky Wilson's Art Jam **11.45** Wild & Weird **12 noon** Danger Mouse **12.10pm** Oswaldo **12.25** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **12.35** Monster Loving Maniacs **12.45** Dennis & Gnasher **1.00** The Dengineers **1.55** Holly Hobbie **2.20** Lagging **2.45** One Zoo Three **3.05** Clipheads **3.20 *New.*** Best in the World **3.40** Danger Mouse **3.50** Shaun the Sheep **4.00** Ninja Express **4.10** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **4.25** Monster Loving Maniacs **4.35 *New.*** Pokémon **5.00** Odd Squad **5.10** We Bare Bears **5.25** Summer Camp Island **5.35 *New.*** Dragons: the Nine Realms **6.00** Silverpoint **6.25** Nikki Lilly Meets **6.35–7.00pm** The Next Step

CBBC **F'view** 201 **F'sat** 607 **Sky** 607 **Virgin** 701

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6.00am Mission Employable **6.05** Robozuna **6.30** Hotel Transylvania **7.00** Mr Magoo **7.30** Lloyd of the Flies **7.45** Dave Spud **8.00** 50/50 Heroes **8.30** Scooby-Doo **9.55** Tata and Kuma **10.00** Teen Titans Go! **10.25** DC Super Hero Girls **10.50** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **11.30** Dave Spud **12 noon** Mighty Mike **12.30pm** Spy School **1.00** Don't Unleash the Beast **1.30** Inspector Gadget **2.00** 50/50 Heroes **2.30** Hotel Transylvania **3.00** Craig of the Creek **3.30** Scooby-Doo **4.30** Mr Magoo **5.00** Lloyd of the Flies **5.15** Dave Spud **5.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **6.00** Teen Titans Go! **6.30** Inspector Gadget **7.00** Scooby-Doo **7.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **8.00** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **8.30** Don't Unleash the Beast **8.55–9.00pm** Mission Employable

CITV **F'view** 203 **F'sat** 602 **Sky** 612 **Virgin** 734

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11.00am The Last Blitzkrieg ★ Van Johnson plays the son of a top Nazi general who leads a sabotage squad masquerading as Americans behind Allied lines in this wartime drama. Kerwin Mathews, Dick York (1958) (S)

12.45pm Went the Day Well? ★★★★★ A quiet English village is seized by disguised Nazi soldiers in a chilling Home Front drama that doesn't pull its punches. Leslie Banks, Elizabeth Allan, Frank Lawton (1942, PG) (S)

2.35 Cover Girl ★★★★ Slightly dated but still very enjoyable musical that helped establish Gene Kelly as master of his craft. **Review, right.** Rita Hayworth, Phil Silvers (1944, U) (S)

4.45 Run Silent Run Deep ★★★★ Tense submarine drama with Clark Gable as the commander who wants revenge on the ship that sank his previous sub. **Review, right.** Burt Lancaster (1958, U) (S) (AD)

6.35pm Gods of Egypt ★ Action-packed and utterly chaotic fantasy adventure. Nikolaj Coster-Waldau, Brenton Thwaites (2016, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Titanic ★★★★ Director James Cameron and a top-notch cast revive that old-style studio gloss for this epic tale of the "unsinkable" ocean liner. **Review, right.** Leonardo DiCaprio (1997, 12) (S) (AD)

12.50–3.35am All the Money in the World ★★★ Workmanlike thriller loosely based on real events about a tycoon who refuses to pay a ransom when his grandson is kidnapped. Mark Wahlberg (2017, 15) (S)

Film4 **Freeview** 14 **Freesat** 300 **Sky** 313 **Virgin** 428/HD 429 **+1** **F'view** 47 **F'sat** 301 **Sky** 314 **Virgin** 430

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6.00am Honey West TV drama. **6.30 Shadows on the Stairs ★** Irritating thriller. Paul Cavanagh (1941) (S) **7.50 Ambush in Leopard Street ★★** Pedestrian heist movie. James Kenney (1962, PG) (S) **9.00 Black Saddle** TV western. **9.30 The Golden Madonna ★★★** Charming drama starring Phyllis Calvert as a young woman who is sent to find her church's lost lucky painting when her village suffers misfortune. (1949, U) (S) **11.20 X the Unknown ★★** Radioactive slime is on the loose in this enjoyably trashy Hammer sci-fi. Dean Jagger (1956, PG) (S) **12.55pm Rogue's Yarn ★★** Derek Bond's scheming adulterer comes up with the perfect crime. Nicole Maurey (1956, U) (S) **2.30 Crown Court** British TV drama. **3.10 Keep Fit ★★★** George Formby comedy that casts the star as a weedy barber competing against a rival. **Review, right.** (1937, U) **5.00 One Way Pendulum ★★★** Bizarre "Pythonesque" comedy about a dotty family, led by Eric Sykes. **Review, right.** George Cole (1965, U) **6.40pm Private Information ★★** Strident but dated British drama about council corruption and water pollution. Jill Esmond, Jack Watling (1952, U) (S) **8.00 The Saint** TV thriller. (S) **9.00 Justice** TV legal drama. **10.00 The Rivals of Sherlock Holmes** TV mystery thriller. **11.00 Enemy at the Door** British TV drama series. (S) **12 midnight The Razor's Edge ★★** Limp adaptation of W Somerset Maugham's novel. Bill Murray (1984, 12) (S) **2.35am Confessions from a Holiday Camp ★** Smutty "What the Butler Saw"-style comedy. Robin Askwith (1977, 18) **4.25–6.00am Cuckoo Patrol ★★** Perky but lacklustre musical comedy. Kenneth Connor (1965, U) (S)

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Sky Premiere

6.15am The Cinema List: Family Christmas **6.30 Der Kaiser** As 6.10pm **8.15 Aisha** ★★★★ Sincere drama starring Letitia Wright and Josh O'Connor. (2022, 12) **10.05 The Last Son** As 8pm **11.55 Operation Mincemeat** As 9.55pm **2.10pm Hounded** ★★ A gang of thieves are hunted down. Samantha Bond, James Lance (2022, 15) **4.00 Downton Abbey: a New Era** ★★★★ Beautiful second outing for the Crawley clan. Hugh Bonneville, Elizabeth McGovern (2022, PG)
6.10pm Der Kaiser ★★★ Biopic of influential footballer Franz Beckenbauer. Klaus Steinbacher (2022)
8.00 The Last Son ★★ Promising but lethargic western starring Sam Worthington. (2021, 15)
9.55 Operation Mincemeat ★★★★ Captivating re-enactment of a bizarre wartime mission. **Review p38.** Colin Firth, Matthew Macfadyen (2022, 12)
12.05am Crimes of the Future ★★★★ David Cronenberg's wonderfully weird sci-fi horror. **Review p38.** Viggo Mortensen (2022, 18)
2.05 As 2.10pm **3.55 Downton Abbey: a New Era** As 4pm

Sky Premiere Sky 301 **Virgin** 401 **BT** 501/**HD** 515 **+1 Sky** 312

Great Movies 34

9.00am My Mother's Stalker ★★ Routine thriller. Emmanuelle Vaugier (2018)
11.00 Vows of Deceit ★★ Thriller. Katherine Bailess (2018) **1.00pm Hunt for Truth** ★★ Average thriller. (2016)
3.00 Did I Kill My Lover? ★★ A woman wakes up next to the dead body of her former lover. (2018) **4.50 Starman** ★★★★ An alien strikes up a close friendship with a widow in this funny, suspenseful and moving sci-fi romance. Jeff Bridges, Karen Allen (1984, PG)
7.10pm Saints and Soldiers: Battle of the Tanks ★★ Second World War action drama. (2014, 12)
9.00 Black Hawk Down ★★★ Technically brilliant, occasionally harrowing war drama about the US Army's 1993 raid on Mogadishu. **Review, right.** Josh Hartnett (2001, 15)
11.55 The Operative ★★ Rookie agent Diane Kruger goes under cover for Mossad in this complex espionage thriller. Martin Freeman (2019, 15)
2.15 Garage Sale Mysteries: the Deadly Room **4.05–5.50am** Jane Doe: How to Fire Your Boss

Great Movies Freeview 34 **Freesat** 302 **Sky** 321 **Virgin** 425
+1 Freeview 61 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **Sky** 322

Great Romance 52

6.00am Love's Sweet Recipe ★★ Cheesy romance. (2021) **7.45 Love, Bubbles & Crystal Cove** ★★ Romantic yarn. (2021) **9.30 Made for You, with Love** ★★★ Drama. (2019)
11.15 Surprised by Love ★★ Bizarre romcom. (2015) **1.00pm All Yours** ★★ Sappy romance. (2016)
2.45 All Things Valentine ★★ Mildly inventive romcom. (2016) **4.30 Love on Trend** ★★ Romance. (2020)
6.15pm The Seven Year Hitch ★★ Nicely played if generic romcom. Natalie Hall, Darin Brooks (2012)
8.00 Our Dream Wedding ★★ Cosy romantic drama. (2021)
10.00 A Dash of Love ★★ Inviting romance. (2017)
11.45 The Wedding Arrangement ★★ Charming romcom. (2022)
1.30am Love in Full Swing ★★ Unimaginative romance. (2021) **3.00 Listen Out for Love** ★★ Romantic comedy. (2022) **4.30–6.00am Starting Up Love** ★★ Romance. (2019)

Great Romance Freeview 52 *(limited)* **Freesat** 303 **Sky** 319 **Virgin** 424
+1 F'view 63 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **F'sat** 304 **Sky** 320

TCM Movies

6.00am Hollywood's Best Film Directors **7.10** Off Set **7.50** The Man from UNCLE **10.05 Canyon Raiders** ★ Short and simplistic western. Whip Wilson (1951) **11.15** The Man from UNCLE
1.30pm Battle of the Bulge ★★★★ An American officer tries to convince his superiors of a possible German counter-attack. Henry Fonda, Robert Shaw (1965, PG) **4.50 The Treasure of the Sierra Madre** ★★★★★ This classic adventure about a trio of losers caught up in a gold rush features a thunderous score by Max Steiner. Humphrey Bogart, Walter Huston (1947, PG)
7.30pm The Fighting Lawman ★★ A marshal goes under cover to bring a gang to book in this routine western. Wayne Morris, Virginia Grey (1953, U)
9.00 Point Break ★★ A lack of tension blights this remake of the action classic about extreme sports-loving criminals. Luke Bracey (2015, 12)
11.20 Passenger 57 ★★★ Wesley Snipes finds himself on the same flight as a master criminal. (1992, 15)
1.00am To be announced **3.15** Off Set **3.30** Close Up **5.00** Hollywood's Best Film Directors

TCM Movies Sky 315 **Virgin** 415/**HD** 416 **+1 Sky** 316 **Virgin** 417

Great Movies Action 42

6.00am M*A*S*H **7.10 Mach 2** ★★ Misfiring action tale. Brian Bosworth (2001)
9.00 Firequake ★★ Sci-fi action thriller. Alexandra Paul (2014, 12) **10.55** Fighter Aces **12 noon** M*A*S*H
1.00pm Domino Kid ★★ Western. Rory Calhoun (1957, U) **2.35 The Stranger Wore a Gun** ★★ Implausible western. Randolph Scott, Claire Trevor (1953, U) **4.25** The Dambusters Raid **5.25 Steel Tempest** ★★ Cheaply produced wartime drama. Simon Kirke (2000, 15)
7.10pm Ice Twisters ★★ Bargain basement mix of *Twister* and *The Day after Tomorrow*. Mark Moses (2009)
9.00 Men of War ★★★ This unusually intellectual war flick is probably the best film of Dolph Lundgren's career. Charlotte Lewis (1994, 18)
10.55 The Operative ★★ Rookie agent Diane Kruger goes under cover for Mossad in this complex espionage thriller. Martin Freeman (2019, 15)
1.15am Drone ★★ Low-octane thriller. Sean Bean (2017, 15) **3.05–4.00am** Bombers of the Second World War

Great Movies Action Freeview 42 *(limited)* **F'sat** 305 **Sky** 323 **Virgin** 426 **+1 Sky** 324

Legend 41

8.00am Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** Mutant X **10.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **11.00 Avalon: beyond the Abyss** ★★ Dull sci-fi adventure. Parker Stevenson (1999, PG) **1.00pm First Man into Space** ★★ An astronaut returns to Earth as a bloodthirsty monster. Marshall Thompson (1958, PG) **2.30** The Twilight Zone **3.00 2012: Ice Age** ★★ This disaster movie suffers due to its meagre special effects budget. (2011, 12) **5.00** Star Trek
6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation TV sci-fi adventure.
7.00 Airwolf US TV drama.
8.00 Walker, Texas Ranger TV action crime series.
9.00 P Seal Team VI: Journey into Darkness ★★ Fatally inept low-budget action flick. (2008)
11.00 Pet ★★★ Twisted and grisly thriller in the mould of William Wyler's *The Collector*, from Carles Torrens. **Review, right.** (2016, 18)
12.50am Cooties ★★★ Fun, gory and outrageous comedy horror. Elijah Wood, Rainn Wilson (2014, 15) **2.35–4.20am Shark Season** ★ Cheap and cheesy shark thriller. Michael Madsen (2020, 15)

Legend F'view 41 **F'sat** 137 **Sky** 148 **Virgin** 149

FILM REVIEWS

FILM OF THE DAY

The Silence of the Lambs ★★★★★
10.20pm-12.45am ***ITV4*** 15

THRILLER Adapted from Thomas Harris's novel, this movie was responsible for gifting Anthony Hopkins his first Oscar, for his portrayal of Hannibal "the cannibal" Lecter. Jodie Foster also bagged herself a statuette as FBI agent Clarice Starling, who is drawn into an uncomfortable relationship with Lecter as she hunts for serial killer "Buffalo Bill". The investigation itself is genuinely suspenseful, but director Jonathan Demme generates the real chill factor from the probing mind games between his two marvellous leads. **JOHN FERGUSON** (US 1991, violence, swearing, nudity, HD)

Cover Girl ★★★★
2.35-4.45pm ***Film4*** U

MUSICAL A milestone in the history of the glossy musical, this film features a stunning Rita Hayworth as the chorus girl whose career success complicates her relationship with nightclub manager Gene Kelly. While a little dated, the film remains a treat, with a memorable score by Jerome Kern that includes the showstopping *Long Ago and Far Away*. **TONY SLOMAN** (US 1944, HD)

Keep Fit ★★★ *3.10-4.50pm*
Talking Pictures TV U

COMEDY George Formby was a huge box-office draw in Britain in the 1930s and 40s, his saucy wit a tonic to wartime audiences. This rarely shown movie finds the star in fine form, belting out songs as a weedy barber forced to compete with a more athletic rival. Add a dash of romance and the unmasking of a thief and you've got a first-rate Formby offering. **DICK FIDDY** (UK 1937, BW)

Run Silent Run Deep ★★★★
4.45-6.35pm ***Film4*** U

WAR One of the best of all submarine movies, this is a brilliant study in revenge. Clark Gable is the commander returning to the dreaded Bungo Straits, where he had previously lost a sub and his men. Of course, second-in-command Burt Lancaster feels that he should be in charge, and the conflict between the two men makes for fine drama in a confined space. **TS** (US 1958, BW, HD)

One Way Pendulum
★★★ *5.00-6.40pm*
Talking Pictures TV U

COMEDY This adaptation of NF Simpson's surreal stage play follows Mr Groomkirby (Eric Sykes) as he constructs a model of the Old Bailey in the living room, while his son (Jonathan Miller) teaches his I-Speak-Your-Weight machines to sing. The story climaxes in a do-it-yourself murder trial. The film never captures the spirit of the original, although it has its period charms. **DF** (UK 1965, BW)

From Russia with Love ★★★★★
8.00-10.20pm ***ITV4*** PG

SPY In one of the most popular James Bond movies, Sean Connery's 007 is duped into smuggling a decoding machine – along with an alluring Russian cypher clerk – from Turkey to the West via the *Orient Express*. Lotte Lenya is unforgettable as villain Rosa Klebb, and the film revels in its marvellous atmosphere of foreign intrigue. **ADRIAN TURNER** (UK 1963, may be edited for content, HD)

Titanic ★★★★
9.00pm-12.50am ***Film4*** 12

DISASTER James Cameron's glittering period epic charts the ill-fated affair between society girl Kate Winslet and third-class passenger Leonardo DiCaprio on the "unsinkable" passenger liner. Cast and crew revive that old-style studio gloss for over three riveting hours in a sumptuous assault on the emotions that won a well-earned 11 Oscars. **AT** (US 1997, nudity, violence, swearing, HD)

Black Hawk Down ★★★
9.00-11.55pm ***Great Movies*** 15

WAR This noisy war movie is based on the disastrous 1993 "Battle of Mogadishu" in Somalia. Ewan McGregor, Josh Hartnett and Tom Sizemore play US soldiers fighting for their lives when an operation goes awry. The film is sensitive, cool-headed and intelligent, but its pro-American militarism makes it little more than a recruitment film. **ANDREW COLLINS** (US 2001, violence, swearing)

Pet ★★★
11.00pm-12.50am ***Legend*** 18

THRILLER A high-school crush turns into adult obsession in this film from Spanish director Carles Torrens. Dominic Monaghan plays awkward Seth, whose encounter with an old acquaintance (Ksenia Solo) moves from stalking to abduction and beyond. This is a taut little chiller, with a grisly power game at its core. **JEREMY ASPINALL** (US/Sp 2016, violence, swearing, a sex scene)

Sky Cinema picks

Chocolat ★★★★ *12.05-2.10pm* ***Sky British Icons***
Enchanting comedy. (2000, 12)
Sky 304; Virgin 404; BT 504/518

World Trade Center ★★★
8.00-10.10pm ***Sky Drama***
Moving 9/11 drama. (2006, 12)
Sky 310; Virgin 410; BT 510/524

The Girl with the Dragon Tattoo ★★★★ *10.15pm-12.55am* ***Sky Thriller***
Rooney Mara stars. (2011, 18)
Sky 309; Virgin 409; BT 509/523

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Sky Showcase

Bruno v Tyson *9.00pm* The duo's epic fights and rivalry

6.00am The Early Rundown (HD) **7.00** Kay Burley (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (HD) **4.30** Futurama (HD) **5.00** The Simpsons (S) (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD)

6.30pm The Simpsons Homer forgets his wedding anniversary. **7.00** With the voice of Jack Black. **7.30** Bart inadvertently kills Sideshow Bob. (S) (HD)

8.00 An Idiot Abroad *2/8* *Series 1.* Karl Pilkington visits the Taj Mahal in India. (S) (HD)

9.00 Bruno v Tyson The story of the boxing rivalry between Frank Bruno and Mike Tyson. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.45 Sex and the City *5/18* *Series 2.* The girls contemplate their own mortality. (S) (HD) **11.20** *6/18.* Samantha's boyfriend is being unfaithful. (S) (HD)

11.50 The Force: North East A high-speed chase ends with a sinister discovery. (S) (HD)

12.50am Road Wars (HD) **1.55** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** The Early Rundown (HD)

Sky Showcase Sky 106 Virgin 110/HD 109 BT 340/HD 355 +1 Sky 206

Sky Sci-Fi

6.00am The Outpost **7.00** The Librarians **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Blood & Treasure **12 noon** Star Trek: the Next Generation: double bill (S) **2.00pm** Warehouse 13 **3.00** The Librarians **4.00** Blood & Treasure **5.00** Stargate SG-1

6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation *26/26* *Series 5.* An accident transports Data back to 19th-century San Francisco. (S) **7.00** *1/26* *Series 6.* Picard and an away team travel back in time to San Francisco in search of Data.

8.00 Merlin *8/13* *Series 3* Arthur tries to prove himself a worthy heir to the throne.

9.00 The Twilight Zone *1/10* *Series 1.* A journalist makes a startling discovery on a flight. **9.45** *2/10.* A stand-up comedian's jokes inadvertently lead to people being erased from existence. **10.45** *3/10.* A woman discovers her old family camcorder has the power to turn back time.

11.35 Apocalypse of Ice ★ Disaster movie. A pandemic-beleaguered world is hit by a vast storm that threatens to leave the Earth almost entirely encrusted in ice. Having found a cure for the virus, a virologist has just 24 hours to reach the safe zone.

1.20am Blood & Treasure **2.15** Wynonna Earp **3.10** Stargate SG-1 **4.05–6.00am** Star Trek: the Next Generation: double bill

Sky Sci-Fi Sky 139 Virgin 139/HD 138 BT 348/HD 363 +1 Virgin 229

Sky Atlantic

Watchmen *9.00pm* The past comes back to haunt Angela

6.00am Storm City (S) (AD) **7.55** The Sopranos (S) (HD) **10.05** True Blood (S) (HD) **12.15pm** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) **1.20** True Detective (S) (AD) (HD) **3.30** The Sopranos: double bill (S) (HD)

5.45pm True Blood *9/10* *Series 7* Hoyt is reminded of his past, while Bill pushes Sookie away and Eric faces a dilemma. (S) (HD) **6.50** *10/10.* Sookie contemplates a future without Bill, while Eric and Pam wrangle with Mr Gus. (S) (HD)

7.55 Game of Thrones *8/10* *Series 1.* Robb rounds up his allies and a sinister new enemy emerges at Castle Black. (S) (AD)

9.00 Watchmen *2/9.* Angela is plagued by memories of an attack on her family. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.05 Euphoria *2/8* *Series 1.* Rue struggles to put the past behind her on her first day back at school and Nate's obsessions turn violent. (S) (AD)

11.15 True Detective *7/8* *Series 3* Wayne and Roland chase new leads as Amelia attempts to uncover the whereabouts of the mysterious one-eyed man. (S) (AD) (HD) **12.20am** *8/8.* Wayne struggles to hold on to his memories, and his grip on reality. (S) (AD) (HD)

1.50 Treme (S) (AD) **2.55** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) **4.05–6.00am** Storm City: double bill (S) (AD)

Sky Atlantic Sky 108 (Wales 109) BT 342/HD 357 +1 Sky 208 (Wales 209)

Sky Witness

6.00am The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Border Patrol (S) (HD) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (S) **11.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **12 noon** The Good Doctor (S) (HD) **1.00pm** The Rookie (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Bull (S) (HD)

4.00pm Nothing to Declare Eight back-to-back editions of the series following the work of customs officers in Australia. (S) (AD)

8.00 Blue Bloods *4/16* *Series 11* Erin struggles with the weight of her authority in the sentencing of a man who is guilty of murder, while Jamie and Eddie team up to aid an officer. (S) (HD)

9.00 Criminal Minds *9/10* *Series 15.* The BAU team sets out on an epic manhunt to capture serial killer Everett Lynch. (S) (HD) **10.00** *10/10.* After suffering from a brain injury, Dr Reid experiences strange hallucinations. Elsewhere, the BAU makes a discovery. (S) (HD)

11.00 FBI *17/22* *Series 4.* When a young couple is found murdered after returning from vacation, the team searches for a suspect linked to the drug trade. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight FBI: Most Wanted: a single mother goes on a deadly rampage (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** The Rookie (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** UK Border Force (S) (HD) **4.00** Road Wars: double bill (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (HD)

Sky Witness Sky 107 Virgin 112/HD 111 BT 341/HD 356 +1 Sky 207 Virgin 220

Sky Max

An Idiot Abroad *8.00pm* A trip to the Taj Mahal

6.00am Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Supergirl (S) (HD)

6.00pm NCIS: New Orleans *24/24* *Series 2.* Russo's agenda is called into question. (HD)

7.00 Stargate SG-1 *1/22* *Series 1* Pilot episode of the sci-fi series. (S)

8.00 An Idiot Abroad *2/8* *Series 1.* In India. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Rob and Romesh vs the NFL *2/6* *Series 1.* The comedians meet and train with American football players. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Hold the Front Page *2/6* Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe head to West Sussex to work for a local newspaper. (HD)

11.00 The Force: North East A high-speed chase ends with a sinister discovery. (S) (HD)

12 midnight The Force: North East (S) (HD) **1.00am** Road Wars (S) (HD) **2.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Highway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Max Sky 113 (Wales 114) Virgin 122/HD 121 BT 346/HD 361

Sky Replay

7.00am 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Cooks to Market (S) (HD) **11.00** Road Wars (S) **12 noon** Highway Patrol (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **2.00** Merlin (S) (AD) **4.00** Manifest: double bill (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Most Haunted (S) **8.00** Road Wars (S) **9.00** A Discovery of Witches: Diana makes plans to complete her training (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Caught on Dashcam: road disasters (S) (HD) **11.00** Britcam: Emergency on Our Streets: Leicestershire Police defuse a difficult situation at a nightclub (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Night Cops (S) (AD) **1.00am** 911 Crisis Centre (S) (HD) **2.00** A League of Their Own US Road Trip (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Replay Sky 152 Virgin 180

Sky Crime

6.00am Highway Patrol (S) (AD) **7.00** Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) **8.00** Highway Cops (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Send in the Dogs (S) **12 noon** Murdered at First Sight (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Murders That Shocked the Nation (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **5.00** How I Caught the Killer (HD) **6.00** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **7.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **9.00** ***New.*** Forensics (S) (HD) **10.00** How I Caught the Killer (S) (HD) **11.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **1.00am** Snapped (HD) **2.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** as 1pm **4.00** Brit Cops (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** as 7am (HD)

Sky Crime Sky 122 Virgin 137/HD 136 BT 349/HD 364 +1 Sky 222 Virgin 221

Gold

Absolutely Fabulous *11.00pm* Edina pops up on daytime TV

7.30am Hold the Sunset (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **8.40** My Hero (S) **9.20** Are You Being Served? (S) **10.00** Porridge (S) **10.40** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **12 noon** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **12.40pm** My Hero (S) **1.20** Dad's Army (S) **2.00** Porridge (S) **2.40** Are You Being Served? (S) **3.20** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **4.40** dinnerladies (S) (AD) **5.20** Keeping Up Appearances (S)

6.00pm Are You Being Served? Mrs Slocombe plans for a happy event. (S)

6.40 Dad's Army Private Godfrey faces homelessness. (S) **7.20** The platoon tries to capture a German aircraft crew. (S)

8.00 dinnerladies Chaos ensues on work experience day. (S) (AD) **8.40** Jean gets angry with the customers. (S) (AD)

9.20 The Royle Family It's baby David's christening. (S) (AD)

10.00 Billy Connolly Does... A look at how fame has taken Billy to some weird places. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Absolutely Fabulous Double bill. (S) (AD)

12.20am French and Saunders (S) **1.40** dinnerladies (S) (AD) **2.15** Absolutely Fabulous (S) (AD) **3.30–4.00am** dinnerladies (S) (AD)

Gold Sky 110 (Wales 111) Virgin 124 BT 344/HD 359 +1 Sky 210 (Wales 211) Virgin 194

Sky Comedy

8.00am Will & Grace (HD) **9.00** Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD) **10.00** Entourage (S) (HD) **11.10** House of Lies (S) (HD) **12.30pm** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **1.30** AP Bio (S) (HD) **2.20** The Office US (S) (HD) **2.45** Pen15 (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (HD) **4.30** Futurama (HD) **5.00** The Office US (S) (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **6.30** Futurama (S) **7.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** The Conners (HD) **8.30** The Office US (S) (HD) **9.00** Sex and the City (S) (HD) **10.10** Code 404 (S) (AD) (HD) **10.40** ***New.*** The Late Late Show with James Corden (HD) **11.40** ***New.*** The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon (HD) **12.40am** Ballers (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** ***New.*** Young Rock (HD) **2.30** The Righteous Gemstones (S) (HD) **3.10** AP Bio (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Futurama (S)

Sky Comedy Sky 114 (Wales 115) Virgin 135/HD 123 BT 347/HD 362

Comedy Central

8.00am My Wife and Kids (S) (HD) **9.00** The Middle (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **12 noon** Friends (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00pm** The Ricky Gervais Show: four editions. Karl Pilkington shares his thoughts on medicine **9.30** A discussion about the origins of the universe **10.00** Exploring what would happen if Karl Pilkington ran society **10.30** The meaning of popular wartime expressions is debated (S) (HD) **11.00** Ugly Americans: double bill (S) (HD) **12 midnight** South Park (S) (HD) **2.00am** ***New.*** Fugget about It **3.00** The Ren & Stimpy Show (S) **3.25** Beavis and Butt-Head **3.45** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **4.10–5.00am** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

Comedy Central Sky 112 (Wales 113) Virgin 181/HD 132 BT 345/HD 360 +1 Sky 212 (Wales 213) Virgin 133

Alibi

Person of Interest *7.00pm* Joss Carter is selected

7.15am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **9.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD) **11.00** Person of Interest (HD) **12 noon** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD)

6.00pm Without a Trace *6/24* *Series 2.* The team searches for a teenage boy and it transpires that the youth had a faltering relationship with his girlfriend. (HD)

7.00 Person of Interest *9/23* *Series 1.* The latest person selected by the supercomputer is Joss Carter, a detective who is close to uncovering Reese and Finch's secret operation. (HD)

8.00 Death in Paradise *1/8* *Series 2.* The owner of a sugar plantation is murdered. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** *2/8.* A young nun is found dead in a smoke-filled bedroom in her convent. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 My Life Is Murder *10/10* *Series 1.* A plastic surgeon dies after self-administering an anti-wrinkle drug. (S) (HD)

11.00 Without a Trace As 6pm.

12 midnight Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.00–4.00am** Major Crimes: double bill (S) (HD)

Alibi Sky 109 (Wales 110) Virgin HD 126 BT 343/HD 358 +1 Sky 209 (Wales 210) Virgin 191

Discovery

6.00am Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **7.00** Deadliest Catch (S) (HD) **8.00** Alaska: Homestead Rescue (S) (HD) **9.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** How Do They Do It? (S) (HD) **11.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **12 noon** Salvage Hunters (S) (AD) **1.00pm** Gold Rush (S) (HD) **3.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (HD) **4.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **5.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Salvage Hunters (HD) **7.00** Diesel Brothers (S) (HD) **8.00** Outback Truckers (S) (HD) **9.00** RT **CHOICE** ***New series.*** Ed Stafford: First Man Out **See page 91** (HD) **10.00** Alaskan Bush People (HD) **11.00** Naked and Afraid (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) (HD) **1.00am** as 9pm **2.00** Alaskan Bush People (HD) **3.00** Moonshiners (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Wheeler Dealers (S) (AD) (HD)

Discovery Sky 125 Virgin 250 BT 320/HD 325 +1 Sky 225 Virgin 258

Discovery History

6.00am Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **7.00** How the Universe Works **8.00** HMS Ark Royal (S) (AD) **9.00** Combat Dealers: Reloaded (S) **10.00** Treasure Quest: Snake Island (S) **11.00** Expedition Unknown **12 noon** Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **1.00pm** Expedition Unknown **2.00** Truth behind the Moon Landing (S) **3.00** Blowing Up History (S) (AD) **4.00** Mysteries at the Museum **5.00** Devonport: inside the Royal Navy (S) **6.00** How the Universe Works **7.00** Expedition Unknown **8.00** Combat Dealers: Reloaded (S) **9.00** Tales from the Explorers Club **10.00** How the Universe Works **11.00** Expedition Unknown **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) **1.00am** as 8pm **2.00** as 9pm **3.00** as 2pm **4.00–5.00am** Blowing Up History (S) (AD)

Discovery History Sky 177 Virgin 257 +1 Sky 277 Virgin 261

ALL PROGRAMMES ON THE ABOVE CHANNELS ARE REPEATS UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED

Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen

Sky Documentaries

Dave Not Coming Back *10.50pm* A dangerous mission

6.00am The Comedy Store (S) (AD) (HD) **7.05** Discovering: Vivien Leigh (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Kingdom of Dreams (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** The Lady and the Dale (S) (HD) **11.05** The Guest Wing (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** The Biggest Little Farm (S) (HD) **1.50pm** Rise of the Superheroes (S) (HD) **4.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Discovering: Vivien Leigh (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Kingdom of Dreams The designers struggle with the relentless pressure. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 The Lady and the Dale Liz is exposed by a true crime TV show and things spiral once again. (S) (HD)

8.05 The Guest Wing Lord and Lady Fitzalan Howard try to impress American guests with traditional activities. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Bruno v Tyson The story of the rivalry between Frank Bruno and Mike Tyson, which spanned two fights marred by politics and volatile race relations. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.50 Dave Not Coming Back The story of two divers' mission to retrieve a dead body from a cave in South Africa. (S) (HD)

12.40am We Are Freestyle Love Supreme (S) (HD) **2.25** 15 Minutes of Shame (S) (HD) **4.10** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Discovering: Vivien Leigh (S) (AD) (HD)

Sky Documentaries **Sky** 121 **Virgin** 278/**HD** 277 **BT** 352/**HD** 367

Nat Geographic

8.00am Food Factory (S) (HD) **8.30** Money Meltdown (HD) **9.00** Nazi Megastructures (S) (HD) **10.00** WW2: Hell under the Sea (S) (HD) **11.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (S) (HD) **12 noon** Air Crash Investigation (HD) **1.00pm** Wicked Tuna (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Drain the Oceans (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Egypt's Sun King (HD) **4.00** The Truth behind… (HD) **5.00** Lost Cities with Albert Lin (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Gold Diggers (HD) **9.00** Wicked Tuna: Outer Banks Showdown (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Wicked Tuna: North v South (S) (HD) **1.00am** Ice Road Rescue (HD) **2.00** Lords of War (HD) **2.30** Food Factory (S) (HD) **4.10** When Sharks Attack (HD) **4.35–5.00am** Prairie Dog Dynasty (HD)

Nat Geographic **Sky** 129 **Virgin** 266/**HD** 268 **+1** **Sky** 229 **Virgin** 267

Sky History

6.00am Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** Counting Cars (HD) **8.00** American Pickers (HD) **9.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **10.00** Mountain Men (HD) **11.00** Strangest Things (HD) **12 noon** The Proof Is Out There (HD) **1.00pm** What on Earth? (HD) **2.00** Curse of Skinwalker Ranch (HD) **3.00** Legends of the Pharaohs: Secrets of the Pyramid Builders (HD) **4.00** Counting Cars (HD) **5.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **6.00** American Pickers (HD) **7.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** Pawn Stars (HD) **9.00** RT **CHOICE** ***New series.*** Colosseum (Uncensored) **See p91** (HD) **10.00** ***New.*** Alone: Frozen (HD) **11.00** Hitler's Secret Sex Life (HD) **12 midnight** Britain Stands Alone (HD) **1.00am** Pawn Stars **2.00** Strangest Things (HD) **3.00** as 11pm **4.00** as 1pm **5.00–6.00am** as 12 noon

Sky History **Sky** 123 **Virgin** 270 **BT** 353/**HD** 368 **+1** **Sky** 223 **Virgin** 271

Sky Nature

Wild Latin America *8.00pm* Tense times for squirrel monkeys

6.00am Battle of the Alphas (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Africa's Wild Roommates: How Animals Share Bed and Board (S) (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (HD) **9.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **10.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **11.00** Equator (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon** Land of the Far North (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Monkey Life (HD) **2.00** Africa's Wild Roommates: How Animals Share Bed and Board (S) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **5.00** Equator (S) (AD) (HD)

6.00pm Land of the Far North Life in the region north of the Polar Circle. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Monkey Life Jangles joins her new mate Reggie. (HD) **7.30** Daily life at Monkey World Ape Rescue Centre in Dorset. (HD)

8.00 Wild Latin America Breeding season approaches for the squirrel monkeys. (S) (HD)

9.00 Reef Wrecks An exploration of the shipwrecks off the coast of the Florida Keys. (S) (HD)

10.00 Land of the Far North As 6pm.

11.00 Equator (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Wildlife ER (HD) **1.00am** Monkey Life (HD) **2.00** Wild Latin America (S) (HD) **3.00** Reef Wrecks (S) (HD) **4.00** as 2pm **5.00–6.00am** as 3pm

Sky Nature **Sky** 124 **Virgin** 280/**HD** 279 **BT** 354/**HD** 369

Eden

9.00am Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **10.00** Aquarium: an Aquatic Life (HD) **11.00** The Zoo (HD) **12 noon** Viking Dead (HD) **2.00pm** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **3.00** Fascinating New Zealand (AD) (HD) **4.00** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **5.00** Aquarium: an Aquatic Life: behind the scenes of the Two Oceans Aquarium in South Africa (HD) **6.00** The Zoo (HD) **7.00** Viking Dead: re-creations of Viking boats based on recovered remains (HD) **8.00** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **10.00** The Zoo (HD) **11.00** Aquarium: an Aquatic Life (HD) **12 midnight** Viking Dead (HD) **1.00am** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **2.00** Aquarium: an Aquatic Life (HD) **3.00** The Zoo (HD) **3.50** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **4.40** Viking Dead (HD) **5.30–6.00am** David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities (AD) (HD)

Eden **Sky** 166 **Virgin HD** 245 **+1** **Sky** 266 **Virgin** 246

Animal Planet

8.00am Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **9.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** America's Cutest Pets (S) (HD) **11.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **12 noon** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **2.00** Expedition Bigfoot (S) (HD) **4.00** Saved by the Barn (S) (HD) **5.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **6.00** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **7.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Guardians of Rescue (S) (HD) **10.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **11.00** Into the Shark Bite **12 midnight** Return to the Isle of Jaws (S) (HD) **1.00am** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **2.00** Saved by the Barn (S) (HD) **3.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD)

Animal Planet **Sky** 162 (NI 178) **Virgin** 251 **+1** **Sky** 262 (NI 278) **Virgin** 259

SPORT

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 **Virgin** 511/**HD** 501 **BT** 420/**HD** 440

6.00am Sky Sports News **7.00** Good Morning Sports Fans **7.45 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Melbourne Stars v Adelaide Strikers, a T20 match from Melbourne Cricket Ground. **11.45 LIVE International One-Day Cricket** Pakistan v New Zealand, the second in the five-match series from Lahore. **3.20pm LIVE SA20 Cricket** Sunrisers Eastern Cape v Pretoria Capitals, a T20 match from St George's Park Stadium, Gqeberha. **7.30 LIVE PGA Tour Golf** The opening round of the Sony Open in Hawaii from Waialae Country Club, Honolulu. **3.30am LIVE NBA** Los Angeles Lakers v Dallas Mavericks, coverage joined in progress. **5.30–6.00am** Inside the NBA

Sky Football

Sky 403 **Virgin** 513/**HD** 503 **BT** 422/**HD** 442

6.00am Championship Highlights **7.00** Classic Play-Off Finals **8.00** League Two Highlights **9.00** League Cup Highlights **9.30** EFL Greatest Games **10.00** League Cup Retro **12 noon** League One and Two Goals **12.30pm** Soccer AM **1.00** League Cup Highlights **1.30** German Football **2.30** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **2.45** Scottish Premiership Highlights **3.15** League Two Highlights **3.30** League Cup Highlights **4.30** SPFL Greatest Games **5.00** EFL Greatest Games **5.30** League One & Two Goals **6.00** German Football **6.30** Inside the WSL **7.00** Scottish Premiership Round-Up **7.15** Scottish Premiership Highlights **7.45** League Two Highlights **8.00** Inside the WSL **8.30** League One and Two Goals **9.00** League Cup Highlights **10.00** Inside the WSL **10.30** Soccer AM **11.00** EFL Greatest Games **12 midnight** League Cup Retro (AD) **1.00–6.00am** SPFL Greatest Games

Sky Golf

Sky 405 **Virgin** 515/**HD** 505 **BT** 424/**HD** 444

6.00am How the 1999 Ryder Cup Was Won (AD) **8.30** Miracle in Medinah: the Story of the Ryder Cup (AD) **10.30** Chronicles (AD) **11.00** PGA Tour Golf **3.30pm** Chronicles **4.00** PGA Tour **5.00 LIVE PGA Tour Golf** The first round of the Sony Open in Hawaii at Waialae Country Club. **3.30am** PGA Tour **4.30–6.00am** Chronicles of a Champion Golfer (AD)

Sky NFL

Sky 407 **Virgin** 517/**HD** 507 **BT** 426/**HD** 446

6.00am NFL: America's Game (AD) **7.00** NFL Highlights **9.00** Jaguars Weekly UK **9.30** One Jets Drive **10.00** NFL Highlights **12 noon** Good Morning Football: discussion **3.00pm** Jaguars Weekly UK **3.30** One Jets Drive **4.00** Her Huddle **4.30** NFL Bitesize **6.00** Pro-Football Talk **8.00** NFL Gameday **8.30** Super Bowl Gameday 2019 **9.00** NFL Bitesize **10.30** NFL Gameday **11.00** NFL: Total Access **1.00am** Bitesize **2.00** NFL Highlights **3.00** NFL Gameday **3.30** Super Bowl Gameday **4.00–6.00am** Highlights

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 **Virgin** 521 **BT** 412/**HD** 435

6.00am Dakar Rally **7.00** Tennis **8.00 LIVE ATP Tennis** Adelaide International, the quarter-finals. **10.00** Ski Jumping **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 noon** Alpine Skiing **2.00pm** Ski Jumping **3.00** Tennis **4.00** Alpine Skiing **6.00** Ski Jumping **7.00** Tennis **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Alpine Skiing **10.00** Tennis **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Ski Jumping: Four Hills **1.00am** Tennis **2.00** Dakar Rally **3.00** Biathlon **3.30–5.30am** Tennis

PGA Tour Golf *5.00pm* ***Sky Golf*** Hideki Matsuyama defends his crown in Hawaii

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 **Virgin** 512/**HD** 502 **BT** 421/**HD** 441

6.00am Premier League Greatest Games **7.00** Legends (AD) **8.00** Best Goals **9.00** 100 Club (AD) **10.00** The Football Show **12 noon** Gary Neville's Soccerbox **1.00pm** Premier League Years: 2010/11 **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.00** 100 Club **6.00** Legends (AD) **7.00** The Big Interview **7.30** Stories **8.00** Gary Neville's Soccerbox **9.00** The Big Interview **9.30** Stories **10.00** Icons **10.30** Premier League Retro **12.30am** Icons (AD) **1.00** Premier League Years: the 2011/12 season (AD) **3.00** Greatest Games **4.00** Best Goals **5.30–6.00am** 100 Club (AD)

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 **Virgin** 514/**HD** 504 **BT** 423/**HD** 443

6.00am Ashes Greats (AD) **6.25** Best of England v Australia (AD) **6.45** Big Bash League Highlights **7.45 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Melbourne Stars v Adelaide Strikers, a T20 match from Melbourne Cricket Ground. **9.20 LIVE International One-Day Cricket** Pakistan v New Zealand, the second in the men's five-match ODI series from Gaddafi Stadium, Lahore. **5.30pm LIVE SA20 Cricket** Sunrisers Eastern Cape v Pretoria Capitals, a T20 match from St George's Park Stadium, Gqeberha. **7.30** Big Bash League Highlights **8.30** International One-Day Highlights **9.30** SA20 Highlights **10.30** Big Bash League Highlights **11.30** SA20 Highlights **12.30am** Ashes Greats **1.00** SA20 Cricket **5.10** Ashes Greats **5.40–6.00am** Best of England

Sky Arena

Sky 408 **Virgin** 518/**HD** 508 **BT** 427/**HD** 447

6.00am Super League **8.00** Rugby Union Retro **10.00** Darts **2.00pm** British Basketball League **4.15** Super League **6.00** Boxing (AD) **9.00** NBA **12 midnight LIVE NBA** Brooklyn Nets v Boston Celtics from the Barclays Centre (tip-off **12.30**); **3.00am** Los Angeles Lakers v Dallas Mavericks, a Western Conference game (tip-off **3.00**). **5.30–6.30am** Inside the NBA

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 **Virgin** 522 **BT** 413/**HD** 436

6.00am Snooker: the Masters **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Ski Jumping **10.00** The Power of Sport **10.30** Snooker **12.45pm LIVE Snooker** The Masters, the first quarter-final from Alexandra Palace, London. **4.30** Dakar Rally **5.30** Snooker **6.45 LIVE Snooker** The second quarter-final of the Masters. **10.30** Snooker: the Masters **12 midnight** Tennis **1.00am** Dakar Rally **2.00** Snooker **4.00** Formula E **5.00–6.00am** Alpine Skiing

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 **Virgin** 527 **BT** 408/**HD** 430

6.00am LIVE Badminton Continued coverage of day three of the Malasyia Open, the BWF World Tour tournament at the Axiata Arena, Kuala Lumpur. **1.00pm** Badminton **1.30** BT Sport Reload **2.00** BT Sport Goals Reload **2.30** Australian Football: highlights **3.00** Basketball **4.00** Fishing: on the Bank **5.00** ESPN FC **5.30** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls **6.00** Premier League: the Big Interview (AD) **6.30** Premier League Stories (AD) **7.00 LIVE Premier League Football** Fulham v Chelsea from Craven Cottage (kick-off **8.00**). **10.30** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls **11.00** French Football **12 midnight** Serie A: Full Impact **12.30am** The Rugby's On **1.30** BT Sport Reload **2.00–5.30am LIVE Super Smash T20 Cricket** Canterbury Magicians v Northern Brave, coverage of the women's T20 match from Hagley Oval.

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 **Virgin** 528 **BT** 409/**HD** 431

6.00am ESPN FC **6.30** Serie A: Full Impact **7.00** BT Sport Reload **7.15** Wrestling (AD) **9.00** Premiership Rugby Union: highlights **10.30** The Rugby's On **11.30** ChatterBox **12 noon** Test Cricket Highlights **2.00pm** Classic Premier League **5.00** Wrestling **10.00** BT Sport Reload **10.30** BT Sport Films (AD) **11.45** Fight Week **12.45am** UFC **1.45** UFC Fight Flashback: Max Holloway v Jose Aldo from 2017 (AD) **2.15** What I Wore **2.30** Badminton **3.00–6.00am LIVE Badminton** Day four of the Malasyia Open at the Axiata Arena, Kuala Lumpur. Coverage continues until 1pm.

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 **Virgin** 529 **BT** 410/**HD** 432

6.00am French Football: highlights of six midweek matches in Ligue 1 **12 noon** Italian Football: the best action from five Serie A matches **5.00pm** Portuguese Football: Casa Pia v FC Porto **6.00** French Football **7.00** Fishing: on the Bank **8.00** The Rugby's On **9.00** Badminton **9.30** EuroCup Basketball: London Lions v Hapoel Tel Aviv **10.30** Australian Football: A-League highlights **11.00** Uefa Documentaries (AD) **11.30** Champions League Football (AD) **12 midnight** BT Sport Films: the Crazy Gang (AD) **1.30am** The Football Archives: 1971/72 and 1972/73 (AD) **2.30 LIVE Basketball** BYU Cougars v Gonzaga Bulldogs, a US college game from the Marriott Centre (tip-off **2.30**). **4.30** French Football **5.30–6.00am** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls

BT Sport 4

Sky 423 **Virgin** 530 **BT** 411/**HD** 434

6.00am SportsCenter **6.15** Around the Horn: discussion **6.45** Pardon the Interruption **7.15** SportsCenter **7.30** ESPN FC **8.00** American Football **12 noon** ESPN FC **12.30pm** Around the Horn **1.00** Pardon the Interruption **1.30** SportsCenter **1.45** 30 for 30: Slaying the Badger (AD) **3.15** Basketball **5.00** SportsCenter **5.15** Around the Horn **5.45** Pardon the Interruption **6.15** SportsCenter **6.30** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls **7.00** Basketball: a double header of US college games **10.30** 30 for 30: Bernie and Ernie (AD) **11.30** ESPN FC Presents: Gab & Juls **12 midnight–6.00am LIVE Basketball** Iowa Hawkeyes v Michigan Wolverines at Carver: Hawkeye Arena (tip-off **12.00**); **2.00am** The second in a triple header of US college games. **4.00** Oregon Ducks v Arizona Wildcats at Matthew Knight Arena.

Friday

READY TO PLAY Jon Richardson and Lucy Beaumont (seated) host Richard Herring and Catie Wilkins and Rachel Riley and Pasha Kovalev, with therapist Charlene Douglas (centre)

PANEL SHOW

Jon and Lucy's Odd Couples *9.00pm* ***C4*** *Catch up via All 4*

NEW SERIES

This is one way to scratch a seven-year itch. Comics Jon Richardson and Lucy Beaumont, who've been wed for seven years, make their co-presenting debut, comparing their own marriage to those of others. This pleasingly nosy panel game sees the squabbling spouses invite celebrity couples to compete to see who has the strongest relationship. Any resemblance to recent BBC flop *Unbreakable* is coincidental – and, Channel 4 will hope, not an omen.

First up, *Countdown's* Rachel Riley and former *Strictly* pro Pasha Kovalev take on comics Richard Herring and Catie Wilkins, with *Married at First Sight's* Charlene Douglas on hand as the in-house therapist. After donning bathrobes to discuss how well they communicate (awkward), the pairs must clean a bathroom, give each other makeovers and take a lie detector test. This soon reveals that Riley pees in the shower, Kovalev has "private material" on his phone and Wilkins hasn't considered the ramifications of being 13 years younger than Herring. It's uproariously funny and highly relatable. **MICHAEL HOGAN**

PANEL SHOW

Would I Lie to You?

8.00pm (8.30pm Scotland) ***BBC1***
Catch up via iPlayer

Never have I seen someone attempt to evade scrutiny so blatantly as Henning Wehn. We've all seen guests squirm, deflect and obfuscate. But Wehn, when quizzed about how he came to fall through the gap between platform and train at a railway station, takes a more direct approach. "Let's not get involved in that," he instructs before adding, "This is the last thing I say on the matter." At one point, he even turns to his team captain and demands, "David, explain to them what I mean."

It's the show-stealing moment in what's an otherwise slightly sub-par edition, though fellow player Simon Gregson is good value, particularly in a role-play scenario where he matches Lee Mack pun for pun. **DAVID BROWN**

FACTUAL

Food Unwrapped

8.00pm ***C4***
Catch up via All 4

Why is it that vegetable stir-fry mixes from supermarkets go off so quickly? Admittedly it might not be the most pertinent question of our times, but it is nonetheless baffling and is one of the dilemmas Matt Tebbutt sets out to answer at the start of this 24th (yes, 24th) series of *Food Unwrapped*.

Other big and small food-related questions being answered include Jimmy Doherty tackling the less pressing issue (but of note to younger viewers, perhaps) of how ice cream makers get such perfect layers in a rocket lolly and Kate Quilton getting a plummy work trip to Portugal to discover what exactly piri-piri is. Clue: it's more than a sauce you find in Nando's... **KAY RIBEIRO**

PROPERTY

Amanda and Alan's Italian Job

8.30pm (not Scotland) ***BBC1***
Catch up via iPlayer

Amanda Holden and Alan Carr are getting into the renovation of their two crumbling Sicilian apartments bought for a bargain basement price. Or rather they occasionally pop on hard hats and brandish a spirit level because there's a team of builders doing the hard work. Just as well: Alan is DIY-averse and I doubt Amanda wants to ruin her manicure.

The pair do source materials and are involved in the kitchen design, but generally are free to "soak up the Sicilian culture", which means wine tasting, learning how to make a traditional meal and saying "grazie mille" a lot. It's a tough life. **JANE RACKHAM**

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TRAVEL

Travel Man: 48 Hours in...

8.30pm ***C4***
Catch up via All 4

Sarah Millican admits she doesn't know where Vilnius is, but as she says, "It doesn't matter, because the pilot does." It's in Lithuania, she and Joe Lycett discover after numerous hundreds-of-miles-out stabs on a map.

Their minibreak has both high and low points: cepelinai (traditional potato dumplings) go down well but a hot air balloon flight terrifies them: "It looks like the opening sequence of a Swedish crime drama down there," reckons Joe when he bravely has a peek. For Sarah, though, her two favourite activities are an amber jewellery workshop and making a cake on a spit roast. Obviously. **JR**

Great escapes: see centre pages

ALSO ON TODAY

The Beaker Girls
6.00pm ***CBBC***
Second series of the drama based on Jacqueline Wilson's books with Dani Harmer as the now grown-up Tracy.

Father Brown
1.45pm ***BBC1***
Gentle period mystery drama starring Mark Williams (right). This time Lady Felicia pays an impromptu visit to Kembleford.

Holidaying with Jane McDonald
9.00pm ***Channel 5***
The singer tries surfing and quad-biking before dancing to a mariachi band in Puerto Vallarta, Mexico.

PANEL SHOW
QI XL
9.00pm ***BBC2***
Catch up via iPlayer

It doesn't happen very often on this show but there are several correct answers given in tonight's edition. It means that Sandi Toksvig scatters bonus points like confetti and the klaxon rarely blares out. Alan Davies, Jack Dee, Ed Byrne and Cally Beaton are getting theatrical, which isn't only what happens on stage but encompasses things like toddler tantrums too.

On that subject Dee tells a good story (it involves putting the kids in a sack) although it does rebound on him throughout the rest of the show. If you want to warm your brain up before watching, they're also asked, "What looks like a tomato and screams when stressed?" Hmm. **JR**

COMEDY
Live at the Apollo
9.45pm ***BBC2***
Catch up via iPlayer

Kae Kurd is taking a risk with his opening gambit of joking about the horrors of fighting a world war, monkey pox, mental health issues and anti-vaxxers. In less capable hands it could be a real downer but he's so sharp-witted he has the audience in fits of laughter. They're certainly nicely warmed-up by the time that Laura Smyth and Liam Farrelly come on stage.

The beauty of this series is it gives you a chance to see snappy sets from up-and-coming comedians without having to invest a whole evening in them. If one doesn't tickle your funny bone, the next one might. But all of tonight's comics will make you chuckle. **JR**

ENTERTAINMENT
The Graham Norton Show
10.40pm (11.10pm N Ireland) ***BBC1***
Catch up via iPlayer

Cate Blanchett has told some amusing stories when she's guested on the show before but this evening she's promoting her challenging new film *Tár*, in which she gives an intense performance as a paranoid conductor haunted by her past sins. There may not be much to laugh about there.

Joining her is Margot Robbie, who stars in *La La Land* director Damien Chazelle's latest love letter to the movies, *Babylon*, while Alan Carr is at the comedy end of the sofa talking about his Sicilian home renovation show *Amanda and Alan's Italian Job* (see opposite) – don't expect any DIY tips from him, though. **JR**

SPLIT FOCUS With Sophie (Chelsea Edge) leaving, can Neville (Ralf Little) keep his mind on the case?

DRAMA
Death in Paradise
9.00pm ***BBC1***
Catch up via iPlayer

This is a neat variation on a classic locked-room mystery, in that the victim is found murdered in an underground bunker. He was a "prepper", a guy who stockpiled supplies in the belief that a large-scale catastrophe was coming. And it's fair to say that the police team has a mixed response to the dead man and his fellow prophets of doom.

Marlon labels the commune-dwellers "crazies", while Neville stares at their subterranean chamber with a look of wonder. "Bunkers are cool," he exclaims, in much the same way as Matt Smith used to enthuse over bow ties on *Doctor Who*.

Once he gets over the novelty, Neville needs to figure out how cyanide ended up in the survivalist's drink. But his attention is divided – the case coinciding with love interest Sophie's imminent departure from the island. **DBr**

LIVE SPORT

Premier League Football
Aston Villa v Leeds
7.30pm (k/o 8pm) ***Sky Premier League/ Main Event***
Villa keeper Emiliano Martinez (above) performed heroics for Argentina at the World Cup. Now he's back to doing it at club level.

Serie A Football
Napoli v Juventus
7.30pm (k/o 7.45pm) ***BT Sport 1***
Top Italian action.

World Cup Hockey
from 7.30am ***BT Sport 2***
The women's tournament gets under way in India, with four matches today including England v Wales at 11.30am.

FILM OF THE DAY

The Ecstasy of Wilko Johnson ★★★★★ 15
11.00pm ***BBC4***
Showing in tribute to the late, great Wilko Johnson, Julien Temple's documentary finds the musician in sanguine mood after being diagnosed with cancer, prompting him to pick up his guitar and hit the road. (2015)

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FRIDAY Main Channels

DAYTIME

BBC1

6.00am Breakfast Naga Munchetty, Charlie Stayt. (S) (HD)

9.15 Rip-Off Britain: Holidays Disastrous holidays and troubles with travel. Last in series. (S) (HD)

10.00 Big Little Crimes A series of burglaries helps police to crack a drug-dealing ring. A consumer complaint brings down an SMS fraud. Last in series. (S) (HD)

10.45 For Love or Money A woman who lost a five-figure sum to an online Scrabble player. (R) (S) (HD)

11.15 Homes under the Hammer Properties in west London, Staffordshire and Bradford. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.15pm Bargain Hunt Nick Hall and Tim Weeks help two teams as they shop for bargains in Kent. (S) (AD) (HD)

1.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

1.45 Father Brown *2/10 Series 10.* Lady Felicia's impromptu visit coincides with Father Brown helping out a friend at an exclusive gentlemen's club. (S) (AD) (HD)

2.30 The Farmers' Country Showdown Mike and grandson Jan prepare for Petersfield Farmers' Market, hoping to sell their cheeses and veg. Phil and Sue are selling sausages made to a secret recipe. (R) (S) (HD)

3.00 Escape to the Country Ginny Buckley helps a couple from London find a home in Wiltshire. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

3.45 The Repair Shop The team tackles a pair of 1990s football boots, a wooden jack-in-the box and a lamp that belonged to a colliery nurse. (S) (AD) (HD)

4.30–5.15 Make It at Market Advice for artist Tasia, who produces striking digital work and paintings, while stone-carver Alex needs to overcome a confidence problem to fulfil his potential. (S) (AD) (HD)

BBC2

6.30am The Farmers' Country Showdown At Ripley Farmers' Market in Surrey. Shown yesterday 2.15pm BBC1 (S) (HD)

7.15 Make It at Market Shown Thu 4.30pm BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00–9.00 Sign Zone The Polar Bear Family and Me *1/3.* Gordon Buchanan and arctic survival experts travel to Svalbard, where they find a polar bear birth den. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 BBC News (S) (HD)

12.15pm Politics UK Political proceedings. (S) (HD)

1.00–5.15 LIVE Snooker The third quarter-final of the Masters at Alexandra Palace, featuring Mark Allen or Barry Hawkins v Judd Trump or Ryan Day over the best of 11 frames. Trump and Allen met in the first round here last year, when Trump edged through 6–5 and then defeated Kyren Wilson at this stage, before losing to Barry Hawkins in the semi-final. (S) (HD)

ITV1

6.00am Good Morning Britain (S) (HD)

9.00 Lorraine Showbiz gossip and guests. (S) (HD)

10.00 This Morning Lifestyle features, fashion and celebrity interviews. Including **Regional Weather** (S) (HD)

12.30pm Loose Women Frank exchanges. (S) (HD)

1.30 ITV Lunchtime News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

2.00 Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers travel around the country assessing items brought in by members of the public. Signed repeat 3am (S) (AD) (HD)

3.00–4.00 Lingo Middlesbrough couple Rob and Jane take on Mancunian pairs Stacey and Phil, and Kim and Gar in a battle of words. Adil Ray presents. Signed repeat 5.10am (S) (HD) Followed by **Regional Weather**

Channel 4

6.00am Find It, Fix It, Flog It In Surrey. (R) (S) (HD)

6.10 Countdown Hosted by Colin Murray. (R) (S) (HD)

6.50 3rd Rock from the Sun Double bill. (R) (S)

7.40 Everybody Loves Raymond (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Frasier Three episodes of the sitcom. (R) (S) (AD)

10.25 Undercover Boss USA The CEO of a California ski resort goes under cover. (R) (S) (HD) **11.25 News** (S) (HD)

11.30 Couples Come Dine with Me Three couples from around Bristol and Bath compete. (R) (S) (HD)

12.30pm Steph's Packed Lunch Weekday magazine show presented by Steph McGovern. (S) (HD)

2.10 Countdown With guest Heather Small. (S) (HD)

3.00 A Place in the Sun Horse-lovers Mel and James search for a home in Mijas Pueblo. Rptd 5pm 4seven (S) (HD)

4.00–5.00 A New Life in the Sun In Spain, two shop owners launch a fashion academy, and a couple host a classic-car rally in France. Rptd 6pm 4seven (S) (HD)

BBC1 1

Death in Paradise *9.00pm* Bunker mentality: a commune member (Robert Webb) is under question

5.15pm Pointless
Quiz presented by Alexander Armstrong. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 BBC News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 Regional news magazines (S)

7.00 The One Show
Presented by Alex Jones and Ronan Keating. (S) (HD)

7.30 Question of Sport
With Olympic gold medallists Steve Redgrave and Sally Gunnell, seven-time world snooker champion Stephen Hendry and rugby league great Martin Offiah.
Series producer Dave Gymer; Exec producer Gareth JM Edwards (S) (HD)

8.00 Would I Lie to You?
RT *2/11 Series 16.* Rob Brydon hosts as more celebrities reveal extraordinary stories about themselves. Are they telling the truth? Under captains Lee Mack and David Mitchell, guests Chizzy Akudolu, Simon Gregson, Michelle Visage and Henning Wehn will attempt to separate fact from fantasy. **See p100.**
Director Barbara Wiltshire; Series producer Adam Copeland (S) (HD)

8.30 Amanda and Alan's Italian Job
RT *2/8.* Amanda and Alan tackle the first major part of their renovation project – designing a traditional Sicilian kitchen. As Alan realises how challenging it can be to take on a build in a medieval hilltop town, Amanda secures a bargain and learns how to cook Sicily's signature dish. **See page 100.**
Director Alex Mucadum
Executive producers Sanjay Singhal and Claire Walls (S) (AD) (HD)
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9.00 Death in Paradise
RT *2/8 Series 12.* The team investigate a preppers commune when one of their members is poisoned inside a locked bunker. Meanwhile, Neville has a series of adventurous dates with Sophie. A box set of previous series is on iPlayer. **See page 101.**

DI Neville Parker	**Ralf Little**	Catherine Bordey	**Elizabeth Bourgine**
Commissioner Selwyn Patterson	**Don Warrington**	Sophie Chambers	**Chelsea Edge**
DS Naomi Thomas	**Shantol Jackson**	Luna Jones	**Felixe Forde**
Officer Marlon Pryce	**Tahj Miles**	Raya West	**Jo Hartley**
Training Officer Darlene Curtis	**Ginny Holder**	Kit Martin	**Elander Moore**
		Charlie Banks	**Joplin Sibtain**
		Justin West	**Robert Webb**

Writers Emma Goodwin and James Hall; Series producer Candida Julian-Jones; Director Declan Recks (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 BBC News Regional News; Weather (S) (HD)

10.40 The Graham Norton Show
RT Cate Blanchett is on the sofa this week, talking about her leading role as a classical music conductor in the film *Tár*. Also in the studio, Margot Robbie discusses her part in Damien Chazelle's *Babylon*, Alan Carr reflects on the BBC show *Amanda and Alan's Italian Job*, and dancer Ashley Banjo reveals the new tour by dance group Diversity, which is called Supernova. Music comes from RAYE, performing *The Thrill Is Gone*. **See page 101.**
Director Toby Baker; Series producer Jon Magnusson (S) (HD)

11.30 Beautiful Boy ★★★
Drama based on a true story starring Steve Carell. Journalist David Sheff struggles to understand his son's destructive drug addiction. Available on iPlayer for 30 days. **Review page 107.**

David Sheff	**Steve Carell**	Lauren	**Kaitlyn Dever**
Nic Sheff	**Timothée Chalamet**	Dr Brown	**Timothy Hutton**
Karen Barbour	**Maura Tierney**	Spencer	**Andre Royo**
Vicki Sheff	**Amy Ryan**	Daisy Sheff	**Oakley Bull**

Director Felix van Groeningen (2018, 15) (S)

1.20am That's My Jam *4/8.* Singers Becky Hill and Jason Derulo take on US hip-hop band Salt-N-Pepa. Mo Gilligan hosts. **See choice, page 40.** Shown Saturday 8pm (S) (HD)
2.20 Weather for the Week Ahead (S) (HD)
2.25–6.00am BBC News (S) (HD)

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BBC2 2

QI XL *9.00pm* A skull in the proceedings: Jack Dee joins a theatre-themed edition of the comedy quiz

5.15pm Flog It!
Mark Stacey and Michael Baggott assess items brought into Newby Hall in North Yorkshire. Mark discovers an interesting Clarice Cliff cake plate and Michael appraises an ancient Chinese urn. Meanwhile, Paul Martin takes in the splendours of the Adam interiors of the mansion. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 Richard Osman's House of Games
Jasmine Harman, Dave Johns, Suzannah Lipscomb and Jason Mohammad take part in the final round of trivia-based games before host Richard Osman announces the week's winner. (S) (HD)

6.30 Take a Hike
10/15 Series 2. This week's final trek on the Isle of Skye is musician Innes's mountain walk through the Glen of Sligachan, which he hopes will be a hit thanks to its dramatic views. But the boggy terrain is filled with midges, as he and the other hikers soon discover.
Producers Becky Nunn, Christina Nutter and Sion Thomas
Executive producers Becky Nunn and Narinder Minhas (S) (HD)

7.00 Snooker
The opening frames of the concluding quarter-final of the Masters at Alexandra Palace, featuring Neil Robertson or Shaun Murphy v Kyren Wilson or Stuart Bingham. Robertson reached the final for the fourth time last year and claimed his second Masters crown by defeating Barry Hawkins 10–4. The action continues on the red button.
Senior producer Dominic Wright; Exec producer Alison Witkover (S) (HD)

8.00 The Hairy Bikers Go Local
8/8. The final episode is something of a homecoming for Si King as the county of Northumberland beckons. In the village of Wall, which takes its name from nearby Hadrian's Wall, Scandinavian-born chef Alex and his partner Ally serve an 18-course tasting menu at Michelin-starred restaurant Hjem. Using locally sourced wild salmon, kimchi and chocolate, will the Bikers' three dishes impress Alex and Ally enough to make it on to the Hjem menu?
Series producer Francois Gandolfi; Executive producers Andrew Mackenzie-Betty and Melanie Leach (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 QI XL
RT Sandi Toksvig hosts an extended edition of the comedy quiz show, with Ed Byrne, Cally Beaton and Jack Dee joining regular panellist Alan Davies to answer theatre-themed questions. **See page 100.**
Director Ben Hardy; Producer Piers Fletcher (S) (HD)

9.45 Live at the Apollo
RT Kae Kurd performs her own routine before welcoming Laura Smyth and Liam Farrelly to the stage at a packed house at the Hammersmith Apollo in west London. **See page 100.**
Director Paul Wheeler; Series producer Anthony Caveney (S) (HD)

10.30 Newsnight With Mark Urban. (S) (HD)

11.00 Weather (S) (HD)

11.05 Snooker
Highlights of the concluding quarter-final in the Masters at Alexandra Palace. (S) (HD)

11.50 Snooker Extra
Extended highlights of a quarter-final match. (S) (HD)

1.50–4.35am Sign Zone 1.50 The Traitors *8/12.* The Faithful nervously wait to see who the Traitors eliminated, but a huge bombshell leaves the group reeling. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
2.50 Flipping Profit Art valuer Kate Bliss, trader Danny Sebastian and upcycler Stu Abbott head to Ludlow to find bargains they can make a healthy profit from. (R) (S) (AD) (HD)
3.35 Imagine... Sonia Boyce: Finding Her Voice Alan Yentob talks to the artist Sonia Boyce, the first black woman to represent Great Britain at the Venice Biennale. (R) (S) (HD)

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Coronation Street *8.00pm* Summer is left in danger following revelations about Esther and Mike

4.00pm Tipping Point
Three contestants answer questions and take turns on the supersized arcade machine in an attempt to walk away with a potential jackpot of £20,000. Ben Shephard presents. (S) (HD)

5.00 The Chase
Sharlene, Anjelica, Eric and John go head to head with one of the mighty Chasers with the aim of scooping a prize pot worth thousands of pounds. Bradley Walsh presents. (S) (HD)

6.00 Regional News Weather (S) (HD)

6.30 ITV Evening News Weather (S) (HD)

7.30 Emmerdale
Laurel gives Gabby something to think about. The Dingles must deal with a drama. Mack's efforts threaten to backfire on him.
Writer Paul Roundell Cast Monday/Thursday (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Coronation Street
Summer is put in danger by a revelation about Mike and Esther. Damon orders Jacob to leave town. Daisy receives flowers from an admirer.

Summer Spellman	**Harriet Bibby**	Izzy Armstrong	**Cherylee Houston**
Mike Hargrave	**Tom Lorcan**	Len Cameron	**Mark Murphy**
Esther Hargrave	**Vanessa Hehir**	Jess Heywood	**Donnaleigh Bailey**
Gemma Winter	**Dolly-Rose Campbell**	Maggie	**Keeley Harker**
Nick Tilsley	**Ben Price**	Glenda Shuttleworth	**Jodie Prenger**
Lauren Bolton	**Cait Fitton**	Aaron Sandford	**James Craven**
Toyah Habeeb	**Georgia Taylor**	Craig Tinker	**Colson Smith**
Leanne Battersby	**Jane Danson**	Tracy McDonald	**Kate Ford**
Maria Connor	**Samia Longchambon**	Blake Myers	**Adam Little**
DJ Teativo	**Joel Quinn**	Ava Haynes	**Thea Beyleveld**
Debbie Webster	**Sue Devaney**	Steve McDonald	**Simon Gregson**
Dee-Dee Bailey	**Channique Sterling-Brown**	Sarah Barlow	**Tina O'Brien**
		Ken Barlow	**William Roache**

Writers Owen Lloyd-Fox and Jan McVerry This week's episodes produced by Iain MacLeod, directed by Tim Royle and Griff Rowland More cast Wednesday (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Midsomer Murders
Series 20. **The Ghost of Causton Abbey** The town of Causton is abuzz when a new brewery opens on the site of a disused abbey, which is reputed to be cursed. Then the body of a man is discovered boiled to death in one of the vats, which perplexes DCI Barnaby and DS Winter. Could this crime really be just about the beer?

DCI John Barnaby	**Neil Dudgeon**	Irene Taylor	**Anita Harris**
DS Jamie Winter	**Nick Hendrix**	Paul Taylor	**Jason Merrells**
Sarah Barnaby	**Fiona Dolman**	Faiza Jindal	**Anjli Mohindra**
Sylvia Reynolds	**Elaine Paige**	Young Sylvia	**Beth Cooke**
Emani Taylor	**Amber Aga**	Brother Jozef	**John Cummins**
Fleur Perkins	**Annette Badland**	Toby Grundy	**Zebb Dempster**
Keith Grundy	**Michael Byrne**	Kwame Asante	**Chu Omambala**
Russell Grundy	**Tony Gardner**	Adam Osoba	**Justin Pierre**
Jenny Moss	**Angela Griffin**		

Writer Helen Jenkins; Producer Guy Hescott
Director Matt Carter (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

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10.50 ITV News
Weather; Regional News and Weather (S) (HD)

11.40 The NFL Show
Laura Woods, Osi Umenyiora and Jason Bell review all the big stories from the final week of the regular season, as the battle to reach the play-offs reached its conclusion.
Series producer Rob Williams (S) (HD)

12.30am All Elite Wrestling: Battle of the Belts The best action from Veterans Memorial Coliseum in Portland, Oregon. Shown Tue 12 midnight ITV4 (S) (HD)
1.30 Home Shopping (HD)
3.00 Dickinson's Real Deal David and the dealers search for treasure. Shown 2pm (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)
3.50 Unwind A sequence to calm the mind. (S) (HD)
5.10–6.00am Lingo Adil Ray introduces the fast-moving battle of words. Shown 3pm (S) (SL) (HD)

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Channel 4 4 / 7 in Wales

Travel Man: 48 Hours in Vilnius *8.30pm* It's Baltic out there: Joe and Sarah experience Lithuanian culture

5.00pm Come Dine with Me: the Professionals
Three sets of full-time chefs cook each other a three-course dinner in south Wales. (R) (S) (HD)

6.00 The Simpsons
Lisa the Beauty Queen. Homer enters Lisa in a beauty pageant to boost her self-esteem. (R) (S) (AD)

6.30 Hollyoaks
Dave and Honour are given an ultimatum.
Writer Jonathan Boam Cast Tue/Thu Shown yesterday 7pm E4 Rptd next Monday E4 Next episode follows on E4 (S) (AD) (HD)

7.00 Channel 4 News Sport; Weather (S) (HD)

8.00 Food Unwrapped
RT ***New series. Ep 1.*** The team returns to look at the secrets behind some of the nation's favourite food. Matt Tebbutt finds out why the shelf life for a vegetable stir-fry mix is so short, Jimmy Doherty uncovers how rocket ice lollies are made, and Kate Quilton travels to Portugal to discover more about piri-piri. **See page 100.**
Exec producer Sandy Watson; Series editor Glenn Swift (S) (AD) (HD)

8.30 Travel Man: 48 Hours in Vilnius
RT Joe Lycett is joined by fellow comic Sarah Millican for a fast and funny exploration of the Lithuanian capital. The pair take to the skies in a hot-air balloon, before sampling some of the city's food, including beetroot soup and cepelinai dumplings. Later, they explore Vilnius's medieval centre on foot and discover all there is to know about amber when they make jewellery. **See p100.**
Series director Nicola Silk
Series producer Chris Richards (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Jon and Lucy's Odd Couples
RT ***New series. 1/6.*** Jon Richardson and Lucy Beaumont invite two celebrity couples to go head to head to decide who has the best relationship. Tonight, *Countdown's* Rachel Riley and professional dancer Pasha Kovalev, and comedians Richard Herring and Catie Wilkins take on patience-testing challenges. **See p100.**
Series producer Stevie Miller; Executive producers Lee Hupfield and Sohail Shah Repeated 2.40am 4seven (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown
Jonathan Ross and Russell Kane take on Alan Carr and Judi Love, while Josh Jones joins Susie Dent in Dictionary Corner. Hosted by Jimmy Carr.
Series producer Jodie Krstic; Executive producers Richard Cohen and Ruth Phillips Repeated 3.50am 4seven (R) (S) (HD)

11.05 Celebrity Gogglebox
In this episode from June 2022, *Stranger Things, Hunted, Platinum Party at the Palace* and *Celebrity Karaoke Club* are appraised by famous faces including Nick and Liv Grimshaw, Rylan and his mum Linda, and Shaun Ryder and Bez.
Executive producers Mike Cotton, Leon Campbell, Victoria Ray and Sophie Lloyd (R) (S) (AD) (HD)

12.10am GI Joe: the Rise of Cobra ★★★★ Action adventure starring Channing Tatum, Sienna Miller and Dennis Quaid. A US Army unit transporting nano-tech warheads is threatened by the mysterious Cobra organisation. Available on All 4 for 30 days.
Director Stephen Sommers (2009, 12) (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
2.10 Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA From the Classic American restaurant in New York. (R) (S) (SL) (HD)
3.00 The Simpsons Three Halloween tales. (R) (S) (AD)
3.25 Come Dine with Me In Gloucestershire. (R) (S) (HD)
5.40 Kirstie's House of Craft How to turn the humble toilet roll into a host of fun animal shapes. (R) (S) (HD)
5.50–6.15am Food Unwrapped Andi Oliver looks at how onions are peeled on a huge scale. (R) (S) (SL) (AD) (HD)

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Wayfaring Stranger with Phil Cunningham *9.00pm* Mapping out musical links across the seas

7.00pm Top of the Pops 1994
Tony Dortie introduces the edition first shown on 6 January. Featuring performances by D:Ream, Dina Carroll, East 17, the Mission, DJ Duke, Wet Wet Wet, and Chaka Demus and Pliers.
Repeated 2.35am (R) (S)
7.30 An edition from 13 January. With performances by Culture Beat, Bryan Adams, Rod Stewart and Sting, K7, CeCe Peniston, the The and Eternal.
Director/Producer Stanley Appel Rptd 3.05am (R) (S)

8.00 Top of the Pops 1977
David Hamilton presents an edition from 13 January, including David Parton, Status Quo, Pussycat, Gallagher and Lyle, Barry Biggs and Liverpool Express.
Producer Robin Nash, Director Stanley Appel (R) (S)

8.30 Top of the Pops 1983
Music from 13 January, featuring Incantation, Men at Work, Keith Harris and Orville, the Belle Stars, John Williams, Eddy Grant, the Maisonettes, Phil Collins and Donna Summer.
Producer/director Michael Hurll (R) (S)

9.00 Wayfaring Stranger with Phil Cunningham
1/3. Music and history combine as renowned Scottish performer Phil Cunningham explores age-old musical connections between Scotland, Ulster and America. Featuring a wealth of music, both sacred and secular, this opening episode includes performances from Belfast-born singer/songwriter Paul Brady and American musician Rhiannon Giddens. From 2017.
Producer Fiona Keane; Executive producers Deirdre Devlin and Ewan Angus Repeated 1.35am
First shown on BBC2 Northern Ireland (S) (HD)

10.00 Transatlantic Sessions
1/7 *Series 1.* Performances of folk, country and traditional music, including *Wheels of Love* by Emmylou Harris with Iris DeMent and Mary Black.
10.30 ***2/7.*** Music by artists including Kathy Mattea, John Martyn, Karen Matheson and Savourna Stevenson.
Director/Producer Mike Alexander
First shown on BBC Alba (S) (HD)

11.00 The Ecstasy of Wilko Johnson ★★★★★
After being diagnosed with pancreatic cancer, Dr Feelgood musician Wilko Johnson resolved to live out his remaining months playing music. The terminal diagnosis prompted him to record an album with Roger Daltrey in just eight days and to embark on a series of farewell tours, as captured in a documentary that blends archive footage with an interview in which Johnson reflects on the power of mortality. **Film of the Day: page 107.**
Director Julien Temple (2015, 15) (S) (W) (HD)

12.35am Punk at the BBC Archive performances from 1975 to 1981, including Dr Feelgood and the Sex Pistols. (R) (S)
1.35 Wayfaring Stranger with Phil Cunningham Shown 9pm (S) (HD)
2.35–3.35am Top of the Pops 1994 Shown 7/7.30pm (S)

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FRIDAY Television

BBC1 SCOTLAND
11.15am–12.15pm Homes under the Hammer **7.30** Screen Grab: Georgie Powell helps a family control their tech dependency **8.00** Life on the Bay: Billy plans a skydive **8.30–9.00** Would I Lie to You? **11.30** Question of Sport **12 midnight FILM:** Beautiful Boy **1.55am** That's My Jam **2.55** Weather for the Week Ahead **3.00–6.00** BBC News

BBC SCOTLAND
7.00pm The Seven **8.00 FILM:** The Decoy Bride: romantic comedy with Kelly Macdonald, David Tennant and Alice Eve **9.25** Loop **9.30** Best of Chewin' the Fat **10.00** Still Game **10.30** Josh Taylor: Portrait of a Fighter **11.30–12 midnight** Scottish Cup Classics: Rangers v Queen of the South from 2008

STV
7.00–7.30pm Sean's Scotland Revisited **3.50–5.10am** Night Vision

BBC1 WALES
3.00pm Wales's Home of the Year **3.30–3.45** Hairy Bikers: Namibian BBQ **7.30–8.00** Kiri's TV Flashback: Kiri Pritchard-McLean salutes the unlikely heroes of Wales

ITV1 WALES
6.30pm ITV Evening News; Weather **7.00–7.30** Born to Farm: new series. Winter brings a new start for Kate and Anna

BBC1 NORTHERN IRELAND
7.30–8.00pm B&B by the Sea: *Gavin & Stacey* star Larry Lamb stays at the B&B **10.40** Give My Head Peace: Pastor Begbie vows to track down an undercover cop who put him away **11.10** The Graham Norton Show **12 midnight** Question of Sport **12.30am** Pretty Little Liars: Original Sin **1.20–6.00** BBC News

UTV
6.30pm ITV Evening News; Weather **7.00–7.30** UTV Life: an eclectic mix of stories and guests

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FRIDAY Freeview

Channel 5 [5]

Holidaying with Jane McDonald *9.00pm* Jane hits the surf in Mexico

5.35am Milkshake! See page 106
9.15 *New.* Jeremy Vine (S) (HD)
12.45pm Traffic Cops A wanted driver shunts into the back of Nick Lovatt's vehicle, while officers are called in to back up colleagues battling a crowd of bank holiday revellers. (S) (HD) **1.40 5 News** (S) (HD)
1.45 Home and Away Trying to be a friend, Mackenzie advises Remi to give up on his hopes for love with Bree. Xander secures a date with a charmed Stacey. Shown yesterday 6.30pm 5 Star (S) (HD)
2.15 Big Lies in a Small Town ★★
P Thriller starring Rhonda Dent and Kristina Paras. A young mother searches for her daughter who has gone missing after a car accident.
Director Danny J Boyle (2022) (S) (W) (HD)
4.00 *New.* Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun Documentary following Brits who moved to Spain, swapping the damp and grey conditions of the UK for a new low-cost life in the Spanish sun. (S) (HD)
5.00pm 5 News (S) (HD)
6.00 Holiday Homes in the Sun Amanda Lamb, JB Gill and Sam Pinkham are in Begur – a hidden treasure nestled in northern Catalonia – competing to find the best holiday home. (S) (HD)
6.55 5 News Update (S) (HD)
7.00 Argos: How Do They Really Do It? For decades, Argos has been a fixture of the UK's high streets – seemingly selling everything. This show reveals what really goes on behind the counter at the retail giant. (S) (HD)
7.55 5 News Update (S) (HD)
8.00 *New.* Cruising with Susan Calman
3/6 Series 2. After a flight from Edinburgh to Dubrovnik, Susan Calman takes a cruise ship around the Greek islands and disembarks in Crete, where she explores the harbour of Chania and travels into the mountains to taste a local farm's olive oil.
Director/Producer Katie Greaves (S) (HD)
Followed by **5 News Update** (S) (HD)
9.00 *New.* Holidaying with Jane McDonald
2/3 Series 2. This week, Jane visits the Mexican beach resort city of Puerto Vallarta. Here, she explores the rainforest on a quad bike, takes to the waves for a spot of surfing and dances the night away to a mariachi band.
Director/Producer Vanessa Williams (S) (HD)
10.00 Britain's Favourite 70s Songs Some of the best loved 1970s performances from the likes of Elton John, Toto and the Bay City Rollers. (S) (HD)
12.50am Entertainment News (S) (HD) **1.00 *New.*** Casino (S) (HD) **3.00** Entertainment News (S) (HD) **3.05** Holiday Homes in the Sun (S) (HD) **3.55** My Mum's Hotter than Me! (S) (SL) (HD) **4.45** Divine Designs (S) (SL)
5.10–5.35am House Doctor (S) (SL)

C5 **F'view** 5/**HD** 105 **F'sat** 105 **Sky** 105 **Virgin** 154/**HD** 105
+1 **Freeview** 46 **Freesat** 128 **Sky** 205 **Virgin** 155

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BBC3 [23]

Mary Queen of Scots *9.00pm* Can Mary (Saoirse Ronan) reclaim her throne?

7.00pm Top Gear Chris Harris and Rory Reid take a road trip across Cuba in second-hand cars. (S) (HD) Followed by ***New.* The Catch Up** (S) (HD)
8.00 Waterloo Road
2/22 Series 11. It's the day of the funeral and Donte is not coping well. Back at school, Danny's first day gets off to a terrible start. **See choice, page 70.**
Shown Tuesday 8pm BBC1 (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Mary Queen of Scots ★★★
Historical drama with Saoirse Ronan and Margot Robbie. In 1561, young Catholic queen Mary returns to Scotland to reclaim her throne, which threatens the status of her cousin, Elizabeth, the Protestant queen of England. When Elizabeth attempts to intervene by sending English suitors up to Scotland, her plans backfire, and a vicious power struggle commences. Available on iPlayer for 25 days. **Review page 57.**
Director Josie Rourke (2018, 15) (S) (W) (HD)
Shown Sunday BBC2
10.55 Bad Education: Reunion Special Class K are back for a careers day and party that descend into mayhem. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.40 Blood, Sweat and Cheer Following the disabled and non-disabled athletes of Team Wales Adaptive Abilities on and off the mat as they prepare for the World Cheerleading Championships in Florida.
Shown Wednesday 9.30pm (S) (AD) (HD)
12.25am Meet the Khans: Big in Bolton (S) (HD) **1.30** Young MasterChef (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Bad Education: Reunion Special (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **3.45–4.00am** Zen Motoring (S) (HD)

BBC3 **F'view** 23/**HD** 109 (not Scot/Wales) **F'sat** 179/**HD** 107 **Sky** 117 (173 London; 141 Scot) **Virgin** 107 (157 Scot/Wales)

ITV2 [6]

6.00am World's Funniest Videos (S) (HD)
6.35 Totally Bonkers Guinness World Records (S) (HD) **7.00** Secret Crush (S) (SL) (HD) **8.00** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **9.00** Chuck (S) (HD) **10.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **11.00** The OC (S) (HD)
12 noon Secret Crush (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Dress to Impress (S) (HD) **2.00** Family Fortunes (S) (HD) **3.05** Chuck (S) (HD) **4.00** One Tree Hill (S) (HD) **5.00** The OC (S) (HD)
6.00pm Catchphrase Celebrity Special With guests Jennie McAlpine, Jason Watkins and Ore Oduba. (S) (AD) (HD)
7.00 Ninja Warrior UK: Race for Glory Ben Shephard, Rochelle Humes and Chris Kamara host as contenders take on the obstacle course in two knockout competitions to find male and female champions. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.00 Superstore *17/21 Series 5.* Amy organises a community service event, but it's jeopardised by Jeff's return. Meanwhile, Garrett tries to prove his intelligence, and Sandra confronts Jonah. (S) (AD) (HD)
8.30 *18/21.* Amy becomes frustrated by criticisms of her parenting when she has to bring her baby to the store. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 FILM 2 Fast 2 Furious ★★★ Action thriller starring Paul Walker. Disgraced cop Brian O'Conner is given the chance to redeem himself by going under cover to entrap a powerful Miami drugs baron. (S) (AD) (W) (HD)
11.10 Family Guy *Series 12.* Brian passes on herpes to Stewie. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.40 Three traditional fairy tales are retold Quahog-style. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.10am American Dad! (S) (AD) (HD) **1.05** Superstore (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** CelebAbility (S) (HD) **2.45–3.00am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV2 **Freeview** 6 **Freesat** 113 **Sky** 118 **Virgin** 115/**HD** 176
+1 **Freeview** 29 **Freesat** 114 **Sky** 218 **Virgin** 116

ITV3 [10]

Doc Martin *8.00pm* Burt and son Al don't see eye to eye about the future

6.00am Classic Emmerdale (S) **7.00** Classic Coronation Street (S) (AD) **8.05** George & Mildred (S) **9.15** Agatha Christie's Marple: *At Bertram's Hotel.* The reading of a will leads to murder Repeated 12.05am (S) (AD) (HD) **11.30** Heartbeat: *3/10.* Nick and Greengrass are held hostage; **12.35pm** *4/10.* Foot-and-mouth disease hits Aidensfield (S) (AD)
1.40pm Classic Emmerdale: double bill. Charity is wracked with guilt as Debbie is still missing, then the Marsden family arrive in Emmerdale (S) **2.40** Classic Coronation Street: double bill. Candice is smug that things did not go well for Todd and Sarah, then Dev persuades Vik not to seek trouble at Hazel's house (S) (AD) **3.45** Inspector Morse: *Series 3. The Last Enemy.* The master of a prestigious college asks Morse to look into the disappearance of one of his colleagues. Barry Foster guest-stars (S) (AD) (HD)
6.00pm Heartbeat
5/10 Series 2. An Army deserter arrives in the village following a clash with his sergeant – and causes problems. (S) (AD) **7.00** *6/10.* A woman claims her husband has been falsely imprisoned. Meanwhile, Bellamy learns Jennifer is pregnant. (S) (AD)
8.00 Doc Martin
3/6 Series 1. **Sh*t Happens.** A stomach bug sweeps through Portwenn and the doctor suspects the water supply. (S) (AD) **9.00** *4/6.* **The Portwenn Effect.** Louisa endeavours to help one of her pupils, and Mark seeks romantic advice. (S) (AD)
10.00 DCI Banks
3/6 Series 4. **Buried 1/2.** When a lawyer is found dead, evidence at first seems to point to an employee with whom she was having an affair. But Banks suspects that the truth might lie within her family. (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** *4/6.* **Buried 2/2.** The detective faces a race against time to find an armed man who will stop at nothing to silence the main witness to the killing of an eminent barrister. (S) (AD) (HD)
12.05am Agatha Christie's Marple Shown 9.15am (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **2.15–2.30am** Unwind (S) (HD)

ITV3 **Freeview** 10 **Freesat** 115 **Sky** 119 **Virgin** 117/**HD** 177
+1 **F'view** 59 *(9pm–4am)* **F'sat** 116 **Sky** 219 **Virgin** 174

ITV4 [26]

6.00am The Saint (S) **6.55** The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **9.05** The Sweeney (S) **10.10** Minder (S) (AD) **11.15** The Saint (S)
12.15pm The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (AD) (HD) **1.25** Minder (S) (AD) **2.25** Magnum, PI (S) (HD) **3.30** Made in Britain (S) (AD) (HD)
4.00 LIVE Darts: Jacqui Oatley presents live coverage of the second and concluding day of the World Series of Darts: Bahrain Masters from Sakhir (S) (HD)
8.00pm The Chase Celebrity Special Mikey North, Una Healy, Carl Froch and Alison Hammond take part. (S) (HD)
9.00 *New.* All Elite Wrestling: Dynamite Hard-hitting wrestling action. (S) (HD)
11.05 FILM Cobra ★★ Action thriller with Sylvester Stallone and Brigitte Nielsen. Marion "Cobra" Cobretti is the man whose methods are called upon when all routine policing procedures have failed. So when a cult starts wreaking havoc and a witness needs protecting, the police know who to send for. (S) (W) (HD)
12.55am The Adventures of Sherlock Holmes (S) (SL) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Auto Mundial (S) (HD) **2.30–3.00am** Motorsport Mundial (S) (HD)

ITV4 **Freeview** 26 **Freesat** 117 **Sky** 120 **Virgin** 118/**HD** 178
+1 **Freesat** 118 **Sky** 220 **Virgin** 175

Drama [20]

Father Brown *8.00pm* The priest is confused by a murder in a vineyard

7.25am All Creatures Great and Small Repeated 4.10pm (S) **8.15** The Bill **9.15** Classic Holby City: Fletch clashes with estranged father Steven (S) (HD) **10.35** Classic Casualty: Ethan discovers Scott's brother Mickey is secretly in a relationship with Jez (HD) **11.40** The Bill: the officers attend the memorial service
12.40pm Classic EastEnders: double bill. Kat tries to put Anthony straight, then Nathan sets up Barry **2.00** Howards' Way: *10/13 Series 1* Tom becomes involved in an explosion near the Flying Fish Repeated 2.50am **3.10** Pie in the Sky: *10/10 Series 1.* Henry Crabbe takes on conservationists Repeated 1.50am (S) **4.10** All Creatures Great and Small: *12/12 Series 6 The Best Time.* Mrs Clarke snubs her Italian neighbour Shown 7.25am **5.25** As Time Goes By: Lionel's script is radically altered Rptd 1.10am (S)
6.00pm Are You Being Served? *Series 7.* **Mrs Slocombe, Senior Person** Mrs Slocombe takes charge. (S)
6.40 Some Mothers Do 'Ave 'Em *1/7 Series 1.* **Getting a Job (The Job Interview).** Disaster-prone Frank attends an interview for a salesman's job. Rptd 12.30am
7.20 Last of the Summer Wine *Series 3.* **Mending Stuart's Leg.** The trio help a friend with a medical problem. (S)
8.00 Father Brown
9/15 Series 3. **The Truth in the Wine.** A body is found in a vineyard. (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** *10/15.* **The Judgement of Man** The priest becomes embroiled in an audacious art heist. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 New Tricks
7/10 Series 10. **Things Can Only Get Better.** The team investigates the death of an MP's researcher. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.10 Hustle
4/6 Series 7. **Benny's Funeral.** Mickey and Ash's old grifter mate Benny reveals he is in debt and running for his life. (HD)
12.30am Some Mothers Do 'Ave 'Em Shown 6.40pm **1.10** As Time Goes By Shown 5.25pm (S) **1.50** Pie in the Sky Shown 3.10pm (S) **2.50–4.00am** Howards' Way Shown 2pm

Drama **Freeview** 20 **Freesat** 158 **Sky** 143 **Virgin** 130
+1 **Freeview** 60 **Sky** 243 **Virgin** 226

ITVBe [28]

7.00am The Real Housewives of Cheshire: Nermina speaks her mind (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Buying and Selling (S) (HD) **9.00** LittleBe (HD)
12 noon Be Beautiful (S) (AD) (HD) **12.10pm** The Real Housewives of New York City (S) (HD) **1.05** The Real Housewives of Cheshire (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** The Only Way Is Essex (S) (HD) **3.05** Million Dollar Listing: LA (S) (HD) **4.05** The Real Housewives of Atlanta (S) (HD) **5.00** The Real Housewives of New Jersey (S) (HD)
6.00pm Masters of Flip Dave and Kortney advise the owners of a home blighted by termite and water damage. (S) (HD)
7.00 Buying and Selling Tackling a home which is failing to attract buyers. (S) (HD)
8.00 Dinner Date Jono from Tamworth takes part in the matchmaking show. (S) (AD) (HD)
9.00 Botched After a dog ripped off half of her lip, a 25-year-old asks the doctors for help, while Terry Dubrow performs surgery on a woman with spina bifida. (S) (AD) (HD)
10.00 A young woman ravaged by a flesh-eating disease seeks help. (S) (AD) (HD)
11.00 The Cabins A young singleton hopes his first ever date will be a success. (S) (HD)
12 midnight–1.00am The Only Way Is Essex (S) (HD)

ITVBe **Freeview** 28 **Freesat** 119 **Sky** 131 **Virgin** 119/**HD** 179
+1 **Virgin** 120 (Scotland 162)

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The Great Pottery Throw Down *7.45pm* Siobhán watches the wheel

8.55am Kirstie's Vintage Gems **9.15** A Place in the Sun **10.05** A New Life in the Sun **11.05** Find It, Fix It, Flog It: double bill **1.10pm** Heir Hunters **3.10** Four in a Bed **5.55** Kirstie and Phil's Love It or List It (AD)

6.55pm A Place in the Sun Hull resident Peter and his mum Greta employ the skills of Jonnie Irwin to help find a dream property in Huelva, Spain, on a £150,000 budget.

7.45 The Great Pottery Throw Down *Ep 1* Siobhán McSweeney hosts as 12 home potters compete to become king or queen of the clay. In the first episode, judges Keith Brymer Jones and Rich Miller will be watching closely as the contestants whip up a birthday tea set. **See choice, page 51.** Shown Sun 7.45pm C4 (AD)

9.00 24 Hours in A&E A 77-year-old man arrives with a potentially deadly swelling of the main artery that could burst at any moment, his only option being major surgery. (AD)

10.00 Two 19-year-old women are hurt when the bar they were dancing on collapsed. A bricklayer is badly cut by a mugger. (AD)

11.05 Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown Jimmy Carr hosts as Jon Richardson and Joe Lycett take on Sean Lock and Michelle Wolf, with Adam Riches in Dictionary Corner.

12.10am Jonathan Ross, Lee Mack and Victoria Coren Mitchell join regulars Jon Richardson and Jimmy Carr for the game.

1.15 24 Hours in A&E: double bill (AD) **3.20–3.50am** Food Unwrapped (AD)

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E4 13

6.00am Hollyoaks Shown Wednesday/Thursday 6.30pm Channel 4 (AD) **7.30** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **8.30** The Goldbergs (AD) **10.00** The Big Bang Theory (AD)

12 noon Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **1.00pm** The Big Bang Theory (AD) **3.00** Modern Family **4.00** Brooklyn Nine-Nine (AD) **5.00** The Big Bang Theory: double bill (AD)

6.00pm The Big Bang Theory *5/24* *Series 10.* Amy and Sheldon have an argument over their bathroom schedules. (AD)

6.30 *6/24.* Penny discovers she has a fan-base from her *Serial Ape-ist* days. (AD)

7.00 ***New.*** **Hollyoaks** Sienna wonders if she has made the right decision. Cast pp73/93 (AD)

7.30 ***New.*** **Modern Family** *15/24* *Series 6* Sal has a baby shower. First shown on Sky

8.00 The Great Stand Up To Cancer Bake Off James Acaster, Russell Tovey, Rylan and Michelle Keegan take part. (AD)

9.00 Gogglebox: Celebrity Special for SU2C With Mo Gilligan and Adrian Dunbar. (AD)

10.00 Celebrity Gogglebox 2022 The best moments from the series. (AD)

11.05 Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits The show's romantic success stories. (AD)

12.10am Naked Attraction (AD) **1.15** First Dates (SL) (AD) **2.15** as 10pm **3.10** Naked Attraction's Best Naughty Bits (AD) **4.05** Ramsay's Kitchen Nightmares USA **4.55–6.00am** The Goldbergs (AD)

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6.00am Fantasy Homes by the Sea (AD) **7.00** Home Shopping **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** Posh Pawnbrokers **10.00** Antiques Road Trip **12 noon** Money for Nothing **1.00pm** The Bidding Room **2.00** Animal Cops Houston (AD) **4.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet **5.00** Cornwall Air 999 **6.00** Money for Nothing **7.00** Antiques Road Trip **9.00** A Haunting **10.00** ***New.*** Help! My House Is Haunted **11.00** Ghost Adventures **12 midnight** The Osbournes Want to Believe **1.00am** Ghost Adventures **2.00** Home Shopping **4.00–6.00am** Animal Cops Houston (AD)

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Sky Arts 11

Rick Wakeman: the Six Wives of Henry VIII *11.15pm* The 1973 album

6.00am Darbar Festival 2018 **7.00** Andrea Bocelli: Cinema **9.00** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **10.00** Alfred Hitchcock Presents **11.00** Discovering: Harrison Ford

12 noon Wonderland: from JM Barrie to JRR Tolkien **1.00pm** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **2.00** What Was Virginia Woolf Afraid Of? **3.00** Portrait Artist of the Year (AD) **4.00** Discovering: Meryl Streep **5.00** Tales of the Unexpected: double bill (AD)

6.00pm Alfred Hitchcock Presents A man who claims to be from Mars is interviewed by a newspaper reporter. Steve McQueen stars.

6.30 A man seeks revenge on a bank clerk who once stole some money from him.

7.00 The Moody Blues: Days of Future Passed The band perform their album at the Sony Centre in Toronto during a 2017 tour to celebrate the record's 50th anniversary.

8.45 ***New.*** **United Kingdom of Pop** A look at the key figures and movements in British pop music, ranging from the Beatles and Rolling Stones to Coldplay and Adele.

10.00 ***New.*** Conclusion of the look at key figures and movements in British pop.

11.15 Rick Wakeman: the Six Wives of Henry VIII A look at the Yes keyboard player's 1973 concept album, based on his musical interpretations of Henry VIII's six wives.

1.35am Maximum R&B: the Birth of the Who **2.35** Hendrix and the Spook (AD) **4.30** Tales of the Unexpected (AD) **5.00** Music Icons: Alt Rock **5.30–6.00am** Video Killed the Radio Star

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9.00am Come Dine with Me: from south-east London (AD) **11.30** A Place in the Sun

1.30pm A New Life in the Sun **2.30** Come Dine with Me **5.00** A Place in the Sun

6.00pm A New Life in the Sun In France, a couple host their final event of the season – a classic-car rally. Shown 4pm Channel 4

7.00 George Clarke's Old House, New Home George looks to inspiration from Japan to help Rachel and Sarah with their Victorian terraced in Worthing. (SL) (AD)

8.00 George Clarke's Amazing Spaces *Ep 1 Series 11.* The architect visits a carpenter trying to save a boat from the breakers yard. **See choice, page 60.** Shown Mon 8pm C4 (AD)

9.00 FILM Bohemian Rhapsody ★★★ Biographical music drama with Rami Malek. London, 1970: Farrokh Bulsara dreams of becoming a rock star. When he joins local group Smile and changes his name to Freddie Mercury, the band Queen is born. **Review page 47.** Shown Saturday 9pm Channel 4 (AD)

11.40 FILM Pulp Fiction ★★★★★ Quentin Tarantino's award-winning, multi-stranded crime drama, starring John Travolta and Uma Thurman. **Review p57.** Shown Sun 10pm C4 (AD)

2.40am Jon & Lucy's Odd Couples **3.50–4.35am** Eight out of Ten Cats Does Countdown

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6.00am How Do They Do It? **6.25** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **7.10** The Repair Shop **8.00** American Pickers **10.00** Chasing Classic Cars (AD) **11.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars (AD) **12 noon** How It's Made: Dream Cars **1.00pm** The Repair Shop **2.00** The Restoration Man **3.00** Find It, Fix It, Flog It **4.00** Salvage Hunters **5.00** Salvage Hunters: the Restorers (AD) **6.00** Wheeler Dealers **7.00** Aussie Gold Hunters **8.00** Salvage Hunters **9.00** ***New.*** Helicopter ER **10.00** ***New.*** Ambulance (AD) **11.00** How Do They Do It? **12 midnight** Wheeler Dealers **1.00am** Cornwall Air 999 **2.00** Salvage Hunters: Classic Cars (AD) **3.00** How It's Made: Dream Cars **4.00–5.00am** How It's Made

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Yesterday 27

Secrets of the London Underground *8.00pm* Tim is in Piccadilly Circus

6.00am The Living Universe: double bill **8.00** Abandoned Engineering (AD) **9.00** Secret Nazi Bases **10.00** Warbird Workshop **11.00** Fred Dibnah's Building of Britain

12 noon Great British Railway Journeys **2.00pm** Bangers and Cash **4.00** Secret Nazi Bases **5.00** Warbird Workshop

6.00pm Great British Railway Journeys Michael Portillo visits places of interest in West Sussex and Hampshire.

6.30 In Dorset, Michael Portillo visits Brownsea Island, where the Scout movement began.

7.00 Fred Dibnah's Building of Britain A look at structures from the Middle Ages.

7.30 Fred Dibnah demonstrates the design skills that shaped Scottish baronial style

8.00 Secrets of the London Underground Tim Dunn and Siddy Holloway explore the disused parts of Piccadilly Circus. (AD)

9.00 Exploring the hidden parts of Euston. (AD)

10.00 Bangers and Cash A 1970s Bond Bug three-wheeler divides opinion.

11.00 Abandoned Engineering A formerly luxurious and strategic mountain-top villa on the island of Rhodes in the Mediterranean. (AD)

12 midnight Great British Railway Journeys **1.00–3.00am** The Living Universe: double bill

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7.10am Modern Wheels or Classic Steals: double bill **8.00** Fast Justice **9.00** Top Gear (AD) **10.00** Rick Stein's Far Eastern Odyssey (AD) **11.00** Rick Stein's Taste of Shanghai (AD)

12 noon ***New.*** The Force: behind the Line: the work of the Western Australian police **1.00pm** Border Force: America's Gatekeepers (AD) **2.00** Top Gear: double bill (AD) **4.00** QI XL **5.00** Taskmaster: double bill

7.00pm Richard Osman's House of Games David Baddiel, Alex Brooker, Sophie Duker and Charlotte Hawkins compete.

7.40 Would I Lie to You? With Danny Dyer, Jon Richardson, Moira Stuart and Joe Lycett.

8.20 QI With Jen Brister, Jimmy Carr and Chris McCausland. Sandi Toksvig hosts.

9.00 Have I Got a Bit More News for You Extended edition, hosted by Gary Lineker.

10.00 QI XL Josh Widdicombe, Cariad Lloyd and Paul Sinha join regular panellist Alan Davies and quizmaster Sandi Toksvig.

11.00 Taskmaster *10/10* *Series 6.* Tim Vine attempts a risky impersonation.

12 midnight Mock the Week **12.40am** Would I Lie to You? **1.20** QI **2.00** Richard Osman's House of Games **2.35** The Best of Famalam **3.05–4.00am** Modern Wheels or Classic Steals

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6.00am Dork Hunters from Outer Space **6.30** Kong: the Animated Series **7.00** Roswell Conspiracies **7.30** Extreme Dinosaurs **8.00** Stone Age **8.30** Skysurfer Strike Force **9.00** Department S **10.00** The World's Most Extraordinary Families **11.00** Shine On Harvey Moon **12 noon** Dear John **12.45pm FILM** Tiger in the Smoke ★★★ (BW) **2.35 FILM** Odd Man Out ★★★★★ (BW) **4.45** Secrets of London with Mark Monroe **5.00** Dear John **5.45** Secrets of London with Mark Monroe **6.00** London Live News **7.00** For the Love of Ada **8.00** Hell Below **9.00** Brazen Hussies **10.50 FILM** Jeffrey ★★★★ **12.50am FILM** Jack & Sarah ★★★ Romantic comedy drama **3.05** London Districts **3.30** News Rewind **5.00–6.00am** Talking Points

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Other regional stations are available on Freeview 7 or 8 around the country

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9.00am Entertainment News **9.05** Murder, She Wrote **10.05** NCIS (AD) **2.55pm** Entertainment News **3.00** Law & Order **5.00** NCIS *Series 10.* Five episodes. A navy reservist returns home to find her husband missing **6.00** Ziva and Tony travel to Berlin to track down Ilan Bodnar **7.00** The team tracks Bodnar's SUV to a remote house **8.00** A cook from a US Navy destroyer tells McGee and Gibbs someone is stalking him **9.00** A Navy SEAL's wife receives a package containing her husband's severed head (AD) **10.00** Law & Order: Special Victims Unit **1.55am** The Blacklist **3.35–4.00am** Street Crime UK: Caught on Camera

5 USA Freeview 21 Freesat 129 Sky 141 Virgin 153 +1 Freesat 130 Sky 241 Virgin 185

5 Star 32

8.00am Entertainment News **8.10** Rich Kids Go Skint **9.00** Bargain-Loving Brits in the Sun **10.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law **11.00** Nightmare Tenants, Slum Landlords **12 noon** Traffic Cops **2.00pm** Police Interceptors **5.00** Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law

6.00pm Home and Away Xander secures a date with Stacey. Shown Thu 6.30pm 5 Star (AD)

6.30 ***New.*** Remi consoles a distraught Bree, trying to aid her escape plan from Jacob. (AD)

7.00 Shoplifters and Scammers: at War with the Law Thwarting criminals.

8.00 ***New.*** **Car Pound Cops: Give Me My Car Back!** Following vehicle recovery crews.

9.00 FILM The Magnificent Seven ★★★ Remake of the classic western, starring Denzel Washington, Chris Pratt and Ethan Hawke.

11.45 FILM Kiss the Girls ★★★ Detective thriller starring Morgan Freeman, Ashley Judd and Cary Elwes. **Review page 107.**

2.05am Porn Stars: Our Secret World: a look at the porn industry **3.00** Fights, Camera, Action! (AD) **3.55–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Star Freeview 32 Freesat 131 Sky 128 Virgin 151 +1 Freesat 141 Sky 228 Virgin 186

5 Action 33

9.00am Entertainment News **9.15** Winter Road Rescue **10.30** Trucking Hell **11.35** Police Interceptors: a van thief takes a wrong turn

12.40pm FILM Tumbleweed ★★ Western starring Audie Murphy **2.20 FILM** Ride Clear of Diablo ★★ Revenge western starring Audie Murphy and Dan Duryea **4.00** Trucking Hell **4.55** Winter Road Rescue

6.00pm Police Interceptors A check on a car uncovers a case of suspected drug dealing.

7.00 A crazed bodybuilder who is desperate for a fight and an encounter with a polecat.

8.00 A serial bacon snatcher ends up facing the chop, and a driver who is hiding a gun.

9.00 Traffic Cops A tip-off leads to a major drugs bust in North Yorkshire.

10.00 Motorway Cops: Catching Britain's Speeders Inspector Anton Sullivan is on the hunt for an escaped prisoner.

11.00 Police: Suspect No 1 Officers search for a prolific burglar in the Norwich area.

12 midnight Police Interceptors **2.05am** Thieves and Thugs: Caught On Camera (AD) **3.10** Car Crash TV **4.00** Airport 24/7: Thailand (AD) **4.50–5.00am** Entertainment News

5 Action F'view 33 F'sat 132 Sky 150 Virgin 187/HD 150

5 Select 56

9.00am Entertainment News **9.05** GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **10.05** The Yorkshire Vet **12.05pm** The Highland Vet **1.05** GPs: behind Closed Doors (AD) **3.00** The Yorkshire Vet **5.00** The Highland Vet

6.00pm Walking Tudor England Royal locations along the River Thames.

7.00 Locations in Kent and East Sussex.

8.00 Brian Cox: How the Other Half Live *1/2.* The actor explores Miami's property boom.

9.00 Riot: the Week England Burned The wave of unrest that hit cities in 2011.

10.30 Forged in Fire Bladesmiths are tasked to create Knights Templar crusader daggers.

11.20 The African ikakalaka sword.

12.10am Blades worthy of the samurai.

1.00 Walking Tudor England: triple bill **3.50–4.00am** Entertainment News

5 Select F'view (HD only) 56 F'sat 133 Sky 153 Virgin 152

FREEVIEW TV and film channels continue overleaf

BBC News Freeview 231 Freesat 212 Sky 503 Virgin 601 **Sky News** Freeview 233 Freesat 202 Sky 501 Virgin 603 BT 313

FRIDAY Freeview & films

W 25

MasterChef USA *7.00pm*
The next challenge is set

6.15am Top Chef (S) (HD) **7.00** Property Brothers: Forever Homes (S) (HD) **8.00** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **10.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (S) (HD) **12 noon** MasterChef USA (HD) **1.00pm** Tipping Point (S) (HD) **4.00** DIY SOS: the Big Build (S) (HD)

5.00pm Property Brothers: Forever Homes A major renovation on a starter home. (S) (HD) **6.00** Irina and Dean need help now they have children. (S) (HD)

7.00 *New.* MasterChef USA The top 14 visit Norco, California. (HD)

8.00 Inside the Ambulance A man has a suspected ruptured appendix. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 999 Rescue Squad A car bursts into flames. (S) (HD)

10.00 Miranda *4/6 Series 1* Miranda enjoys a hotel stay. **10.40** *5/6.* Penny throws a party. **11.20** *6/6.* A handsome man leaves his wallet in the shop. (S) (AD)

12 midnight Nurses on the Ward (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00–3.00am** Tipping Point: double bill (S) (HD)

W **F'view** 25 **F'sat** 156 **Sky** 132 **Virgin HD** 125 **+1 Sky** 232 **Virgin** 190

Pick 36

7.00am Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **8.00** Motorway Patrol **9.00** UK Border Force **10.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **11.00** Highway Patrol (AD) **12 noon** Highway Cops (AD) **1.00pm** Border Patrol **2.00** Border Security: Canada's Front Line (AD) **3.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **4.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **5.00** Warehouse 13 **6.00pm** The Librarians **7.00** Caught Red Handed **8.10** Nothing to Declare **9.00** The Real Manhunter: Levi Bellfield: the police operation to convict the British serial killer **10.50** Murders That Shocked the Nation (AD) **11.55** Strike Back: Shadow Warfare **1.00am** Britcam: Emergency on Our Streets (AD) **2.00** Nothing to Declare (AD) **3.00** Border Patrol **4.00** Motorway Patrol **5.00–6.00am** Highway Cops (AD)

Pick **F'view** 36 **F'sat** 144 **Sky** 151 **Virgin** 156

HGTV 44

7.00am Building Off the Grid **8.00** Love Your Garden **9.00** A Place in the Sun **10.00** Escape to the Country **12 noon** My Lottery Dream Home **1.00pm** Fixer to Fabulous **2.00** My Dream Derelict Home in the Sun **3.00** Love Your Garden **4.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **5.00** Building Off the Grid **6.00** A Place in the Sun **7.00** Escape to the Country: double bill **9.00** Good Bones **10.00** How We Got to Here: Looking Back on Fixer Upper **11.00** Fixer to Fabulous **12 midnight** Escape to the Country **1.00am** Building Off the Grid **2.00** Sarah Beeny's Renovate Don't Relocate **3.00–4.00am** My Lottery Dream Home: two editions

HGTV **F'view** 44 **F'sat** 166 **Sky** 158 **Virgin** 286 **+1 Sky** 258 **Virgin** 290

FREEVIEW channels continued from overleaf

Food Network 43

The Hairy Bikers' Chicken and Egg *9.00pm* Morocco

6.00am Trisha's Southern Kitchen (HD) **7.00** The Pioneer Woman (S) (HD) **8.00** Girl Meets Farm (HD) **9.00** Ainsley's Good Mood Food (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** The Hairy Bikers' Chicken and Egg (S) (HD) **11.00** Rachel Allen: Bake! (S) **12 noon** Bake Off: the Professionals (HD) **2.00pm** James Martin's Favourite Feasts (S) **3.00** Escape to River Cottage (S) **4.00** The Pioneer Woman (S) (HD) **5.00** Barefoot Contessa: back to Basics (HD) **6.00pm** Jamie and Jimmy's Friday Night Feast (S) (HD) **7.00** The Great British Bake Off (S) **8.00 *New.*** Ainsley's Good Mood Food: Ainsley Harriott makes recipes featuring grains and pulses (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The Hairy Bikers' Chicken and Egg: Dave and Si cook chicken tagine with preserved lemons and olives in Morocco (S) (HD) **10.00** Jamie and Jimmy's Friday Night Feast (S) (HD) **11.00** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **12 midnight *New.*** Guy's Grocery Games: making the ultimate seafood meal (HD) **1.00am** Restaurant: Impossible (HD) **2.00–3.00am** Tom Kerridge Barbecues (S) (HD)

Food Network **Freeview** 43 **Freesat** 148 **Sky** 140 **Virgin** 285

Great TV 50

6.00am Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **8.00** Highway to Heaven **10.00** Danielle Steel's Family Album **11.50** Great! Movie News Extra 2023 **12 noon** Castle **1.00pm** Body of Proof **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **5.00** Murder, She Wrote **7.00** M*A*S*H **9.00** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased): Jeff stumbles across a kidnap plot **10.00** The Persuaders! **11.00** Return of the Saint **12 midnight** M*A*S*H **2.00am** Randall and Hopkirk (Deceased) **3.00** Sue Thomas: F.B.Eye **4.30–6.00am** Highway to Heaven: double bill

Great TV **Freeview** 50 *(limited)* **Freesat** 142 **Sky** 157 **Virgin** 189 **+1 Freesat** 143 **Sky** 257

RealityXtra 68

9.00am Perry Mason **11.00** Matlock **12 noon** The Fugitive **1.05pm** JAG **3.00** Perry Mason **5.00** The Fugitive: Kimble is befriended by a man who has family troubles and repays a favour **6.00** Matlock: Billy Lewis is determined to take revenge on the lawyer, and Leanne suspects one of her friends of murder **7.00** Judge Judy **1.00am** Matlock **2.00** The Fugitive **3.00** Donal MacIntyre's Murder Files **5.00–6.00am** Medical Detectives

RealityXtra **Freeview** 68 **Freesat** 134 **Sky** 147 **Virgin** 197

BBC Parliament 232

6.00am Westminster Hall: House of Commons proceedings **9.00** Select Committees: coverage of the work of committees set up to investigate aspects of public policy and society **3.00pm** House of Lords: recorded coverage **9.00** Scottish First Minister's Questions: recorded coverage of questions to First Minister Nicola Sturgeon in the Scottish Parliament **10.00–6.00am** Scottish Parliament

BBC Parliament **Freeview** 232 **Freesat** 201 **Sky** 504 **Virgin** 605

PBS America 84

Beautiful Serengeti *11.30pm*
The role of rivers and lakes

8.00am Beautiful Serengeti **8.30** Mutant Weather **9.30** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **10.35** Dis/Informed **12.30pm** Beautiful Serengeti **1.00** Redeeming Uncle Tom: the Josiah Henson Story **2.10** Mutant Weather **3.15** The Last Voices of World War One (S) **4.20** Dis/Informed

6.15pm Mutant Weather *9/10* The various types of air pollution.

7.15 The Last Voices of World War One *5/6.* The suffering felt by the relatives left at home during the conflict. (S)

8.20 The Good Nazi Major Karl Plagge, who risked his own life to save hundreds of people.

9.30 Death and the Civil War The legacy of the American Civil War with regard to its fatalities.

11.30 Beautiful Serengeti *11/12* A look at the rivers and lakes in the Serengeti eco-system.

12 midnight The Last Voices of World War One (S) **1.05–2.00am** Beautiful Serengeti

PBS America **F'view** 84 (1pm-12 midnight only) **Freesat** 155 **Sky** 174 **Virgin** 273

Blaze 64

6.00am Hardcore Pawn **7.45** Nature Gone Wild **8.40** Ancient Aliens **10.40** Storage Wars Canada **11.10** Storage Wars **12.10pm** Pawn Stars **2.05** Hardcore Pawn **4.00** Ancient Aliens: double bill **6.00pm** Nature Gone Wild: double bill **7.00** Storage Wars: double bill. Ivy and his son leave Moreno Valley with yo-yos of an unexpected kind, then the buyers hear of some interesting units in Santa Clarita **8.00** Dickinson's Real Deal: from Oldham, Greater Manchester **9.00** Walking through History **10.00** The Search for the Tesla Files **11.00** Secrets in the Ice: the remains of a man in a suit **12 midnight** Paranormal: Caught on Camera **1.00am** Wicked Tuna **2.00** Swamp People **3.00** Dickinson's Real Deal **3.45** Storage Wars Canada **4.10–6.00am** Pawn Stars

Blaze **F'view** 64 **F'sat** 162 **Sky** 164 **Virgin** 199

Challenge 48

7.00am The Chase **10.00** Supermarket Sweep **11.00** Bruce's Price Is Right **12 noon** Wheel of Fortune (AD) **1.00pm** Catchphrase (AD) **2.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **3.00** Play Your Cards Right: double bill of the game show (AD) **4.00** Bruce's Price Is Right: game show hosted by Bruce Forsyth **5.00** Bullseye: four editions **7.00pm** Pointless Celebrities: Alexander Armstrong and Richard Osman present a star-studded version of the general knowledge quiz **8.00** The Chase: double bill of the quiz show hosted by Bradley Walsh **10.00** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire?: a classic episode of the award-winning quiz show **11.00** Bullseye: darts-based quiz **12 midnight** The Chase: four editions **4.00am** Who Wants to Be a Millionaire? **5.00–6.00am** Bullseye

Challenge **Freeview** 48 **Freesat** 146 **Sky** 145 **Virgin** 160

CHILDREN'S

Milkshake! on C5

5.35am Peppa Pig **5.40** Paw Patrol **5.50** Pip and Posy **6.00** Peppa Pig **6.05** Secret Life of Puppies **6.10** Blue's Clues **6.35** Oggy Oggy **6.40** Odo **6.50** Fireman Sam **7.00** Thomas & Friends **7.10** Kangaroo Beach **7.25** Peppa Pig **7.45** Paw Patrol **7.55** Pip and Posy **8.05** Paddington **8.25** Milo **8.35** Paw Patrol **8.45** Daisy & Ollie **8.55** Pip and Posy **9.05** Peppa Pig **9.10–9.15am** Sunny Bunnies

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CBeebies 202

6.00am Raa Raa **6.10** Bing **6.20** Teletubbies **6.35** School of Roars **6.40** Chuggington **6.50** Bing **7.00** Colourblocks **7.05** Hey Duggee **7.25** Bluey My Petsaurus **7.40** Go Jetters **7.50** Peter Rabbit **8.05** Octonauts **8.15** Numberblocks **8.20** Love Monster **8.30** Popcast **8.35** Justin's House **8.55** Dipdap **9.00** Bing **9.10** Yakka Dee! **9.15 *New.*** Messy Goes to OKIDO **9.25** Colourblocks; Small Potatoes **9.35** Twirlywoos **9.45** Something Special **10.10** Teletubbies **10.20** Toddler Club; Small Potatoes **10.40** Hey Duggee **10.50** Roots and Fruits **10.55** BOT and the Beasties **11.00** Bluey **11.05** Let's Go for a Walk **11.20** School of Roars **11.30** Teeny Tiny Creatures **11.45** Our Family **11.55** What's On Your Head? **12 noon** Big Cook Little Cook **12.20pm** Woolly & Tig **12.25** Waffle **12.40** Tee and Mo **12.45** Pablo **1.00** Yakka Dee! **1.05** Numberblocks **1.10** Alphablocks **1.20** Dog Loves Books **1.25** Hey Duggee **1.35** Love Monster **1.40** Let's Dance **1.45** Something Special **2.10** Teletubbies **2.25** Bluey **2.30** Go Jetters; My Petsaurus **2.45** Maddie's Do You Know? **3.00** Dog Squad **3.15** Swashbuckle **3.35** Hey Duggee **3.45** Peter Rabbit **3.55** Andy's Wild Adventures **4.10** Pinocchio **4.25** Bluey **4.40 *New.*** Supertato **4.45** Go Jetters **5.00** Hey Duggee **5.15** Waffle **5.25** Sarah & Duck **5.35** JoJo & Gran Gran **5.45** Moon and Me **6.10** Clangers **6.20** In the Night Garden… **6.50–7.00pm** Bedtime Stories

CBeebies **F'view** 202 **F'sat** 608 **Sky** 608 **Virgin** 702

CBBC 201

7.00am Shaun the Sheep **7.05** Danger Mouse **7.20** Dennis & Gnasher **7.30** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **7.45** Newsround **7.55** Ninja Express **8.10 *New.*** Danny & Mick **8.20** Odd Squad **8.30** Horrible Histories **9.00** The Zoo **9.10** Deadly 60 **9.40** Out of This World **9.50** Art Ninja **10.15** Do Try This at Home **10.25** Horrible Histories **10.55** Deadly 60: Our Planet Matters **11.00** Bitesize **11.20** Celebrity Supply Teacher **11.30** Ricky Wilson's Art Jam **11.45** Wild & Weird **12 noon** Danger Mouse **12.10pm** Oswaldo **12.25** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **12.35** Monster Loving Maniacs **12.45** Dennis & Gnasher **1.00** The Dengineers **1.55** Holly Hobbie **2.20** Lagging **2.45** One Zoo Three **3.05** Clipheads **3.20 *New.*** Best in the World **3.40** Danger Mouse **3.50** Shaun the Sheep **4.00** Ninja Express **4.10** Boy Girl Dog Cat Mouse Cheese **4.25** Monster Loving Maniacs **4.35 *New.*** Pokémon **5.00 *New.*** Blue Peter **5.30** Nova Jones **6.00 *New series.*** The Beaker Girls **6.25** Nikki Lilly Meets **6.35–7.00pm** The Next Step

CBBC **F'view** 201 **F'sat** 607 **Sky** 607 **Virgin** 701

CITV

6.00am Mission Employable **6.05** Robozuna **6.30** Hotel Transylvania **7.00** Mr Magoo **7.30** Lloyd of the Flies **7.45** Dave Spud **8.00** 50/50 Heroes **8.30** Scooby-Doo **9.55** Tata and Kuma **10.00** Teen Titans Go! **10.25** DC Super Hero Girls **10.50** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **11.30** Dave Spud **12 noon** Mighty Mike **12.30pm** Spy School **1.00** Don't Unleash the Beast **1.30** Inspector Gadget **2.00** 50/50 Heroes **2.30** Hotel Transylvania **3.00** Craig of the Creek **3.15** Dave Spud **3.30** Scooby-Doo **4.30** Mr Magoo **5.00** Lloyd of the Flies **5.15** Dave Spud **5.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **6.00** Teen Titans Go! **6.30** Inspector Gadget **7.00** Scooby-Doo **7.30** Jurassic World Camp Cretaceous **8.00** Mr Bean: the Animated Series **8.30** Don't Unleash the Beast **8.55–9.00pm** Mission Employable

CITV **F'view** 203 **F'sat** 602 **Sky** 612 **Virgin** 734

FILMS

Film4 14

11.00am The Long Ships ★★ Swashbuckling Viking adventure starring Richard Widmark and Sidney Poitier that is too self-indulgent for its own good. (1963, PG) (S)

1.30pm The Colditz Story ★★★★ Exciting PoW drama about the daring escapes undertaken by Allied prisoners held in the notorious German fortress. **Review, right.** John Mills, Eric Portman (1954, U) (S) (AD)

3.30 Winchester '73 ★★★★ Two men clash over the ownership of a prized gun in this fine, mature and intelligent western. James Stewart, Shelley Winters, Dan Duryea (1950, U) (S)

5.20 The Black Arrow ★★ Moderately entertaining historical adventure in which a nobleman returns from the War of the Roses to find his father has been murdered. Louis Hayward (1948, U) (S) (AD)

6.55pm Pacific Rim: Uprising ★★★ There's more city-smashing mayhem in this disjointed but exciting sci-fi action sequel. John Boyega, Scott Eastwood (2018, 12) (S) (AD)

9.00 Gangs of New York ★★★ Martin Scorsese's brutal period crime drama about gang warfare in the 1860s, starring Leonardo DiCaprio. **Review, right.** Daniel Day-Lewis, Cameron Diaz (2002, 18) (S)

12.20–3.05am Raging Bull ★★★★★ Robert De Niro gives an outstanding performance as boxing champ Jake La Motta in Martin Scorsese's powerful biographical drama. Cathy Moriarty, Joe Pesci (1980, 18) (S)

Film4 **Freeview** 14 **Freesat** 300 **Sky** 313 **Virgin** 428/HD 429 **+1 F'view** 47 **F'sat** 301 **Sky** 314 **Virgin** 430

Talking Pictures TV 82

6.00am Kill Her Gently ★★★ Dark, twisting thriller. Griffith Jones, Marc Lawrence (1957) (S) **7.40 Flannelfoot** ★★ Workmanlike British thriller about the hunt for a notorious cat burglar. Ronald Howard (1953, PG) (S) **9.05 The Egyptian** ★★ A poor orphan becomes a physician in the court of the pharoah in this creaky epic. Edmund Purdom (1954) (S) **11.55 Breaking the Codes** TV documentary. (S)

12.25pm House of Bamboo ★★★ Tough, well-cast crime drama in which undercover agent Robert Stack is assigned to break up a crime syndicate in postwar Tokyo. (1955, PG) (S)

2.30 Crown Court TV drama.

3.00 Hell and High Water ★★★ A submarine commander leads the search for communist arsenals in this splendid Cold War drama. Richard Widmark (1954, PG) (S) **5.00 Daleks – Invasion Earth 2150 AD** ★★★ Cheap and cheerful sci-fi with Peter Cushing as the Doctor. (1966, U)

6.40pm The Day the Earth Stood Still ★★★★★ Influential sci-fi tale about an alien and his robot bodyguard landing on Earth. **Review, right.** Michael Rennie (1951, U) (S)

8.30 Dial 999 TV drama. (S)

9.05 Ravenous ★★★★ Hilarious and disturbing period chiller about cannibalism at a US Army outpost. **Review, right.** Robert Carlyle (1999, 18)

11.10 My Boyfriend's Back ★ Tasteless comedy. Andrew Lowery (1993, 15) (S)

1.10am The Demon ★ A brutal killer goes on the rampage in this clunky horror. Jennifer Holmes (1979, 18) (S)

3.00 Come Back Peter ★★★ Near-forgotten British comedy following the shenanigans of a group of relatives holed up in a small country house. Patrick Holt (1952, U) (S)

5.00–6.00am Target: The Corruptors TV crime drama series

Talking Pictures TV **Freeview** 82 **Freesat** 306 **Sky** 328 **Virgin** 445

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Sky Premiere

6.05am The Cinema List: Best Of 2022 **6.20 Crimes of the Future** As 12.05am **8.15 The Last Son** As 6.05pm **10.00** P **The Estate** As 8pm **11.50 Operation Mincemeat** As 9.50pm **2.05pm Hounded** ★★ Satirical British survival horror. Samantha Bond (2022, 15) **3.55 Downton Abbey: a New Era** ★★★★ Beautifully tailored period drama. Hugh Bonneville, Elizabeth McGovernh (2022, PG) **6.05pm The Last Son** ★★ Western about an outlaw who sets out to murder his children in a bid to evade a prophecy. Sam Worthington (2021, 15) **8.00** P **The Estate** ★★ Crude and misfiring black comedy in which Toni Collette and her relatives vie for their dying aunt's assets. (2022, 15) **9.50 Operation Mincemeat** ★★★★ Captivating re-enactment of a bizarre wartime mission. **Review p38.** Colin Firth (2022, 12) **12.05am Crimes of the Future** ★★★★ Moody sci-fi horror drama. **Review p38.** Viggo Mortensen. Léa Seydoux, Kristen Stewart (2022, 18) **2.00 Hounded** As 2.05pm **3.50 Downton Abbey: a New Era** As 3.55pm

Sky Premiere Sky 301 **Virgin** 401 **BT** 501/**HD** 515 **+1 Sky** 312

Great Movies 34

9.00am Murder 101: If Wishes Were Horses **11.00 A Wicked Vendetta** ★★ Thriller. Katrina Begin (2018) **1.00pm Stolen Daughter** ★★ Thriller. Andrea Roth (2015) **3.00 A Deadly Obsession** ★★ Uneven crime thriller. Katee Sackhoff, Grant Harvey (2011) **4.50 Enigma** ★★ Well-cast though familiar Cold War thriller. Martin Sheen, Brigitte Fossey (1982, 15) **6.55pm Mean Girls** ★★★★ Smart, dark teen comedy in which Lindsay Lohan struggles to find her way at school. **Review, right.** (2004, 12) **9.00 The Great Wall** ★★ Formulaic fantasy adventure about a mercenary helping to defend the Great Wall of China. Matt Damon (2016, 12) **11.10 Whiplash** ★★★★★ Miles Teller is the aspiring drummer and JK Simmons his tough-love tutor in this blistering drama. (2014, 15) **1.25 Southern Fury** ★★ Nicolas Cage's deranged gangster is the highlight of this grisly action flick. (2017, 18) **3.40–5.50am Night Train to Lisbon** ★★★ Engaging romantic mystery thriller. Jeremy Irons (2013, 12)

Great Movies Freeview 34 **Freesat** 302 **Sky** 321 **Virgin** 425 **+1 Freeview** 61 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **Sky** 322

Great Romance 52

6.00am A Wish Come True ★★ Fun romantic comedy. (2015) **7.45 Appetite for Love** ★★ Assembly-line TV romcom. (2016) **9.30 Lucky in Love** ★★ Banal romcom. (2014) **11.15 Unleashing Mr Darcy** ★★ Silly modern riff on Jane Austen. Cindy Busby (2016) **1.00pm A Whirlwind Wedding** ★★ Romance. (2021) **2.45 The Baby Proposal** ★★ Perky, absurd romance. (2019) **4.30 Hint of Love** ★★ Two chefs clash in this romance. (2020) **6.15pm The Sauce of Love** ★★ Over-the-top culinary romance. (2021) **8.00 Double Wedding** ★★ Contrived romcom. Tia Mowry (2010) **10.00 Home by Spring** ★★ Watchable romance. (2018) **11.45 Just for the Summer** ★★ Romantic drama. (2020) **1.30am Power and Beauty** ★★ Salacious drama. Natasha Henstridge (2002) **3.00 Love Map** ★★ Romance. (2021) **4.30–6.00am The Wedding Ring** ★★ Wholesome romance. (2020)

Great Romance Freeview 52 *(limited)* **Freesat** 303 **Sky** 319 **Virgin** 424 **+1 F'view** 63 (*limited* 10pm-5am) **F'sat** 304 **Sky** 320

TCM Movies

6.00am Off Set **6.40** The Man from UNCLE **8.55 The Desperate Hours** ★★★★ Searing hostage thriller. Humphrey Bogart (1955, PG) **11.15** The Man from UNCLE **1.30pm Churchill** ★★★★ Finely judged biopic about Winston Churchill's emotional battle on the eve of D-Day. Brian Cox (2016, PG) **3.35 The Fighting Lawman** ★★ Routine western. Wayne Morris (1953, U) **5.10 Fort Worth** ★★ Watchable if predictable western. Randolph Scott (1951, U) **6.50pm Memphis Belle** ★★★ Moving Second World War drama about a bomber crew on their final mission. Matthew Modine, John Lithgow (1990, 12) **9.00 Righteous Kill** ★★ Al Pacino and Robert De Niro are cop partners on the trail of a vigilante killer in this heavy-handed thriller. (2008, 15) **11.10 Hatfields and McCoys: Bad Blood** ★★ Ropey TV-movie telling of the feud between two families in the American Civil War. Jeff Fahey (2012) **1.00am** To be announced **3.00** Close Up **5.00 Beau Brummell** ★★★ Stewart Granger cuts a dashing figure in this colourful historical drama. Elizabeth Taylor (1954, U)

TCM Movies Sky 315 **Virgin** 415/**HD** 416 **+1 Sky** 316 **Virgin** 417

Great Movies Action 42

6.00am M*A*S*H **7.00 Surface to Air** ★ War drama. Michael Madsen (1997, 15) **8.50 Supercollider** ★★ Disaster thriller. Robin Dunne (2013, 15) **10.50** The War in Europe **12 noon** M*A*S*H **1.00pm The Virginian** ★★★ Enjoyable western. Trace Adkins (2014, 12) **2.55 Meek's Cutoff** ★★★★ Atmospheric western about a group of frontier settlers. **Review, right.** Michelle Williams (2010, PG) **5.05 Bitter Victory** ★★★ Taut war drama. (1957, PG) **7.10pm Miami Magma** ★★ Hokey made-for-TV disaster movie starring Rachel Hunter. (2011) **9.00 Contract to Kill** ★ Action nonsense with Steven Seagal. (2016, 15) **10.55 Momentum** ★★★★ A CIA assassin relentlessly tracks a glamorous bank robber in this slick action thriller. Olga Kurylenko (2015, 15) **12.50am How I Spent My Summer Vacation** ★★★ Bloody action thriller in which Mel Gibson's criminal is sent to a Mexican prison. (2012, 15) **2.55–4.00am** The Blitz on Berlin

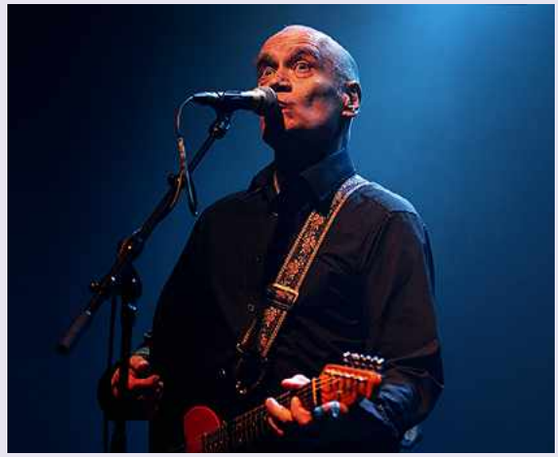
Great Movies Action Freeview 42 *(limited)* **F'sat** 305 **Sky** 323 **Virgin** 426 **+1 Sky** 324

Legend 41

8.00am Walker, Texas Ranger **9.00** Mutant X **10.00** Star Trek: the Next Generation **11.00 2012: Ice Age** ★★ Low budget disaster movie. Patrick Labyorteaux (2011, 12) **1.00pm Coward of the County** ★★ Drama. Kenny Rogers (1981) **3.00 Alien Fury: Countdown to Invasion** ★ Laughable sci-fi drama. (2000, 12) **5.00** Star Trek **6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation** TV sci-fi adventure. **7.00 Airwolf** US TV drama. **8.00 Walker, Texas Ranger** TV action drama with Chuck Norris. **9.00 The Lawnmower Man** ★★★ Pierce Brosnan's scientist tries to transform a gardener with intelligence-boosting drugs. (1992, 15) **11.55 Reborn** ★★★ Upmarket horror in which a teenager who was kidnapped as a baby escapes her captor. Barbara Crampton (2018, 15) **1.25am Dracula** ★★★★★ Peter Cushing hunts for bloodsucking Christopher Lee in this classic Hammer take on Bram Stoker's tale. (1958, 12) **3.00–4.30am Desolation** ★★ Tense but largely undercooked horror thriller. Toby Nichols (2017, 15)

Legend F'view 41 **F'sat** 137 **Sky** 148 **Virgin** 149

FILM REVIEWS



FILM OF THE DAY

The Ecstasy of Wilko Johnson

★★★★★ *11.00pm-12.35am* ***BBC4*** 15

DOCUMENTARY Guitarist Wilko Johnson sadly died in November, but, as Julien Temple's film points out, he was given only months to live back in January 2013, after being diagnosed with pancreatic cancer. Back then, he refused chemotherapy, and decided to head out on a farewell tour. This documentary may not be the last word on Johnson's incredible life – it only brings his story up to 2015 – but it serves as a reminder of his resilient spirit and is best watched with Temple's earlier film about Johnson's band Dr Feelgood, *Oil City Confidential*. **ANDREW COLLINS** (UK 2015, violence, swearing, HD)

The Colditz Story ★★★★

1.30-3.30pm ***Film4*** U

WAR One of many PoW dramas made in the 1950s, this is set in the infamous German fortress of the title. The story about the escapes undertaken by Allied prisoners has little time for the psychology of imprisonment, but the action is well played. John Mills shines as Pat Reid, on whose first-hand account the film is based. **ADRIAN TURNER** (UK 1954, BW, HD)

Meek's Cutoff ★★★★

2.55-5.05pm
Great Movies Action PG

WESTERN Director Kelly Reichardt's feminist frontier fable follows a wagon train in 1845. Led by an arrogant mountain man, the settlers are divided into a patriarchal power dynamic, with the wives (Michelle Williams among them) treated as mere cooks. Convincingly acted and sparingly scripted, this is a prairie tale that immerses its audience in an unforgiving landscape. **AC** (US 2010)

The Day the Earth Stood Still ★★★★★ *6.40-8.30pm*

Talking Pictures TV U

SCI-FI In an era of Cold War paranoia, director Robert Wise's film was a welcome sign of hope, as a spaceship and its pilot (Michael Rennie) bring a message of peace rather than destruction. From Bernard Herrmann's otherworldly score to the film's deceptively simple designs, this has had an incalculable influence on big-screen sci-fi. **DAVID PARKINSON** (US 1951, BW)

Mean Girls ★★★★ *6.55-9.00pm* ***Great Movies*** 12

COMEDY Lindsay Lohan stars here as a bright girl home-tutored in Africa, who is thrown in at the deep end when she attends school in the US. As well as befriending the geek clique, she also infiltrates the troika of popular girls, led by Rachel McAdams. Snappily written, this remains an acerbic account of the high-school experience. **ADAM SMITH** (US 2004, edited for language)

Gangs of New York ★★★

9.00pm-12.20am ***Film4*** 18

CRIME Director Martin Scorsese's riveting film about street warfare in 1860s Manhattan stars Leonardo DiCaprio as the son of a murdered gang chief. DiCaprio gives an underpowered performance here, so it's left to Daniel Day-Lewis to mesmerise as the volatile object of his vengeance, Bill the Butcher. The film is showing in a Scorsese double bill with *Raging Bull*, which follows. **IAN FREER** (US 2002, violence, swearing, sex scenes, nudity, HD)

Ravenous ★★★★

9.05-11.05pm
Talking Pictures TV 18

HORROR New tonight on Talking Pictures TV, this mix of gut-spilling gore and *Carry On*-style banter is a shocker that you'll either love for its edgy tone, or hate because it's so in-your-face. Robert Carlyle stars as the maneater who targets the inhabitants of a mountain outpost for his winter menu. **ALAN JONES** (US/UK 1999, violence, swearing)

Beautiful Boy ★★★

11.30pm-1.20am ***BBC1***
(starts 12 midnight in Scotland; not in N Ireland) 15

DRAMA This sobering tale is based on the memoirs of David Sheff and his son Nic, played here by Steve Carell and Timothée Chalamet. Nic lies and steals to feed his meth habit, while his dad goes to unorthodox lengths to understand the addiction. The pair's loving but fractious central relationship gives the film genuine heart. **TERRY STAUNTON** (US 2018, swearing, sex scenes, drug abuse)

Kiss the Girls ★★★

11.45pm-2.05am ***5 Star*** 18

THRILLER Morgan Freeman first played psychologist Alex Cross on screen here, and he enjoys a good chemistry with co-star Ashley Judd, playing the sole survivor of a serial kidnapper. The movie is all surface gloss and has little substance, but remains compelling thanks to the leads. **AJ** (US 1997, violence, swearing, HD)

Sky Cinema picks

Twilight ★★★
4.30-6.35pm ***Sky Twilight***
The vampire saga plays out in full today. (2008, 12)
Sky 303, Virgin 403, BT 503/517

Steel Magnolias ★★★★
8.00-10.00pm ***Sky Drama***
Deep South drama. (1989, PG)
Sky 310; Virgin 410; BT 510/524

Welcome to the Punch
★★★★ *10.00-11.45pm*
Sky British Icons
Cat-and-mouse thriller. (2012, 15)
Sky 304; Virgin 404; BT 504/518

Films to stream from p30
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U - suitable for all; PG Parental Guidance - for general viewing, but some scenes may be unsuitable for young or sensitive children; 12, 15, 18 - for viewers of these ages and over.

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Sky Showcase

Ricky Gervais: Fame *9.45pm* A look at the world of celebrity

6.00am The Early Rundown (HD) **7.00** Sky News Breakfast (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (S) (HD) **4.30** Futurama (S) **5.00** The Simpsons (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD)

6.30pm The Simpsons Homer finds his family missing. (S) (HD) **7.00** Mayor Quimby brings election day forward. (S) (HD)

7.30 Young Rock ***Ep 8*** *Series 3* Comedy with Dwayne Johnson. (HD)

8.00 Hold the Front Page ***2/6*** Nish and Josh head to Sussex. (HD)

9.00 Never Mind the Buzzcocks ***Ep 2*** *Series 2.* With Roisin Conaty, ArrDee and James Bay. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.45 Ricky Gervais: Fame Stand-up show highlights. (S)

11.25 Romantic Getaway ***3/6*** Kethan has a job for Deacon. (HD) **11.55** ***4/6.*** Deacon and Allison steal a Ferrari to pay the blackmailer. (HD)

12.25am Road Wars (S) (HD) **2.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Motorway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Showcase **Sky** 106 **Virgin** 110/**HD** 109 **BT** 340/**HD** 355 **+1** **Sky** 206

Sky Sci-Fi

6.00am The Outpost **7.00** The Librarians **8.00** Home Shopping **11.00** Blood & Treasure **12 noon** Star Trek: the Next Generation **2.00pm** Warehouse 13 **3.00** The Librarians **4.00** Blood & Treasure **5.00** Stargate SG-1: the team become pawns in an ideological war

6.00pm Star Trek: the Next Generation ***2/26*** *Series 6.* An officer with an irrational fear finally overcomes his phobia. **7.00** ***3/26.*** The Lumerian ambassador mediates a dispute.

8.00 Merlin ***9/13*** *Series 3.* Gaius's old flame Alice arrives in Camelot. But the physician, blinded by love, refuses to believe what Merlin is telling him.

9.00 Lovecraft Country ***3/10*** Leti turns a Victorian property on Chicago's North Side into a boarding house. Atticus remains burdened by a guilty conscience. **10.05** ***4/10.*** Leti, Tic and Montrose head to Boston to search for missing pages to a crucial text.

11.15 Reginald the Vampire ***Ep 1*** Reginald Andres lives an ordinary life until he is turned into a vampire and discovers new powers he never dreamt of. **12.15am** ***Ep 2.*** The first feed doesn't go well for Reginald.

1.15 Blood & Treasure (S) (AD) (HD) **2.05** Wynonna Earp (S) (HD) **3.00** Stargate SG-1 (S) **4.00–5.00am** Star Trek: the Next Generation (S) (HD)

Sky Sci-Fi **Sky** 139 **Virgin** 139/**HD** 138 **BT** 348/**HD** 363 **+1** **Virgin** 229

Sky Atlantic

Babylon Berlin *9.00pm* Rath spots an uninvited visitor

6.00am Urban Secrets (S) (HD) **7.55** The Sopranos (S) (HD) **9.55** True Blood (S) (HD) **12.10pm** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) (HD) **1.15** Six Feet Under (S) (AD) (HD) **3.30** The Sopranos: double bill (S) (HD)

5.45pm Ray Donovan ***1/12*** *Series 1.* The life of a man who fixes the problems of the elite is thrown into turmoil when his father is released from prison. (S) (AD) (HD) **6.50** ***2/12.*** Abby defies her husband and takes the children to get to know Mickey. (S) (AD) (HD)

7.55 Game of Thrones ***9/10*** *Series 1.* Ned faces a fateful decision and Daenerys's power comes under threat. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Babylon Berlin ***3/8*** *Series 1* Kardakov flees after the Soviet attack on the Red Fortress. (S) (HD) **10.00** ***4/8.*** The May Day stand-off between communist protestors and police erupts in violence. German +subtitles. (S) (HD)

11.00 Der Pass ***1/8*** *Series 1.* When a gruesomely staged body is found in the Alps, detectives Stocker and Winter are sent to investigate. German +subtitles. (S) (HD)

12 midnight The Wire (S) (HD) **2.10am** Devils (S) (AD) (HD) **3.15** Game of Thrones (S) (AD) (HD) **4.25** In Treatment (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Urban Secrets (S) (HD)

Sky Atlantic **Sky** 108 (Wales 109) **BT** 342/**HD** 357 **+1** **Sky** 208 (Wales 209)

Sky Witness

6.00am The Real A&E (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Border Patrol (S) (HD) **9.00** Road Wars (S) **10.00** Brit Cops: Law & Disorder (S) (AD) **11.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **12 noon** The Good Doctor (S) (HD) **1.00pm** 9-1-1 (S) (HD) **2.00** Blue Bloods (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Bull: a wealthy couple intend to prosecute their daughter's working-class fiancé for her murder (S) (HD)

4.00pm Nothing to Declare Eight editions following the work of customs officers in Australia. (HD)

8.00 Blue Bloods ***5/16*** *Series 11* Eddie and Rachel Witten are heralded for their bravery in stopping an active shooter, until a civilian accuses them of faking the incident. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 The Rookie ***12/22*** *Series 4* The team responds when a severed hand is found on the beach. Tim invites Lucy on a double date with him and Ashley. (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** ***13/22.*** Officers Nolan and Chen embark on a series of quests to retrieve a stolen police helicopter from a teenage thief. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 FBI ***18/22*** *Series 4.* OA is forced to confront one of his biggest fears when the team discovers that deadly sarin gas may have been sold to terrorists. (S) (AD) (HD)

12 midnight FBI: Most Wanted (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** Coroner (HD) **2.00** The Equalizer (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** 9-1-1 (S) (HD) **4.00** Road Wars (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (HD)

Sky Witness **Sky** 107 **Virgin** 112/**HD** 111 **BT** 341/**HD** 356 **+1** **Sky** 207 **Virgin** 220

Sky Max

Strike Back: Vengeance *9.45pm* Stonebridge and Scott

6.00am Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Supergirl (S) (HD) **11.00** NCIS: New Orleans (HD) **1.00pm** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **2.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** The Blacklist (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** DC's Legends of Tomorrow (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Supergirl (S) (HD)

6.00pm Stargate SG-1 ***2/22*** *Series 1.* The team searches for Jackson's wife Sha're. (S) **7.00** ***3/22.*** A Goa'uld larva invades Kawalsky's brain. (S)

8.00 Hold the Front Page ***2/6*** Nish Kumar and Josh Widdicombe head to West Sussex. (HD)

9.00 Never Mind the Buzzcocks ***Ep 2*** *Series 2.* With Roisin Conaty, ArrDee and James Bay. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.45 Strike Back: Vengeance ***2/10*** *Series 3.* The group need to escape Waabri's lair. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.45 Banshee ***8/10*** *Series 3* Lucas and Brock head to Louisiana in search of Chayton. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.45 Wolfe ***2/6.*** A missing person's life is on the line. (S) (AD) (HD)

12.40am Road Wars (S) (HD) **2.00** Brit Cops: Rapid Response (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Hawaii Five-0 (S) (HD) **4.00** S.W.A.T. (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Highway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Max **Sky** 113 (Wales 114) **Virgin** 122/**HD** 121 **BT** 346/**HD** 361

Sky Replay

7.00am 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry (S) (HD) **8.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Cooks to Market (S) (HD) **11.00** Road Wars (S) **12 noon** Highway Patrol (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **2.00** Merlin (S) (AD) **4.00** Manifest (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Most Haunted: double bill (S) **8.00** Road Wars: police chase a drunk-driver in Devon (S) (HD) **9.00** A Discovery of Witches: Matthew and Diana return from Elizabethan London to discover a chaotic scene (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Caught on Dashcam (S) (HD) **11.00** Britcam: Emergency on Our Streets (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Night Cops (S) (HD) **1.00am** 911 Crisis Centre (S) (HD) **2.00** A League of Their Own US Road Trip (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Duck Quacks Don't Echo (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** Four Weddings (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** 6ixth Sense with Colin Fry: double bill (S) (HD)

Sky Replay **Sky** 152 **Virgin** 180

Sky Crime

6.00am Highway Patrol (S) (AD) **7.00** Motorway Patrol (S) (AD) **8.00** Highway Cops (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** Nothing to Declare (S) (HD) **10.00** Stop, Search, Seize (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Send in the Dogs (S) **12 noon** Murdered at First Sight (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Murders That Shocked the Nation (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **5.00** How I Caught the Killer (S) (HD) **6.00** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **7.00** Most Evil Killers (S) (HD) **8.00** What the Killer Did Next (S) (HD) **9.00** Snapped (HD) **10.00** Forensics (S) (HD) **11.00** Most Evil Killers (HD) **12 midnight** Killer in My Village (S) (HD) **1.00am** An Unexpected Killer (HD) **2.00** as 2pm (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** as 1pm **4.00** Brit Cops (S) (AD) **5.00–6.00am** Motorway Patrol (S) (HD)

Sky Crime **Sky** 122 **Virgin** 137/**HD** 136 **BT** 349/**HD** 364 **+1** **Sky** 222 **Virgin** 221

Gold

French and Saunders *11.35pm* A parody of Fellini's movies

7.30am Hold the Sunset (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **8.40** My Hero (S) **9.20** Are You Being Served? (S) **10.00** Porridge (S) **10.40** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **12 noon** Keeping Up Appearances (S) **12.40pm** Dad's Army (S) **2.00** Porridge (S) **2.40** Are You Being Served? (S) **3.20** Last of the Summer Wine (S) **4.40** dinnerladies (S) (AD) **5.20** Keeping Up Appearances (S)

6.00pm Are You Being Served? Mr Grace decides to make some changes to the store. (S)

6.40 Dad's Army Mainwaring and the platoon try to capture a German aircraft crew. (S) **7.20** Corporal Jones suffers a significant financial crisis. (S)

8.00 dinnerladies Bren gets excited about her holiday. (S) (AD) **8.40** Bren is upset by Tony's holiday photos. (S) (AD)

9.20 Only Fools and Horses In the Christmas special from 2002, the Trotters go to France. (S) (AD)

11.00 Dad's Army As 7.20pm.

11.35 French and Saunders The comedy duo present a parody of Federico Fellini's movies. (S)

12.15am Absolutely Fabulous (S) (AD) **1.30** French and Saunders (S) **2.40** dinnerladies (S) (AD) **3.15–4.00am** Absolutely Fabulous (S) (AD)

Gold **Sky** 110 (Wales 111) **Virgin** 124 **BT** 344/**HD** 359 **+1** **Sky** 210 (Wales 211) **Virgin** 194

Sky Comedy

8.00am Will & Grace (HD) **9.00** Everybody Hates Chris (S) (HD) **10.00** Entourage (S) (HD) **11.10** House of Lies (S) (HD) **12.30pm** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **1.25** A.P. Bio (S) (HD) **2.20** The Office US (S) (HD) **2.45** Pen15 (S) (HD) **4.00** The Conners (S) (HD) **4.30** Futurama (S) **5.00** The Office US (S) (HD) **5.30** The Fresh Prince of Bel-Air (S) (HD) **6.30** Futurama (S) **7.30** Young Rock (HD) **8.00** ***New.*** The Conners: Ben offers Mark free piano lessons (S) (HD) **8.30** The Office US: Jim regrets telling Michael about his feelings for Pam (S) (HD) **9.00** Ricky Gervais: Fame (S) **10.40** Romantic Getaway (HD) **11.40** ***New.*** The Late Late Show with James Corden (HD) **12.40am** ***New.*** The Tonight Show Starring Jimmy Fallon (HD) **1.40** Vice Principals (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** A.P. Bio (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Futurama (S)

Sky Comedy **Sky** 114 (Wales 115) **Virgin** 135/**HD** 123 **BT** 347/**HD** 362

Comedy Central

8.00am My Wife and Kids (S) (HD) **9.00** The Middle (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **12 noon** Friends: 13 episodes (S) (AD) (HD) **6.25pm** Friends: five episodes. Gavin surprises Rachel **6.55** Ross tries to make Rachel jealous **7.30** Joey and Phoebe play Cupid **8.00** Ross discovers who mugged him **8.30** Monica asks Joey for money (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** **FILM** Zoolander 2 ★★ Comedy sequel starring Ben Stiller (S) (HD) **11.00** David Spade: My Fake Problems (S) (HD) **12 midnight** South Park (S) (HD) **2.00am** Chris Ramsey Live: All Growed Up (S) (HD) **3.00** Tracy Morgan: Bona Fide (S) (HD) **3.45** Last Man Standing (S) (HD) **4.10–5.00am** Friends (S) (AD) (HD)

Comedy Central **Sky** 112 (Wales 113) **Virgin** 181/**HD** 132 **BT** 345/**HD** 360 **+1** **Sky** 212 (Wales 213) **Virgin** 133

Alibi

Shakespeare and Hathaway: Private Investigators *9.00pm*

7.15am Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **9.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD) **11.00** Person of Interest (HD) **12 noon** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Death in Paradise (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Murdoch Mysteries (S) (HD) **4.00** Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **5.00** Unforgettable (S) (HD)

6.00pm Without a Trace ***7/24*** *Series 2.* A Hispanic boy is abducted from Harlem. (HD)

7.00 Person of Interest ***10/23*** *Series 1.* Reese and Finch are puzzled when the machine brings up four numbers at once. (HD)

8.00 Death in Paradise ***2/8*** *Series 2.* A young nun is found dead in a smoke-filled bedroom in her convent. (S) (AD) (HD)

9.00 Shakespeare and Hathaway: Private Investigators ***2/10*** *Series 1.* Frank and Luella investigate the death of a worker at a care home. (S) (AD) (HD)

10.00 Death in Paradise ***1/8*** *Series 7.* A billionaire's fiancée falls from a balcony the day before her wedding. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Without a Trace As 6pm.

12 midnight Hudson & Rex (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00am** The Doctor Blake Mysteries (S) (HD) **2.00–4.00am** Major Crimes: double bill (S) (HD)

Alibi **Sky** 109 (Wales 110) **Virgin HD** 126 **BT** 343/**HD** 358 **+1** **Sky** 209 (Wales 210) **Virgin** 191

Discovery

6.00am Wheeler Dealers (S) (HD) **7.00** Deadliest Catch (S) (HD) **8.00** Alaska: Homestead Rescue (S) (HD) **9.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** How Do They Do It? (S) (HD) **11.00** Wheeler Dealers: Dream Car (S) (HD) **12 noon** Salvage Hunters (HD) **1.00pm** Gold Rush (S) (HD) **3.00** Building Off the Grid (S) (HD) **4.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **5.00** Wheeler Dealers (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00pm** Salvage Hunters (S) (HD) **7.00** Diesel Brothers (HD) **8.00** Gold Rush (HD) **9.00** Alaskan Killer Bigfoot: an inexplicable blaze in the woods (S) (HD) **10.00** Hunting Atlantis (S) (HD) **11.00** Naked and Afraid (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) (HD) **1.00am** Alaskan Killer Bigfoot (S) (HD) **2.00** Hunting Atlantis (S) (HD) **3.00–4.00am** Gold Rush (HD)

Discovery **Sky** 125 **Virgin** 250 **BT** 320/**HD** 325 **+1** **Sky** 225 **Virgin** 258

Discovery History

6.00am Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **7.00** How the Universe Works **8.00** Devonport: Inside the Royal Navy (S) **9.00** Combat Dealers: Reloaded (S) **10.00** Treasure Quest: Snake Island (S) **11.00** The Dinosaur Feather Mystery (S) **12 noon** Nasa's Unexplained Files (S) **1.00pm** Expedition Unknown **2.00** Truth behind the Moon Landing (S) **3.00** Blowing Up History (S) **4.00** Mysteries at the Museum **5.00** Devonport: inside the Royal Navy (S) **6.00** How the Universe Works **7.00** Expedition Unknown (S) **8.00** Combat Dealers: Reloaded (S) **9.00** Tales from the Explorers Club **10.00** How the Universe Works **11.00** The Dinosaur Feather Mystery (S) **12 midnight** Combat Dealers (S) **1.00am** as 8pm **2.00** as 9pm **3.00** as 2pm **4.00–5.00am** as 3pm

Discovery History **Sky** 177 **Virgin** 257 **+1** **Sky** 277 **Virgin** 261

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Key (S) Subtitles (SL) Signing (AD) Audio description (HD) High definition (W) Widescreen

Sky Documentaries

Hitsville: the Making of Motown *9.00pm* Memories

6.00am The Comedy Store (S) (AD) (HD) **7.05** Discovering: James Cagney (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **9.00** First Ladies (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Quant (S) (HD) **11.50** My Icon: Kadeen Corbin (S) (AD) (HD) **12 noon FILM** Fire in Babylon ★★★ The rise of the West Indies as a dominant force in cricket (S) (W) (HD) **1.50pm** My Icon: Leon Pryce (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** A Tree of Life: the Pittsburgh Synagogue Shooting (S) (HD) **3.40** My Icon: Rachel Yankey (S) (AD) (HD) **4.00** The Directors (S) (AD) (HD) **4.55** Discovering: James Cagney (S) (AD) (HD)

5.50pm Mr Dynamite: the Rise of James Brown Charting the career of the singer. (S) (AD) (HD)

8.00 Spector *1/4.* The life of music producer Phil Spector, and the events that led to him shooting Lana Clarkson dead in 2003. (HD)

9.00 Hitsville: the Making of Motown ★★★ Memories of the iconic record label. (S) (W) (HD)

11.10 Costa Concordia: Chronicle of a Disaster Different accounts of the sinking of the cruise ship in January 2012. (S) (HD)

1.10am Music Box (S) (AD) (HD) **3.15** Whitey: United States of America v James J Bulger (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** as 4.55pm

Sky Documentaries **Sky** 121 **Virgin** 278/**HD** 277 **BT** 352/**HD** 367

Nat Geographic

8.00am Food Factory (S) (HD) **8.30** Money Meltdown (HD) **9.00** Nazi Megastructures (S) (HD) **10.00** WW2: Hell under the Sea (S) (HD) **11.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (S) (HD) **12 noon** Air Crash Investigation (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Wicked Tuna (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Draining the North Sea (S) (AD) (HD) **3.00** Two Million Year Old Boy (HD) **4.00** The Truth behind… (HD) **5.00** Lost Cities with Albert Lin (S) (AD) (HD) **6.00** Lost Treasures of Egypt (S) (AD) (HD) **7.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Food Factory USA (HD) **9.00** Colossal Machines (HD) **10.00** Car SOS (S) (AD) (HD) **11.00** Air Crash Investigation (S) (AD) (HD) **12 midnight** Wicked Tuna: North v South (S) (HD) **1.00am** Ice Road Rescue (HD) **2.00** Lords of War (HD) **2.30** Food Factory (S) (HD) **4.10** When Sharks Attack (HD) **4.35–5.00am** Trials of the Wild (HD)

Nat Geographic **Sky** 129 **Virgin** 266/**HD** 268 **+1** **Sky** 229 **Virgin** 267

Sky History

6.00am Forged in Fire (HD) **7.00** Counting Cars (HD) **8.00** American Pickers (HD) **9.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **11.00** Strangest Things (HD) **12 noon** The Proof Is Out There (HD) **1.00pm** What on Earth? (HD) **2.00** Curse of Skinwalker Ranch (HD) **3.00** Legends of the Pharaohs: Secrets of the Pyramid Builders (HD) **4.00** Counting Cars (HD) **5.00** Pawn Stars (HD) **6.00** American Pickers (HD) **7.00** Forged in Fire (HD) **8.00** Weird or What? With William Shatner (HD) **9.00** Alexander the Great (HD) **11.00** The Real Conjuring: Our Story (HD) **12 midnight** Strangest Things (HD) **1.00am** Weird or What? With William Shatner (HD) **2.00** Strangest Things (HD) **3.00** as 11pm **4.00** as 1pm **5.00–6.00am** The Proof Is Out There (HD)

Sky History **Sky** 123 **Virgin** 270 **BT** 353/**HD** 368 **+1** **Sky** 223 **Virgin** 271

Sky Nature

Wildlife ER *8.00pm* A common ringtail possum

6.00am Ol Pejeta Diaries (S) (HD) **7.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **8.00** Monkey Life (HD) **9.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **10.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **11.00** as 11pm **12 noon** Land of the Far North (S) (AD) (HD) **1.00pm** Monkey Life (HD) **2.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **3.00** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD) **4.00** Africa's Wild Horizons (S) (HD) **5.00** as 11pm

6.00pm Land of the Far North As 10pm.

7.00 Monkey Life As 9pm.

8.00 *New.* Wildlife ER The work of staff at the RSPCA Hospital in Brisbane, Australia. (HD)

9.00 Monkey Life A double bill following life at the Monkey World Ape Rescue Centre in Dorset. (HD)

10.00 Land of the Far North Life in the Arctic Circle during the harsh winter months. (S) (AD) (HD)

11.00 Africa's Wild Roommates: How Animals Share Bed and Board How weaver birds, aardvarks and termites share their homes with other creatures. (S) (HD)

12 midnight Alien Abyss (S) (HD) **1.00am** A Wild Year on Earth (S) (AD) (HD) **2.00** Wildlife ER (HD) **3.00** Monkey Life: double bill (HD) **4.00** Malawi Wildlife Rescue (S) (HD) **5.00–6.00am** Orangutan Jungle School (S) (HD)

Sky Nature **Sky** 124 **Virgin** 280/**HD** 279 **BT** 354/**HD** 369

Eden

9.00am Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **10.00** Aquarium: an Aquatic Life (HD) **11.00** The Zoo (HD) **12 noon** Viking Dead (HD) **2.00pm** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **5.00** Aquarium: An Aquatic Life (HD) **6.00** The Zoo: double bill (HD) **7.00** Viking Dead: the discovery of sites where Vikings had buried treasure (HD) **8.00** Life in the Great Wetlands: double bill. A bay in Canada where whales come to feed, then endangered species in the Sabah region of East Malaysia (HD) **10.00** The Zoo (HD) **11.00** Aquarium: an Aquatic Life (HD) **12 midnight** Viking Dead (HD) **1.00am** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **2.00** Aquarium: an Aquatic Life (HD) **3.00** The Zoo (HD) **3.50** Life in the Great Wetlands (HD) **4.40** Viking Dead (HD) **5.30–6.00am** David Attenborough's Natural Curiosities (AD) (HD)

Eden **Sky** 166 **Virgin** **HD** 245 **+1** **Sky** 266 **Virgin** 246

Animal Planet

8.00am Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **9.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (AD) (HD) **10.00** Saved by the Barn (S) (HD) **11.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **12 noon** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **1.00pm** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (HD) **2.00** The Aquarium (S) (HD) **4.00** Saved by the Barn (S) (HD) **5.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **6.00pm** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD) **7.00** Amanda to the Rescue (S) (AD) (HD) **8.00** Intruders (HD) **9.00** Monsters inside Me (S) (HD) **10.00** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **11.00** Monsters inside Me (S) (HD) **12 midnight** Guardians of Rescue (S) (HD) **1.00am** Alaska: the Last Frontier (S) (HD) **2.00** Saved by the Barn (S) (HD) **3.00** Dr Jeff: Rocky Mountain Vet (S) (HD) **4.00–5.00am** Extinct or Alive (S) (HD)

Animal Planet **Sky** 162 (NI 178) **Virgin** 251 **+1** **Sky** 262 (NI 278) **Virgin** 259

SPORT

Sky Main Event

Sky 401 **Virgin** 511/**HD** 501 **BT** 420/**HD** 440

6.00am Sky Sports News **7.00 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Sydney Thunder v Perth Scorchers at Showground Stadium. **11.00** Best of England (AD) **11.20 LIVE SA20 Cricket** Paarl Royals v Joburg Super Kings; **3.20pm** MI Cape Town v Durban Super Giants from Newlands. **7.30 LIVE Premier League Football** Aston Villa v Leeds Utd from Villa Park (kick-off **8.00**). **10.30** The Gloves Are Off **11.00** Sky Sports News **12 midnight LIVE PGA Tour Golf** The Sony Open in Hawaii, day two. **3.30am** Sky Sports News **4.30–6.00am LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Adelaide Strikers v Brisbane Heat at Adelaide Oval. Coverage continues until 8.15am.

Sky Football

Sky 403 **Virgin** 513/**HD** 503 **BT** 422/**HD** 442

6.00am League Cup Retro (AD) **8.45** EFL Greatest Games **9.00** Scottish Premiership Highlights **9.30** Greatest Games **10.00** League Cup Retro **12 noon** German Football **12.30pm** WSL **1.00** Scottish Premiership **1.45** Championship Highlights **2.00** Inside the WSL **2.30** League Cup Highlights **3.30** Inside the WSL **4.00** League One and Two Goals **4.30** Soccer AM **5.00** EFL Greatest Games **5.30** Scottish Premiership Highlights **6.00** League Cup Highlights **6.30** Scottish Premiership Football **7.00** German Football **7.30** Inside the WSL **8.00** League Cup Highlights **9.00** German Football **10.30** Inside the WSL **11.00** EFL Greatest Games **12 midnight** League Cup Retro (AD) **1.00am** Classic Play-Off Finals **4.00–6.00am** League Cup Retro

Sky Golf

Sky 405 **Virgin** 515/**HD** 505 **BT** 424/**HD** 444

6.00am PGA Championship Official Films **7.00** Ryder Cup Memories **8.00 LIVE European Tour Golf** The opening day of the Hero Cup. **1.00pm** Junior Golf **2.00** Roots (AD) **2.30** Ryder Cup Memories **3.00** European Tour Golf **5.00 LIVE PGA Tour Golf** Day two of the Sony Open in Hawaii. **3.30am** European Tour Golf **5.30–6.00am** Chronicles (AD)

Viaplay Sports

8.00pm LIVE Challenge Cup Rugby Union Pau v Dragons at Stade du Hameau (kick-off **8.00**).

Eurosport 1

Sky 410 **Virgin** 521 **BT** 412/**HD** 435

5.30am LIVE ATP Tennis Day five of the Adelaide International, featuring the opening semi-final. **7.30** Freestyle Skiing **7.50 LIVE Ski Jumping** World Cup, women's HS102 from Japan. **9.35** Olympic Games: from the Top **10.05** Henrik Kristoffersen: Best of Slalom 2022 **10.15** Alpine Skiing **11.15 LIVE Alpine Skiing** World Cup, the men's super-G from Wengen, Switzerland. **1.10pm** Alpine Skiing: World Cup **2.05** Snowboarding **3.00** Tennis **4.00** Alpine Skiing: World Cup **4.55 LIVE Ski Jumping** World Cup, the men's HS140 qualifying. **6.10** Freestyle Skiing **6.30 LIVE Snowboarding** Men's and women's snowboard cross at the Winter World University Games. **7.05** Tennis **8.00** Dakar Rally **9.00** Alpine Skiing: World Cup **10.00** Tennis **11.00** Dakar Rally **12 midnight** Alpine Skiing **1.00–2.00am** Tennis

Premier League Football *7.30pm* ***Sky Premier League*** Aston Villa hotshot Danny Ings

Sky Premier League

Sky 402 **Virgin** 512/**HD** 502 **BT** 421/**HD** 441

6.00am Premier League Football **9.00** 100 Club **10.00** The Football Show **12 noon** Soccerbox **1.00pm** Premier League Years (AD) **3.00** Greatest Games (AD) **4.00** Best Goals **5.00** 100 Club (AD) **6.00** Stories **6.30** The Big Interview **7.00** Preview **7.30 LIVE Premier League Football** Aston Villa v Leeds Utd from Villa Park (kick-off **8.00**). **10.30** The Big Interview **11.00** Premier League Stories **11.30** Soccerbox **12 midnight** Highlights: Aston Villa v Leeds United **12.30–6.00am** Premier League Football

Sky Cricket

Sky 404 **Virgin** 514/**HD** 504 **BT** 423/**HD** 443

6.00am International One-Day Cricket **7.00 LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Sydney Thunder v Perth Scorchers at Showground Stadium. **11.00** Best of England (AD) **11.20 LIVE SA20 Cricket** Paarl Royals v Joburg Super Kings; **3.20pm** MI Cape Town v Durban Super Giants from Newlands. **7.30** Big Bash League Highlights **8.30** International One-Day Highlights **9.30** SA20 Highlights **11.30** International One-Day Highlights **12.30am** SA20 Highlights **2.30** Best of the Big Bash **3.30** Big Bash League Highlights **4.30–6.00am LIVE Big Bash League Cricket** Adelaide Strikers v Brisbane Heat at Adelaide Oval. Coverage continues until 8.15am.

Sky NFL

Sky 407 **Virgin** 517/**HD** 507 **BT** 426/**HD** 446

6.00am NFL **12 noon** Pro-Football Talk **2.00pm** NFL Highlights **3.00** Gameday **3.30** NFL Bitesize **5.00** America's Game (AD) **6.00** Good Morning Football **8.45** Bitesize **9.00** Gameday (AD) **9.30** Bitesize **11.00** Total Access **1.00–6.00am** NFL

Sky Arena

Sky 408 **Virgin** 518/**HD** 508 **BT** 427/**HD** 447

6.30am NBA **7.00** Super League **9.00** Darts **1.00pm** NBA **2.00** Boxing **5.00** NBA **9.30** Hoop Cities: Paris **10.30** Boxing **11.00** NBA **3.30am** Basketball **5.45–6.00am** NBA

Eurosport 2

Sky 411 **Virgin** 522 **BT** 413/**HD** 436

6.00am Snooker **8.00** Rallying **9.00** Alpine Skiing **10.00** Power of Sport **10.30 LIVE ATP Tennis** Adelaide International, second semi-final. **12.30pm** Snooker 147s **12.45 LIVE Snooker** The third quarter-final of the Masters. **4.30** Dakar Rally **5.30** Snooker **6.45 LIVE Snooker** The fourth quarter-final of the Masters. **10.30** Snooker **12 midnight** Tennis **1.00–2.00am** Dakar Rally

BT Sport 1

Sky 413 **Virgin** 527 **BT** 408/**HD** 430

5.30am LIVE Super Smash T20 Cricket Canterbury Kings v Northern Brave, a men's match. **9.00** Premier League Football **10.30** French Football **11.30** The Rugby's On **12.30pm** Premier League: the Big Interview (AD) **1.00** Premier League Football **2.30** Premier League Stories (AD) **3.00** Serie A: Full Impact **3.30** Australian Football **4.30** Premier League: the Big Interview (AD) **5.00** Premier League Football **6.30** Premier League Preview **7.00** Inside Serie A **7.30 LIVE Italian Football** Napoli v Juventus from Stadio Diego Maradona (kick-off **7.45**). **9.45** Premier League Preview **10.15** French Football **10.45** BT Sport Reload **11.00** Wrestling: WWE action **1.00am LIVE Wrestling** WWE. **3.00** Italian Football: highlights **4.00–6.00am LIVE Australian Football** Melbourne City v Melbourne Victory, an A-League Women match (kick-off **4.00**).

BT Sport 2

Sky 414 **Virgin** 528 **BT** 409/**HD** 431

6.00am LIVE Badminton Day four of the Malaysia Open from the Axiata Arena, Kuala Lumpur. **1.00pm** Fishing **2.00** What I Wore **2.30** Wrestling (AD) **4.15** BT Sport Reload **4.30** Champions Cup Rugby Union **6.30** The Rugby's On **7.30 LIVE Champions Cup Rugby Union** Clermont Auvergne v Leicester Tigers (kick-off **8.00**). **10.15** Rugby Stories (AD) **10.45** What I Wore **11.00 LIVE Australian Football** Perth Glory v Sydney FC in the A-League, at Macedonia Park. **1.00am** Champions Cup Rugby Union **2.30** Premier League Preview **3.00–6.00am LIVE Badminton** Day five of the Malaysia Open. Coverage continues until 7.30am.

BT Sport 3

Sky 417 **Virgin** 529 **BT** 410/**HD** 432

6.00am ESPN FC **6.30** BT Sport Reload **6.45** Wrestling (AD) **8.45 LIVE Australian Football** Macarthur FC v Central Coast Mariners, an A-League match. **10.45** BT Sport Reload **11.00** EuroCup Basketball **12 noon** French Football **7.30pm** EuroCup Basketball **8.30** Premier League Preview **9.00 LIVE Super Smash T20 Cricket** Auckland Hearts v Central Hinds, a women's match. **12.30am** Auckland Aces v Central Stags, a men's match. **3.30** French Football: previews **4.00–6.00am LIVE Australian Football** Western Sydney Wanderers v Western United in A-League Women (kick-off **4.00**).

BT Sport 4

Sky 423 **Virgin** 530 **BT** 411/**HD** 434

6.00am SportsCenter **6.15** Around the Horn **6.45** Pardon the Interruption **7.15** SportsCenter **7.30** ESPN FC **8.00** 30 for 30: What Carter Lost (AD) **9.30** Tigers United (AD) **10.30** 30 for 30: Tommy (AD) **12 noon** ESPN FC **12.30pm** Around the Horn **1.00** Pardon the Interruption **1.30** Sports Center **1.45** Basketball **5.15** Around the Horn **5.45** Pardon the Interruption **6.15** SportsCenter **6.30** Basketball **10.00** 30 for 30: Free Spirits (AD) **11.00 LIVE Gymnastics** Kentucky Wildcats v LSU Tigers; **12.30am** Florida Gators v Auburn Tigers in the NCAA Championship **2.00 LIVE Basketball** Dayton Flyers v VCU Rams (tip-off **2.00**). **4.00–6.00am LIVE Australian Football** Canberra United v Newcastle Jets, A-League Women.

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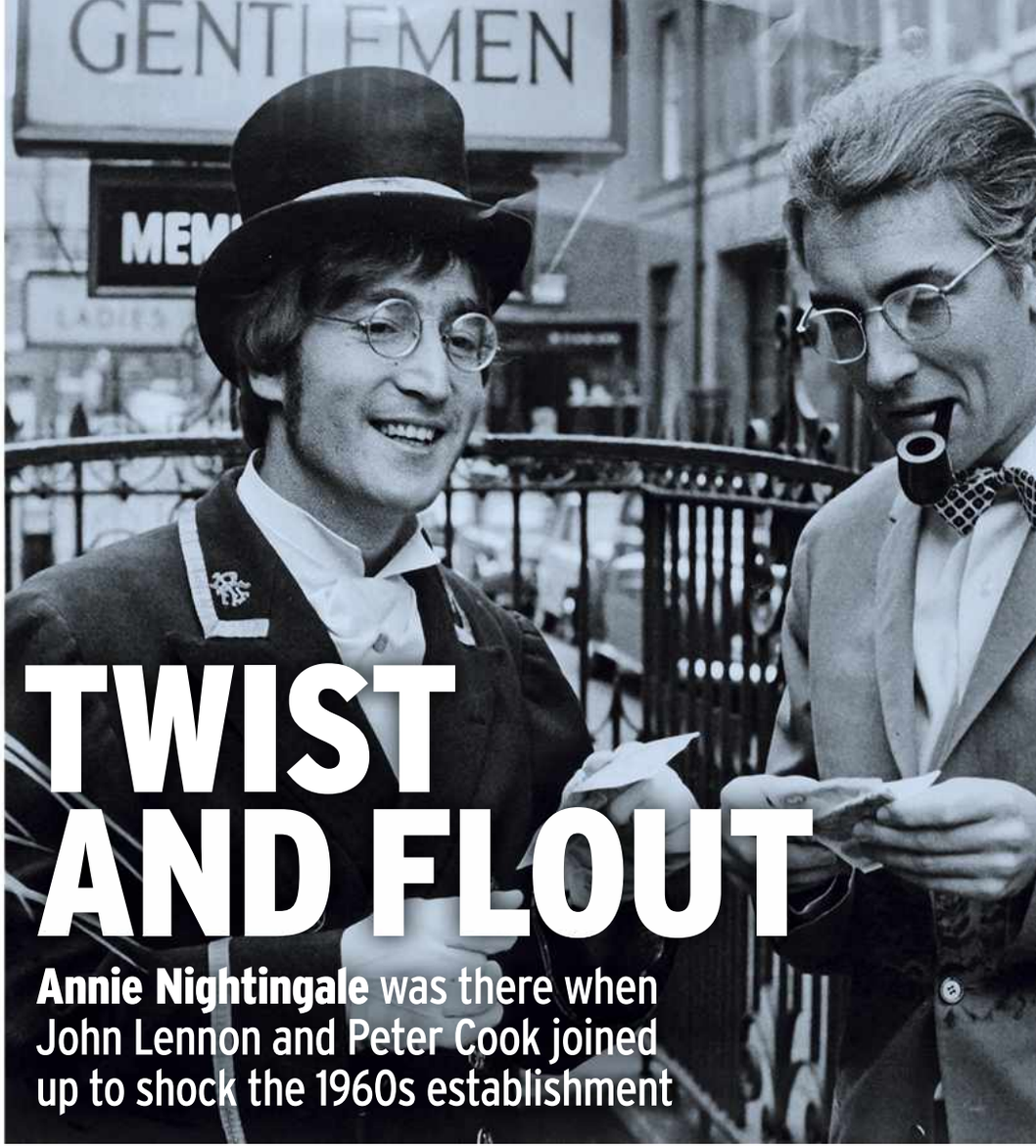

TWIST AND FLOUT

Annie Nightingale was there when John Lennon and Peter Cook joined up to shock the 1960s establishment

Archive on 4: Annie Nightingale's Age of Irreverence *Saturday 8.00pm* ***Radio 4***

In 1962, Peter Cook and the *Beyond the Fringe* team performed at the Fortune Theatre in London. In attendance was Prime Minister Harold Macmillan, pinned to his seat as the comics savaged him personally and the British establishment in general. The following year, down the road at the Prince of Wales Theatre, John Lennon asked the toffs in the Royal Variety Show crowd, whose number included the Queen Mother, to "rattle your jewellery" before the Beatles tore through *Twist and Shout*.

An exhilarating irreverence was stirring among both comics and musicians. This crossover forms the premise of Annie Nightingale's Radio 4 programme, which examines the relationship between comedy and pop music, taking in the Goons, the Beatles, *Beyond the Fringe*, *That Was the Week That Was*, the Bonzo Dog Doo-Dah Band, Monty Python and the Rutles.

Nightingale had a front-row view. "I went to see the *Beyond the Fringe* show before it opened in London," she recalls. "They were taking the p*** out of Macmillan, the government and the RAF – and you just didn't do that. People in the theatre got up, you could hear their seats banging as they left in disgust. I thought it was brilliant!" Later on, she lunched with Cook and Dudley Moore in Hampstead. "They changed everything. Comedy helped create the pop culture."

Nightingale traces the satire boom back to *The Goon Show*, the anarchic brainchild of Spike Milligan, with Peter Sellers, Harry Secombe and Michael Bentine, which aired on the BBC Home Service between 1951 and 1960. "As a child I loved its anarchy and weirdness," she says. "It wasn't mother-in-law jokes and conventional British humour of the time. They were very uncompromising: if you get it, you get it; if you don't, you don't. What I didn't realise as a little kid was that there was a whole generation of us listening who were going to be affected by it. For example, four lads in Liverpool..."

> 'People in the theatre left in disgust. I thought it was brilliant!'
>
> **ANNIE NIGHTINGALE**

The Beatles were huge Goons fans. Lennon in particular loved the bite of surreal comedy. In 1973, he reviewed their scripts for *The New York Times*. "I was 12 when *The Goon Show* first hit me," he wrote. "Their humour was the only proof that the world was insane." At the height of Beatlemania, he twice appeared on *Not Only... But Also*, with Cook and Moore, and wrote two Milliganesque books of verse. Nightingale was friends with him during this period. "John said he would rather have been a comedian than a Beatle," she says. "He would take the p*** out of you, put on silly voices. I think it entertained him. It certainly entertained me."

The close connection between comedy and music makes sense. "It's about rhythm," says Nightingale. "It's about the beat, the timing." Milligan and Moore were excellent musicians. Prior to becoming "the fifth Beatle", producer George Martin worked on *Songs for Swingin' Sellers*, a 1959 comedy album by Peter Sellers. "What a lucky chance that was," says Nightingale. "The Beatles had been turned down by every record company, but George Martin heard the comedy in them, while they loved the fact that he shared that surreal sense of humour. Humour cemented them. That was the magic."

As Nightingale points out, *Yellow Submarine*, with its radio-show sound effects and silly voices, is extremely Goonish. "There was a lot of humour in the Beatles, that's partly why we loved them. They weren't just four blokes singing songs, they were funny and kept breaking the rules. We'd never had that before. Nobody had been allowed. At the Royal Variety Show they were debunking the establishment, and pop singers weren't supposed to do that. They were supposed to wear a nice suit and a bow tie and be very deferential."

Where did this spirit of cultural anarchy spring from? Nightingale – whose uncle served with Harry Secombe in the Second World War – suggests that "the willingness to challenge and take the mickey out of authority was a postwar thing. I think the only way they could deal with it afterwards was to keep laughing; making jokes about the war and bombs, and be completely fearless. An irreverence came out of that."

In the wake of the Goons and *Beyond the Fringe* came David Frost and Monty Python. The Beatles kept close to oddball comedy. The Bonzo Dog Doo-Dah Band and Ivor Cutler appear in *Magical Mystery Tour*. Peter Sellers popped in to say hello during the *Get Back* sessions, while George Harrison became friends with Pythons Eric Idle and Michael Palin. In the 1970s, Harrison set up the film production

COMEDY FAN Goons enthusiast and DJ Annie Nightingale, still working at Radio 1

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REVOLUTION
Clockwise from left: John Lennon of the Beatles with Peter Cook in a 1966 *Not Only... But Also*; pioneering radio stars the Goons; satirical revue *Beyond the Fringe*

company HandMade Films in order to finance *Monty Python's Life of Brian*, after a nervy EMI pulled the plug at the last moment. "George mortgaged his house to raise the money," says Nightingale. "When he was asked why he'd done that, he said, 'I wanted to see the film!' He was a fan." He also gamely appeared in *The Rutles: All You Need Is Cash*, a Beatles spoof written by Eric Idle, with songs by the Bonzos' Neil Innes.

It made for an extraordinarily fertile time. "You felt something very exciting going on," says Nightingale, who still enthuses about new music on her weekly Radio 1 show. "There was a revolution with all these brilliant people who didn't give a damn about respecting anybody – they just broke through. I was so inspired by this huge wave of creativity from people from all sorts of backgrounds. I thought, we've done it, we've cracked the whole bloody class system – and actually, we hadn't! It was great fun while it lasted, though." **GRAEME THOMSON**

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PRECIOUS MOMENTS

Radio editor **Jane Anderson** recalls great days with Robert Plant, Omar Sharif – and you, the readers

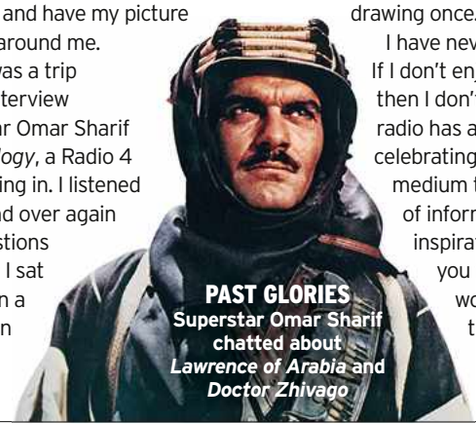
The time has come for me to set aside my *Radio Times* quill. All right, we have moved on to laptops these days, but my first shift on the magazine in the summer of 1984 featured manual typewriters, cow gum and pica rulers as the cutting-edge editorial equipment.

Times and technology have changed since then, but not my love for radio or this magazine. I acknowledge that I have been incredibly fortunate to get paid to listen to the radio and it really has been the best job in the world. So, in this final column, I thought I'd share some of my highlights.

Much of my working life has been spent in an unseemly, hunched position over a keyboard or beneath my desk with headphones on (a minor disadvantage of an open-plan, "creative", aka bloody noisy, office and a shock to all new editors looking for the radio editor), but sometimes I ventured out into the real world. My finest fan-girl hour was at a photoshoot with Led Zeppelin singer Robert Plant. I wasn't interviewing him – the magazine hired an esteemed music journalist for that – but did get to sit next to the great man on his "special" rug and have my picture taken with his arm around me.

> 'The thing that kept my creative fires burning? Letters from you'

And then there was a trip to Paris in 2011 to interview Hollywood superstar Omar Sharif about *The Cairo Trilogy*, a Radio 4 drama he was starring in. I listened to the plays over and over again and had all my questions prepared, but when I sat down to meet him in a swanky hotel, it soon became obvious that he had Alzheimer's and had zero memory of the play he'd recorded just a few days ago. Instead, we spent three hours talking about *Doctor Zhivago*, *Lawrence of Arabia*, poker and how he had flirted with Margaret Thatcher. It made me very proud of *Radio Times* that, upon my return, our then editor did not go down the headline-grabbing, sensationalist route. No mention was made of his condition. He was treated with respect and dignity.



PAST GLORIES
Superstar Omar Sharif chatted about *Lawrence of Arabia* and *Doctor Zhivago*

Then there was the time that I was desperately trying to take down copy from Alan Bennett over the phone when a colleague shouted across that Joanna Lumley was on the other line. Another example of the perils of open-plan offices, but Bennett merely quipped, "Typical day in the office?" It wasn't, but it's certainly stayed with me.

So, these are some of the starry highlights, but the most precious moments that I shall carry with me for ever have come from you, the readers. There was the mini storm in a teacup when I wrote a piece asking why folk music lovers always sported beards, and the day I became an object of office ridicule by having to talk to an elderly reader's dog, which was, according to its owner, incredibly deaf so I would have to shout, very loudly, for almost an hour.

But the thing that has kept my creative fires burning over the years has been your correspondence: emails, phone calls, handwritten letters, even a beautiful drawing once.

I have never called myself a critic. If I don't enjoy or admire something then I don't write about it. My love for radio has always directed me towards celebrating not denigrating the medium that has been our source of information, entertainment and inspiration for 100 years. Thank you for being with me on this wonderful journey, for sharing the joy of radio, for being my fellow audio fans. So long, farewell and keep listening!

AMBRIDGE DIARY *The Archers* this week...

Expect a shake-up at the shop this week as one volunteer resigns and another resident aims to fill the gap. But who will land this coveted position? And, more importantly, how will they fare with gossipy Susan and pernickety Jim?

Speaking of the Prof, he's also left having to digest some shock news from Jazzer, who ends up asking a favour of his friend. But the fear is that Jim has bitten off more than he can chew.

Over at Bridge Farm, Adam has a brainwave that he worries will raise eyebrows. Meanwhile, Kate is awaiting the arrival of a guest, Kirsty is kept on her toes and Alan deals with an unexpected development. **DAVID BROWN**

Podcasts

Edited by **DAVID HEPWORTH**

HANKS FOR NOTHING

How a 'no' from Tom Hanks led to a fascinating podcast about actors experiencing rejection

TOP MAN Tom Hanks (left) overseeing *Band of Brothers* in 2001

Actor Connor Ratliff's greatest claim to fame was that he nearly landed a part in the 2001 TV series *Band of Brothers*. He auditioned for the director at the production headquarters at Hatfield in Hertfordshire, just outside London. Afterwards, the casting agent came out and said to Ratliff the words that so often accompany the brush-off in showbusiness. "The director has decided to go in another direction."

This would be just another story of disappointment in an actor's life, had it not been for the identity of the director of *Band of Brothers*. It was Tom Hanks, who co-created the series with Steven Spielberg.

Now we all know that Tom Hanks is supposed to be the nicest man in Hollywood. So why, Ratliff wondered, would Tom Hanks reject him for this small part and could it possibly be because he had "dead eyes", which was the explanation given to him by some intermediary? That's the idea behind the *Dead Eyes* podcast, a showbiz shaggy dog story, which has turned out to be Ratliff's real claim to fame.

There have been more than 30 episodes of *Dead Eyes,* in the course of which Ratliff has sat down with fellow performers, writers and directors, some of them well known, some known mainly to him, to talk about the thing they know more about than anyone else. The experience of rejection.

Unlike musicians or footballers or regional sales managers, who can explain away not getting a job on the grounds of not having the skills or the precise experience the people were looking for, the actor is all too often left to conclude that they've been found wanting as a person because of some quality they weren't even aware they gave off. Dead eyes, for instance.

DEAD-EYED? American actor and comedian Connor Ratliff

You wouldn't believe how fascinating a podcast with such a tight focus could be. Across three series of *Dead Eyes,* Ratliff has tracked back through his career and looked at those *Sliding Doors* moments when the briefest interaction with another human being had consequences that lasted for years. It's set in showbiz

> 'Connor finally gets to sit down and talk with Tom Hanks'

but much of it applies just as well in real life. Some people have got the job the moment they walk in the room. That happens everywhere.

The unexpected climax of series three is that Ratliff finally gets to sit down and talk about his *Band of Brothers* knockback with Tom Hanks, thus making *Dead Eyes* one of the few "journey" podcasts that actually reaches a sort of destination.

And the conclusion, which applies in real life and in Hollywood? We wouldn't worry half so much about what people thought about us if we knew how little they did.

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SHOW OF THE WEEK

DEAD EYES

Connor Ratliff talks to fellow actors and others from the world of showbusiness about how they manage to cope with the one thing that they all have in common – rejection.

IF YOU LIKE THAT, TRY THESE

HEIDIWORLD

In the 1980s, when there was no #MeToo and actors didn't all call themselves activists, rock stars went shopping for wives in *Playboy* magazine and young Heidi Fleiss roamed Hollywood in search of older wealthy men looking for young attractive women to sleep with them. By the 90s, it had become a business. Soon after was the "Hollywood Madam" court case. Is this kind of thing still going on under a different name? You wouldn't bet against it.

DARK HOLLYWOOD: THE REELZ FILES

In the 1997 film *LA Confidential*, which was set in the 50s, Danny DeVito played a showbiz scandalmonger, relating the misdeeds of the citizens of Tinseltown, with a lip-smacking relish that seemed anachronistic. Thanks to podcast series like this one, which gives the same lurid treatment to the personal stories of Lindsay Lohan, Charles Manson, Arnold Schwarzenegger and Britney Spears, it sounds as though its time has come again.

THE WHITE LOTUS: A POST-SHOW RECAP

Nothing fires a watercooler conversation quite like a TV drama that leaves viewers wondering what exactly happened and why. If you are not in the vicinity of an aquifer, this is the next best way to find out whether you're the only person who got hold of the wrong end of the stick.

ONE BROKE ACTRESS

Actor Sam Valentine takes her networking online in a conversation with prominent casting director John Frank Levey, who points out that to be cast in *The West Wing*, you had to look sufficiently intelligent to understand the political stories and also be a fast enough talker to rattle through Aaron Sorkin's script. Some actors simply couldn't do it, he says.

SOMETHING NEW

WHERE THERE'S A WILL THERE'S A WAKE

Kathy Burke asks the usual suspects – Dawn French, James Acaster etc – how they would prefer to die, how they would wish the occasions to be marked, what is their attitude to mortality and, most importantly, what good stuff they will leave behind and who will get it. Should have been called *Last Orders*, of course.

RADIOHEADS

MARK RADCLIFFE

21st Century Folk is a snapshot of our lives now

4 January 2023 marks the tenth anniversary of me taking over presentation duties of the Radio 2 *Folk Show* from Mike Harding. I can't believe a decade has gone by, but it's been an absolute honour, privilege and education to be at the helm for so long. Folk music really does contain an oral history of these islands – and it's a history that is very much alive.

We're not in the business of curating a musical museum. We respect the traditions and trailblazers of course, but we give equal exposure to the work reflecting life as it is lived today. Folk music is well qualified to do this. Certainly, the blues potently documented the struggles of the downtrodden in the American South over many generations, but folk remains a contemporary way of cataloguing modern life in music. It incorporates the earliest manifestations of "work songs" in shanties and spirituals

> 'I hope the stories help you reflect on your battles and triumphs'

but also gave rise to the protest song, as pioneered by Woody Guthrie and Bob Dylan.

None of this means that we're po-faced about it. Serious issues are grappled with but there are also vibrant traditions of storytelling, humour and sublime musicianship. In that spirit, January sees the climax of our *21st Century Folk* project, launched last year on *The Folk Show*. The idea was to honour and echo the tradition of the long-established "radio ballads". These began in the late 1950s under the auspices of the great singer/songwriter/observer Ewan MacColl and were originally broadcast on the BBC Home Service. Their aim, like that of folk music in general, was to document the lives and voices of the working man and woman and to give them what, in those days, was a rare opportunity to be heard on national radio.

As the times we've lived through in the last few years have been almost uniquely tumultuous and difficult, it seemed like the right moment to document the hardships, challenges, losses and indeed resilience of ordinary people negotiating unprecedented events. So a campaign was launched asking people to submit personal stories with the idea that some would form the basis of folk songs

that – like earlier ballads marking the decline of the ship-building or coal-mining industries or suffering during war time – would create a snapshot of how lives have been affected by the pandemic and subsequent challenges.

It was decided to focus on the North East of England, as previous radio ballad bodies of work have proved more potent with a specific focus on one region. Who knows? If this is all well received, we could look to other parts of the UK in future.

As expected, the stories were incredibly varied and choosing which to work on proved incredibly difficult. The final five have thrown up a range of topics: a community soup kitchen, a GP who ended up being treated in intensive care, a charity inspired by the tragedy of child death, the future of the docks, and picnic parties for isolated kids.

The originators of these experiences have had the chance to work closely with respected and proven singer/songwriters: Chris Difford, Thea Gilmore, Angeline Morrison, Sean Cooney of the Young 'Uns and Martyn Joseph. We're deeply grateful to these artists for embracing the idea and utilising their incredible talents to help us bring this to realisation.

So please do join us for *21st Century Folk* on Radio 2 and BBC Sounds. Hopefully, the stories will touch you but will also make you reflect on your own battles and triumphs over the last few years. And also, I promise, you will hear some deeply lovely songs.

Mark Radcliffe hosts 21st Century Folk (Wednesday 8pm Radio 2, then on BBC Sounds)

Today's Choices

Opera on 3: Cherubini's Medea

6.30pm ***Radio 3***

Cherubini's 1797 masterpiece *Medea* had to wait until 1953 before Maria Callas restored it to the repertoire, thereafter becoming so closely identified with the mythic character of the murderous mother that, even after she'd retired from singing, Pasolini still chose her to act the part in his 1969 movie. The long shadow cast by Callas may be one reason why it took until last September for Medea finally to reach the New York Met. By all accounts, it was worth the wait. *The New York Times* praised Sondra Radvanovsky (above) for "giving her all in a writhing, high-note-hurling take on the spurned sorceress", while the *New York Classical Review* simply stated, "Opera doesn't get much better than this".

MARK PAPPENHEIM

Drama: Rare Earth

3.00pm ***Radio 4***

The "rare earth" of the title refers to sought-after metals and elements such as neodymium and terbium that are vital components in pretty much every electronic gadget. Playwright Richard Monks cleverly turns the frantic commercial search for them into a political thriller set in Greenland where long-buried family secrets are as compelling as digging up a seam of samarium. The sound effects and design are exceptional, from the industrial drilling to the haunting expanses of ice, where the body of an Inuit child is discovered. An audio triumph.

JANE ANDERSON

Archive on 4: Annie Nightingale's Age of Irreverence

8.00pm ***Radio 4***

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BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 **F'sat** 700 **Sky** 0101 **Virgin** 901

6.00am Radio 1 Happy
7.00 Adele Roberts
10.30 Katie Thistleton
1.00pm Matt and Jamie
4.00 Dance Anthems
7.00 Radio 1's Soundsystem Party
9.00 1Xtra's Rap Show
11.00 Drum 'n' Bass Show
12.00 Drum 'n' Bass Mix
1.00am Classic Essential Mix 3.00 Future Dance Mix 3.30 Pete Tong 4.00 Dance Anthems 5.00 Relax

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 **F'sat** 702 **Sky** 0102 **Virgin** 902

6.00am Sounds of the 60s
Tony Blackburn spins US and UK hits, including listeners' requests linked to personal reminiscences.

8.00 Dermot O'Leary
Music, chat and features, today with special guest Whoopi Goldberg, co-producer and co-star of the biographical film *Till*, which stars Danielle Deadwyler as civil rights educator and activist Mamie Till. See 7.15pm Radio 4

10.00 Davina McCall
Sitting in for Claudia Winkleman.

1.00pm Pick of the Pops
Paul Gambaccini with the Top 20s from this week in 1989 and 2003. Rptd Mon 3am (1989) and Tue 3am (2003)

3.00 Rylan on Saturday
6.00 Liza Tarbuck
8.00 Sounds of the 80s
Gary Davies with hits and lesser-known or forgotten gems. Plus features, including **My 80s Moments** – with 1980s reminiscences from a special guest – and a themed **Mastermix**.

10.00 Sounds of the 90s
With Fearne Cotton. Rptd Wednesday/Thursday 3am

12.00 Top Brass
New series. 1/4. James Morrison returns with brass recordings of pop, rock, jazz and big band favourites. Tonight's playlist includes the Black Dyke Band, Latin jazz act the Mambisimo Big Band, ska star Don Drummond and Björk.

1.00am Dance Sounds of the 90s with Vernon Kay
2.00 Michelle Visage's Rule Breakers
Australian choreographer Jason Gardiner (*Dancing on Ice*) reveals the family secret that upended his life.

3.00 The Folk Show with Sean Cooney Sean Cooney (of folk trio the Young'uns) shares his favourite songs about real people. (R)

4.00 Radio 2 in Concert
Mike + the Mechanics in March 1989 at Hammersmith Odeon in London. (R)

5.00 Tracks of My Years
Omnibus edition with Sarah Pascoe.

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 **Freesat** 707 **Sky** 0120 **Virgin** 909

6.00am DJ Paulette
Sitting in for Amy Lamé.

8.00 Radcliffe and Maconie
Music, chat and guests, with Paul Hartnoll (of duo Orbital) in the **First, Last and Everything** feature.

10.00 The Huey Show
1.00pm Tarzsa Williams
Sitting in for Jamz Supernova.

3.00 Gilles Peterson
6.00 The Craig Charles Funk and Soul Show
9.00 The Blessed Madonna
12.00 Lose Yourself with...
2.00am Late in the Day
4.00 The Morning After Mix

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 **Freesat** 703 **Sky** 0103 **Virgin** 903
News and **weather** 7.00am, 8.00 and 1.00pm

7.00am Breakfast
With Elizabeth Alker, including, at just after 7, **Croissant Corner**, a celebration of French chanson.

9.00 Record Review
Andrew McGregor with an engaging approach to classical music, with an emphasis on new releases.

9.30 Kate Kennedy discusses personal favourite new releases and, in the **On Repeat** feature, shares a track that is a current preoccupation.

10.30 Building a Library Edward Seckerson on recordings of Mahler's Sixth Symphony.

11.20 Record of the Week A fine new release. *Record Review Extra* is broadcast tomorrow at 9pm

11.45 Music Matters
As part of Radio 3's New Year, New Music – in which composers introduce new music that has inspired them in the past year – Kate Molleson talks to Finnish composer Kaija Saariaho (now 70) at her home in Paris. Saariaho reflects on her life in music and discusses her distinctive style and personal voice, which began with *Lichtbogen* (1986), a work for chamber orchestra and electronics inspired by the aurora borealis. Rptd Monday 10pm

12.30pm This Classical Life
Saxophonist Jess Gillam is joined by London violinist Ellie Consta to swap tracks and share musical discoveries across a range of styles.

1.00 Inside Music
An insider's take on various music works. Today harpist Rachel Masters of the London Philharmonic Orchestra discusses a personal choice of musical works in detail.

3.00 Sound of Gaming
Monthly series showcasing music from the world of gaming, today with Louise Blain focusing on some of the more comic games. She is joined by Edinburgh-born California composer Grant Kirkhope, whose CV includes *GoldenEye 007*, *Banjo-Kazooie*, *Donkey Kong 64* and *Perfect Dark*.

4.00 Music Planet
Lopa Kothari introduces a session from Carnatic singer Sushma Soma, plus a round-up of the latest new releases from across the world. Plus guests.

5.00 J to Z
Kevin Le Gendre presents a session by UK jazz heavyweights Binker and Moses (drummer Moses Boyd and saxophonist Binker Golding), whose 2022 album *Feeding the Machine* blends heavy grooves, soaring melodies and freewheeling improvisation. And American jazz pianist and composer Helen Sung shares some of her musical inspirations, including a dream-like composition by bassist Meshell Ndegeocello. (R)

6.30 Opera on 3: Cherubini's Medea
RT In a role most associated with Maria Callas, soprano Sondra Radvanovsky leads a starry cast in the New York Metropolitan Opera's first ever production of Cherubini's *Medea*, which premiered in Paris in 1797. Even by Greek myth standards, this is a gruesome tale where jealousy and vengeance collide, with truly appalling results. In 1200 BCE Corinth Jason is about to be married to Glauce. Medea, the mother of his children, is not pleased and is determined to stop the wedding, sending a poisoned robe and crown to Glauce. This performance given in October is presented by Debra Lew Harder with commentator Ira Siff.

Cherubini *Medea*

Medea	**Sondra Radvanovsky** (soprano)
Glauce	**Janai Brugger** (soprano)
Neris	**Ekaterina Gubanova** (soprano)
Giasone	**Matthew Polenzani** (tenor)
Creonte	**Michele Pertusi** (bass)
First lady	**Brittany Renee** (soprano)
Second lady	**Sarah Larsen** (mezzo)
Leader of the King's guards	**Christopher Job** (bass-baritone)

Metropolitan Opera Chorus and Orchestra, conductor Carlo Rizzi

10.00 New Music Show
Tom Service presents a concert recorded last month at the Fire Station in Sunderland performed by the Ligeti Quartet, the ensemble Distractfold, pianist Kate Ledger and turntablist Mariam Rezaei, who plays her own new work for four turntables (BBC commission, first performance). Other featured composers are Anna Meredith, Sean Noonan, Katharine Norman, Michael Finnissy and Anna Korsun.

12.00 Freeness
Corey Mwamba with new jazz and improvised music, tonight featuring Glasgow Improvisers Orchestra, Biliana Voutchkova with Jeff Surak, and Muumiot.

1.00am Through the Night With Catriona Young. **Beethoven** *Seven Variations on Bei Männern, welche Liebe fühlen, WoO 46* **Czerny** *Marcia funebre sulla morte di Luigi van Beethoven, Op 146* **Hummel** *Piano Quintet in E flat minor, Op 87* **Beethoven** *Septet in E flat, Op 20* Moritz Roelcke (clarinet), Igor Ahss (bassoon), Hervé Joulain (horn), Gwendolyn Masin and Wouter Vossen (violins), Tomoko Akasaka and Rumen Cvetkov (violas), Benedict Klöckner and Chiara Enderle Samatanga (cellos), Lars Olaf Schaper (double bass), José Gallardo and Diana Ketler (pianos) **2.22 Schubert** *Piano Sonata in D, D850* **3.01 Rossi** *Hebrew Psalms and instrumental canzonas: Sonata seconda detta La Casalasca*; *A Psalm to David (Psalm 29)*; *Sonata prima detta La moderna*; *By the Rivers of Babylon (Psalm 137)*; *Blessed Is He Who Comes in the Name of Adonai (from Psalm 118)*; *Sinfonia quinta*; *Let Me Open My Lips*; *Let Us Praise*; *Sonata in dialogo detta La Viena*; *O, Lord, Turn our Hearts*; *Sinfonia nona*; *May God Be Gracious to Us (Psalm 67)*; *Eternal Lord; Shir hamma'a lot (Psalm 128)*; *Sonata sopra l'aria di Ruggiero* **3.47 Crusell** *Clarinet Concerto No 1 in E flat, Op 1* **4.10 Chopin** *Bolero in A minor, Op 19* **4.17 Ridout** *Fall Fair* **4.25 Kodaly** *Adagio* **4.34 GC Bach** *Siehe, wie fein und lieblich ist es* **4.41 Marais** *Sonnerie de Ste Geneviève du mont* **4.49 Reichenauer** *Bassoon Concerto in G minor* **5.01 Mendelssohn** *Overture: The Hebrides (Fingal's Cave)* **5.12 Nielsen** *Chaconne, Op 32* **5.21 H Andriessen** *Qui habitat* **5.30 De Fesch** *Concerto in G, Op 5 No 3* **5.37 Barber** *Dover Beach* **5.46 CPE Bach** *Keyboard Fantasia in C, Wq61 No 6* **5.54 Ginastera** *Variaciones concertantes, Op 23* **6.19 Piazzolla** *Histoire du tango* **6.35 Mozart** *Concerto in E flat, K365/316a* (R)

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk

7.00am Hannah Cox Including after **7.00** the **DONNE Triple Play**. See Monday 1pm

10.00 Angellica Bell Magazine-style show.

1.00pm Mark Kermode Film music.

3.00 Simon Mayo's Essential Albums A playlist including an anniversary (Maria Callas), a new release (Neeme Jarvi in Concert, with music by Wagner), and the **Weekly Mozart Pick**. Plus music by Jonathan Dove ahead of July's premiere of his opera *Itch*.

5.00 The Console with Luci Holland
6.00 Jack Pepper's Culture Bunker
Special guest Vanessa Redgrave and composer Laura Rossi discuss links between poetry and music.

8.00 Saturday Night Scala With Darren Redick.

10.00 The Space Soothing and calming music.

1.00am Night Music 5.00 In the Park

Absolute Radio

DAB absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 **F'sat** 724 **Sky** 0107 **Virgin** 915

8.00am Frank Skinner 11.00 Sarah Champion 2.00pm Rock 'n' Roll Football 5.00 Andy Bush's Indie Disco 7.00 Absolute Classic Rock Party 10.00 Sophie K 4.00am Ross Buchanan

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM DAB classicfm.com
Freeview 731 **Freesat** 721 **Sky** 0106 **Virgin** 922

7.00am Alan Titchmarsh
10.00 Aled Jones
1.00pm Alexander Armstrong
4.00 The Classic FM Hall of Fame Concert with Catherine Bott
With music by Rossini, John Williams, Rachmaninov, Khachaturian, Wagner, Mozart, Shostakovich and Chopin. Featuring performances of Beethoven's complete fifth Symphony by Staatskapelle Berlin and Ravel's *Boléro* by the Sinfonia of London.

7.00 Saturday Night at the Movies
Andrew Collins presents music by Hans Zimmer (*The Da Vinci Code*), Alan Silvestri (*Forrest Gump*), Randy Newman (*Toy Story*) and John Williams (*Saving Private Ryan*). Plus an interview with the films' star, Tom Hanks, on the topic of his newest release *A Man Called Otto*, scored by Thomas Newman.

9.00 David Mellor's Melodies
A playlist marked by personal favourite recordings by top orchestras and soloists.

10.00 Smooth Classics With Myleene Klass.

1.00am Katie Breathwick 4.00 Sam Pittis

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News 5.30am, 6.00 and hourly to 12 midnight
Weather 6.04am, 6.57, 7.57, 12.57pm, 5.57, 12.15am
Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (*LW*), 5.54pm, 12.48am

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day With Harry Baker.

5.45 Four Thought
1/4. Meg Sunshine, a professional gamer, shines a light on the toxicity of gaming culture. Olly Mann presents. Repeated from Wednesday

6.00 News and Papers

6.07 Open Country
13/16. Jez Lowe joins folk musician Johnny Campbell at Kinder Scout in the Peak District to celebrate 90 years since the "Right to Roam" movement began, and to explore the traditional songs of the area. Ewan MacColl's *Manchester Rambler* is one of the movement's key texts, and Jez meets Kate Griffin and Ford Collier of the band Mishra, who have recorded their own version of the song. And Jez hears from local singer Bella Hardy about how her home in Edale has inspired and influenced her work. Repeated from Thursday

6.30 Farming Today This Week

7.00 Today
With Mishal Husain and Simon Jack.

7.25, 8.25 Sports News

7.48 Thought for the Day With Martin Wroe.

9.00 Saturday Live
Psychotherapist and *Observer* agony aunt Philippa Perry is Nikki Bedi and Richard Coles's guest. Producer Claire Bartleet

10.30 You're Dead to Me
The Asante Empire. Greg Jenner is joined by historian Augustus Casely-Hayford and comedian Sophie Duker to explore the Asante Empire and learn the roots of Ghanaian heritage. Producer Cornelius Mendez

11.00 The Briefing Room
7/15. David Aaronovitch and guests drill down into a topical issue. Rptd from Thursday

11.30 From Our Own Correspondent
Presented by Kate Adie. Producer Serena Tarling

12.04pm Money Box
Personal finance, including impartial advice.
Repeated tomorrow 9pm

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12.30 The News Quiz
2/11. Andy Zaltzman chairs, with a panel including Lucy Porter, Chris McCausland and Scott Bennett. Repeated from yesterday

1.00 News

1.10 Any Questions?
Alex Forsyth chairs from Sarratt village hall in Hertfordshire, with a panel comprising Andrew Mitchell MP, Steve Reed MP, Dr Saleyha Ahsan and Lionel Shriver.
Repeated from yesterday

2.00 Any Answers?
Presented by Anita Anand.
PHONE: 0370 010 0444 Lines open from 12.30pm
EMAIL: any.answers@bbc.co.uk

2.45 39 Ways to Save the Planet
37/40. **Low Carbon Crisps.** Tom Heap tours a fertiliser plant on the outskirts of Birmingham, where waste from crisp factories and sewage treatment works is routed and treated to form the basic building blocks of new fertilisers. Producer Alasdair Cross (R)

3.00 Drama: Rare Earth
RT A trade-war thriller and family saga rooted in a dark colonial stain on Greenland's past. The Gold Rush of the Wild West finds its 21st-century counterpoint in the frozen north.

Manoc	**Christopher Dane**	Olsen	**David Menkin**
Rusa	**Christina Wolfe**	Fulton	**Ryan Ellsworth**
Magda	**Pamela Miles**	Harris	**Liz Sutherland-Lim**
Lyberth	**Samantha Dakin**	Kalina	**Anastasia Hille**

Producer Sarah Tombling; Director Nicolas Jackson

4.00 Weekend Woman's Hour
Anita Rani presents the week's highlights.

5.00 Saturday PM With Caroline Wyatt.

5.30 Sliced Bread
1/13. Consumer show in which Greg Foot and his guests search for the scientific evidence behind a product's bold claims. Today: cold defence nasal sprays. Repeated from Thursday

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.15 Loose Ends
Clive Anderson and Yasmeen Khan are joined by Liz Kingsman, Iwan Rheon and Claire McGowan for an eclectic mix of conversation, music and comedy.
Producer Sukey Firth Repeated tomorrow 11pm

7.00 Profile
An insight into a topical figure.
Repeated tomorrow 5.45am and 5.40pm

7.15 This Cultural Life
2/7. John Wilson is joined by actor Whoopi Goldberg. She talks about her early love of performance, her comedy heroes, and the directors Mike Nichols and Steven Spielberg, the latter giving her her first film role his adaptation of *The Color Purple*.
Producer Edwina Pitman Repeated Monday 2.15pm

8.00 Archive on 4: Annie Nightingale's Age of Irreverence
RT A lifelong fan of both comedy and new music, Annie Nightingale looks at how, in the cultural revolution of the late 50s and 60s onwards, pop music and comedy were closely linked. The programme takes in the Beatles, *Beyond The Fringe*, the Bonzo Dog Doo Dah Band, Monty Python and the Rutles. Contributors include comedy writer and music critic David Quantick, composer and arranger John Altman, comedian and historian Jem Roberts, and Legs Larry Smith of the Bonzos Producer Susan Marling
See feature: page 110

9.00 Stone
1/10. Martin Jameson's crime drama based on characters created by Danny Brocklehurst, starring Hugo Speer. A body is discovered when the detective and his team investigate a fire at a homeless hostel run by charismatic charity leader Jackie Stanton-Hope, and Stone's enquiries lead him to re-examine a murder he worked on 20 years before.

DCI John Stone	**Hugo Speer**	Sarah	**Christine Bottomley**
DS Sue Kelly	**Deborah McAndrew**	Devon De Costa	**Everal A Walsh**
DI Mike Tanner	**Craig Cheetham**	Grace Peverall	**Susan Twist**
Jackie Stanton-Hope	**Jill Halfpenny**	Sully	**Michael Peavoy**

Producers Gary Brown and Nadia Molinari
Director Gary Brown (R)

9.45 Rabbit Remembered
1/5. Toby Jones reads from John Updike's 2001 novella that revisits the Angstroms ten years after Harry's death to contemplate how the family has got on without him. His son Nelson has recovered from his drug habit, but separated from his wife, while his widow Janice has remarried. But into their lives steps his illegitimate daughter Annabelle and echoes of the past begin to cascade into the present. Abridged by Robin Brooks. Producer Clive Brill (R)

10.00 News

10.15 How Things are Done in Odesa
Monica Whitlock tells the story of the Black Sea port city that stands independent from Moscow and Kyiv, delving deep into its rich history and the art it has inspired. She finds out as much as she can about the city of possibility and promise, helped by Alec Koypt, Anna Misyuk, Victoria Khiterer and Boris Drayluk. First broadcast on BBC World Service.
Repeated from Wednesday

11.00 Nature Table
6/6. Sue Perkins hosts the panel show from ZSL London Zoo. With lead keeper Jessica Jones, fungarium curator Lee Davies, and comedian Shaparak Khorsandi. Repeated from Monday

11.30 Poetry Please
2/6. Nikita Gill is Roger McGough's guest. From listener suggestions, she chooses work for a new year – by poets including Patience Agbabi, Chen Chen and Ada Limon.
Repeated from Sunday

12.00 News and Weather

12.15am Torn
5/10. **Viscose Rayon.** Gus Caseley-Hayford, director of the V&A East, explores the history of viscose rayon, first known as "fake silk".
Producer Tiffany Cassidy (R)

12.30–12.45 Short Works
After the Romans. In a light-hearted, fabular vision of the Dark Ages, Jo Lloyd creates the world of south Wales around the year 500CE, and the lives of Iltut and his travel companion Acorn the Stag.
Repeated from yesterday

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC Radio 4 Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4extra
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6.00am Born to Be Wilde: The Importance of Being Earnest as 5pm
7.30 The Mirror and the Light as 6.30pm
8.45 Voices from behind the Canvas as 7.45pm
9.00 Life with the Lyons 1954 sitcom
9.30 Stiff Upper Lip, Jeeves as 2.30pm
10.00 1963: That Was the Year That Was as 3pm
11.00 Born to Be Wilde: The Importance of Being Earnest as 5pm
12.30pm The Mirror and the Light as 6.30pm
1.45 Voices from behind the Canvas as 7.45pm
2.00 Life with the Lyons 1954 sitcom
2.30 Stiff Upper Lip, Jeeves Dramatisation of PG Wodehouse's 1963 comic novel. From 1980 (5/6)
3.00 1963: That Was the Year That Was In front of an audience at west London's Riverside Studios, accompanied by singer and actor Petula Clark and journalist Joan Bakewell, TV mogul Michael Grade recalls the culture of 1963. From 2013 (2/2)
4.00 Doctor Who: The War Doctor Part one of Nicholas Briggs's adventure *Legion of the Lost*, with John Hurt (1940–2017) reprising the War Doctor role he debuted in the series seven finale of the TV series in 2013. Concludes at 12 midnight (1/2)
4.35 The Garden of Time Allan Corduner reads JG Ballard's 1962 short story, abridged by Duncan Minshull. From 2010
5.00 Born to Be Wilde: The Importance of Being Earnest Oscar Wilde's satirical masterwork about two young men leading complex double lives to escape from their responsibilities. With Mathew Baynton, Stephen Hogan and Abhin Galeya. From 2018
6.30 The Mirror and the Light The third and final work in the Thomas Cromwell series of novels by writer Hilary Mantel, who died in September, aged 70. Abridged by Katrin Williams and read by Anton Lesser. From 2020 – omnibus (6–10/15)
7.45 Voices from behind the Canvas Rachel Cusk's *Sacrifice*, inspired by Caravaggio's *Sacrifice of Isaac*. A man remembers an affair with a German woman. Read by William Gaminara. From 2001
8.00 Life with the Lyons 1954 sitcom
8.30 Stiff Upper Lip, Jeeves as 2.30pm
9.00 1963: That Was the Year That Was as 3pm
10.00–12.00 Comedy Club: John Finnemore's Souvenir Programme (5/6), at **10.30 Britain in Bits with Ross Noble** (3/4), at **11.00 Vent** (1/6), and at **11.30 Radio Shuttleworth** (6/6)
12.00 Doctor Who: The War Doctor Conclusion of Nicholas Briggs's adventure *Legion of the Lost*. See 4pm for details (2/2)
12.35am A Warning to the Curious Chilling tale by MR James. First broadcast on Radio 3 in 2011
1.00 as 5pm **2.30** as 6.30pm **3.45** as 1.45pm **4.00** as 2pm **4.30** as 2.30pm **5.00** as 3pm

BBC World Service

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5.00am The Newsroom **5.30** Kalki Presents: My Indian Life **5.50** More or Less **6.00** Weekend **8.30** The Conversation: two women football players at the top of their game **9.00** News **9.05** BBC OS Conversations **9.30** Pick of the World **9.50** Over to You **10.00** News **10.05** Sports Hour **11.00** The Newsroom **11.30** The Climate Question: the installation of early warning systems for extreme weather **12.00** News **12.05pm** World Book Club: Anuk Arudpragasam's novel *A Passage North* **1.00** Newshour **2.00** News **2.05** Sportsworld **6.00** The Newsroom **6.30** Kalki Presents: My Indian Life: what it is like to be young and Indian in the 21st century **6.50** Sporting Witness **7.00** News **7.05** BBC OS Conversations **7.30** Outlook **8.00** News **8.05** The Arts Hour **9.00** Newshour **10.00** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** The Cultural Frontline **11.00** News **11.05** Music Life: Jockstrap speak to Flux Pavilion and Mala **12.00** News **12.05am** BBC OS Conversations **12.30** Kalki Presents: My Indian Life **12.50** More or Less **1.00** News **1.05** The Science Hour **2.00** The Newsroom **2.30** Healthcheck: **3.00** News **3.05** World Book Club **4.00** News **4.05** From Our Own Correspondent **4.30** The Cultural Frontline

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW DAB bbc.co.uk/fivelive
F'view 705 **F'sat** 705 **Sky** 0105 **Virgin** 905
Sports Extra F'view 706 **F'sat** 706
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News and **sport** bulletin every half-hour
Times vary during live sports coverage

5.00am 5 Live Boxing
With Steve Bunce and guests.

6.00 Saturday Breakfast
Chris Warburton and Eleanor Oldroyd with news and a weekend preview.

9.00 Patrick Kielty

11.00 Fighting Talk
Colin Murray plays judge and jury.

12.00 5 Live Sport
A day of FA Cup third-round coverage, starting at **12.30pm** with Gillingham v Leicester City commentary, then at **3.00** Blackpool v Nottingham Forest. And at **5.00 Sports Report**, followed at **6.00** by FA Cup commentary on Sheffield Wednesday v Newcastle United at Hillsborough. At **8.00** FA Cup commentary on Liverpool v Wolverhampton Wanderers at Anfield.

10.00pm 6-0-6
With Robbie Savage and Chris Sutton.

11.00 Stephen Nolan
Discussion on vital topical issues.

1.00am Edward Adoo
Sitting in for Laura McGhi.

BBC 5 Sports Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/sports extra
F'view 706 **F'sat** 706 **Sky** 0131 **Virgin** 908

7.00am–10.15am Cricket
Melbourne Renegades v Hobart Hurricanes in the Big Bash.

12.25pm–7.30pm FA Cup Football
Third-round matches, starting with Tottenham Hotspur v Portsmouth
2.55 Middlesbrough v Brighton.
5.25 Coventry v Wrexham.

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW DAB talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 **F'sat** 731 **Sky** 0108 **Virgin** 927

6.00am GameDay Breakfast
9.00 GameDay Warm Up
11.00 FA Cup Football Tottenham v Portsmouth (kick-off **12.30pm**).
2.30pm GameDay Live
5.30 The GameDay Phone-In
7.30 FA Cup Football
Liverpool v Wolves (kick-off **8.00**).
10.00 Fight Night
1.00am Extra Time

Talksport 2

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12 noon–7.30pm FA Cup Football
Gillingham v Leicester City (k/o **12.30**)
2.30 Blackpool v Nottingham Forest (kick-off **3.00**); **5.00** Brentford v West Ham (k/o **5.30**).
10.00pm–3.00am PGA Tour
Sentry Tournament of Champions.

LBC

97.3 FM (London area) DAB lbc.co.uk
F'view 732 **F'sat** 734 **Sky** 0123 **Virgin** 919
7.00am Andrew Castle 10.00 Matt Frei 1.00pm Sangita Myska 4.00 Topical programme 7.00 Natasha Devon 9.00 Legal Hour 10.00 Nick Abbot 1.00am Clive Bull 4.00 Richard Spurr

Asian Network

DAB bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 **F'sat** 709 **Sky** 0119 **Virgin** 912
5.00am Ankur Desai 6.00 All Star Anthems 7.00 Love Friday Mix 8.00 Smash Bengali 10.00 Certified 11.00 Beyond Bollywood 1.00pm Mistah Islah 3.00 AJD 6.00 Panjabi Hit Squad 9.00 Pure Spice 12.00 S.O.S Bhangra Mix 1.00am Represents 3.00 Panjabi Hit Squad

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SUNDAY Radio

Today's Choices

The Confessional
7.15pm ***Radio 4***

Writer Antonia Fraser (above) is 90 years old and so has a lengthy life span to contemplate when it comes to selecting three misdeeds to share with series host Stephen Mangan. He visits her at home to set up his confessional booth and, without being patronising or condescending, treats her with a tad more deference than his usual guests. In return, she chuckles along as he teases out stories of "borrowing" library books for a very long time, inviting people to parties that didn't exist, and masquerading as an early-morning-mass attendee to obscure the fact that she'd stayed out all night at university. Not the greatest of crimes, admittedly, but the references to her second husband (Harold Pinter) and parents (Lord Longford and Elizabeth Harman) are a rich and revelatory delight.

JANE ANDERSON

Drama on 3: HashtagPublicEnemy
7.30pm ***Radio 3***

As playwright Steve Waters introduces his new drama, he makes clear that he was drawn to Henrik Ibsen's *An Enemy of the People* (his inspiration) because it was wittier than Ibsen's usual output. There is still a wealth of darkness involved as Waters creates a timely piece on herd mentality, truth versus misinformation and the power of the media. In a coastal town in Norfolk, an idealistic doctor discovers the eco-village his sister (and local mayor) is planning to open has been contaminated by toxins. As familial battle begins, neither sibling is willing to compromise. Who will be victorious – supercilious whistle-blower or blinkered businesswoman?

JANE ANDERSON

SHUTTERSTOCK

BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 **F'sat** 700 **Sky** 0101 **Virgin** 901

6.00am Chillout Anthems
7.00 Adele Roberts
10.30 Nat O'Leary
1.00pm Matt and Jamie
4.00 Radio 1's Life Hacks
6.00 The Official Chart: First Look
7.00 Radio 1's Chillest Show
9.00 Radio 1's Indie Show
11.00 BBC Introducing on Radio 1
12.00 Radio 1's Future Soul
1.30am UK R&B Mix 2.00 Decompression Session 3.00 Chill Mix 3.30 Motivate Me Mix 4.00 Dance 5.00 Arielle Free

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 **F'sat** 702 **Sky** 0102 **Virgin** 902

6.00am Good Morning Sunday The Rev Kate Bottley and Jason Mohammad with discussion about religion and faith. Plus conversation with guests.

9.00 Steve Wright's Sunday Love Songs Personal dedications.

11.00 The Michael Ball Show Guests include actor Janet McTeer – currently starring as Phaedra at the National Theatre – and Ian Redpath and Jeremy Chopra, the Transport for London employees behind the cultural phenomenon All on the Board.

1.00pm Elaine Paige on Sunday

3.00 Sounds of the 70s Bob Harris sits in for Johnnie Walker.

5.00 Rob Beckett

7.00 Tony Blackburn's Golden Hour

8.00 Sunday Night Is Music Night Another chance to hear Stephen Bell conduct the BBC Concert Orchestra in a concert devoted to the natural world, as part of the BBC's Go Green initiative, with music by Elgar, Eric Coates, Nitin Sawhney and others. The concert, recorded in June at the Hippodrome Circus in Great Yarmouth, also features folk musician Sam Lee, and singer/songwriter Georgia Cécile. Presented by YolanDa Brown. First broadcast in October. (R)

10.00 Radio 2 Unwinds with Angela Griffin

12.00 OJ Borg With **One Hit Wonders** at **2.30am**.

3.00am Music programme
4.00 Nicki Chapman

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 **Freesat** 707 **Sky** 0120 **Virgin** 909

6.00am DJ Paulette
8.00 Radcliffe and Maconie

10.00 Cerys Matthews Cerys looks ahead to 2023 with writer Lia Leendertz (*The Almanac*) and gardener Miranda Janatka.

1.00pm Peel Acres Tom Ravenscroft is joined by Nish Kumar. See tomorrow 12 midnight

2.00 Guy Garvey

4.00 Iggy Pop Personal picks.

6.00 Music programme

8.00 Stuart Maconie's Freak Zone Including experimental music.

10.00 Don Letts

12.00 This Is Us – 6 Music at 20 First Aid Kit's playlist of 2018 tracks, then at **1.00** a 2019 playlist curated by Anna Calvi, then at **2.00** Nadine Shah's nostalgic picks from 2020.

3.00am Music programme
5.00 Chris Hawkins

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 **Freesat** 703 **Sky** 0103 **Virgin** 903
News and **weather** 7.00am, 8.00 and 1.00pm

7.00am Breakfast With Martin Handley.

9.00 Sunday Morning With Sarah Walker.

12.00 Private Passions Michael Berkeley welcomes American film director Todd Field, whose new film *Tár* stars Cate Blanchett as the conductor of a major German orchestra. His music choices include Mahler, Elgar and Gorecki, and two tracks by Sarah Vaughan.

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert Monday's recital from Wigmore Hall in London. Presented by Sarah Walker. Paul Watkins (cello), Huw Watkins (piano)
Debussy *Cello Sonata*
Schumann *Fünf Stücke im Volkston, Op 102*
Michael Zev Gordon *Roseland*
Fauré *Cello Sonata No 2 in G minor, Op 117* (R)

2.00 The Early Music Show Lucie Skeaping explores depictions of chiaroscuro – a technique used in visual art that also produces striking contrasts in music. With works by Gesualdo, Dowland, de Rore, Handel, Graupner and Haydn. First broadcast in December 2022 as part of Radio 3's focus on darkness and light. (R)

3.00 Choral Evensong A carol service for Epiphany from the Chapel of Clare College, Cambridge, recorded on 24 November. Introit: Ich steh an deiner Krippen hier (Bach). Bidding. Hymn: O Worship the Lord (*Was lebet*, arr Graham Ross). Reading: Genesis 12, vv1–9. Carol: The Magi (Cecilia McDowall) (first broadcast). Reading: Isaiah 60, vv1–7. Anthem: Twelfth Night (Barber). Reading: Psalm 72. Anthem: When Jesus our Lord – Say, Where Is He Born (Mendelssohn). Reading: Matthew 2, vv1–6. Anthem: Epiphany (Judith Bingham). Reading: Matthew 2, vv7–12. Carol: Lute-book Lullaby (Alexander L'Estrange). Reading: Revelation 7, vv9–17. Carol: There Is No Rose (Lucy Walker). Prayers. Anthem: A Gallery Carol (Gardner). Hymn: Hail to the Lord's Anointed (Cruger, arr Graham Ross). Voluntary: Symphony No 6 in G, Op 42 No 2 (Finale) (Widor). (R)

4.00 Jazz Record Requests Alyn Shipton with a broad spectrum of jazz requests.

5.00 The Listening Service Tom Service examines Rachmaninov's massively popular Second Piano Concerto, assessing the secret of its appeal and its emotional impact. With pianist Lucy Parham. Repeated Friday 4.30pm (R)

5.30 Words and Music Poetry and prose on the theme of electricity, with Emily Bruni and Ray Fearon reading extracts from the writing of Naomi Alderman, Ian McEwan, DH Lawrence, Stephen Spender and Polly Atkin. Topics explored include the metaphor of the spark of creativity and the introduction of electricity to the Paris Opera House and the Savoy Theatre. With music by Janacek, Philip Glass and Shostakovich and recordings by Jeff Beck, Blanck Mass and Björk. (R)

6.45 Sunday Feature: Unlocking Anne Playwright and poet Clare Pollard pieces together the life and work of 16th-century English poet Anne Lock, now credited as having written the first ever sonnet sequence in the English language. Pollard takes listeners into Lock's world and time as she pieces together the fascinating life and work of a forgotten female sonneteer. Contributors include Deirdre Serjeantson (of Trinity College, Cambridge), Susan Felch (of Calvin University, Michigan) and Jake Arthur, specialist in women's writing in the 16th and 17th centuries. With readings by Colin Ryan and Ruth Everett. Producer Sarah Shebbeare

7.30 Drama on 3: HashtagPublicEnemy RT The Norfolk coastal town of Branwich is hoping to restore its fortunes with an eco-village, the Haven, which includes holiday homes and an aqua park. But the project's grand opening is jeopardised by the discovery of toxic waste in the water table. Based on *An Enemy of the People* – Henrik Ibsen's 1882 tragicomedy about a whistleblower – Steve Waters's play brings the Norwegian playwright's themes into the 21st century to explore colliding pressures around the economy, ecology, cancel-culture, corruption and popularism.

Tom Stockman **Joseph Millson** Conor Houston **Carl Prekopp**
Penny Stockman **Alexandra Gilbreath** Millie Goff **Silvia Presente**
Petra **Norah Lopez Holden** Ajay Charkraborti **Sartaj Garewal**
Maggie Killingworth **Anna Savva**
Producer/Director Jeremy Mortimer

9.00 Record Review Extra With Hannah French.

11.00 The Art of Music with Anna Clyne ***New series. 1/3.*** The composer explores how music and art directly inspire each other. In this first edition, she considers music inspired by art, looking at how pencil sketches worked their way into Caroline Shaw's Pulitzer prize-winning *Partita for 8 Voices*, as well as the importance of a black-and-white print to Rachmaninov's starkly evocative *Isle of the Dead*.

12.00 Classical Fix Linton Stephens is joined by London-born comedian and actor Michelle de Swarte, star of the recent HBO comedy horror series *The Baby*. (R)

12.30am Through the Night With Danielle Jalowiecka. **Schnittke** *Suite in the Old Style (arr Jin for violin and chamber orchestra)* **Respighi** *Suite for flute and strings* **Max Richter** *Four Seasons Recomposed* **Ernst** *Grand caprice on Schubert's Der Erlkönig, Op 26* **Max Richter** *Four Seasons Recomposed (excerpt)* Tong Jiayi (flute), Jiang Pillow Yi and Lee Byung-chang (violins), Neo-Classica Chamber Orchestra, conductor Yukuang Jin **1.58 Vivaldi** *Magnificat, RV610/611* **2.18 Demersseman** *Italian Concerto in F, Op 82 No 6* **2.31 Glazunov** *The Seasons, Op 67* **3.08 Chaminade** *Automne, Op 35 No 2* **3.15 Schoenberg** *Folk Songs, Op 49* **3.30 Brahms, arr Squarcia** *Hungarian Dances: No 1 in G minor; No 3 in F; No 5 in F sharp minor* **3.38 Lauber** *Sonata-fantasia in una parte, Op 50* **3.52 Sorkocevic** *Sinfonie in D* **3.59 Obrecht** *Salve regina* **4.04 Larsson** *Piano Concertino, Op 45 No 12* **4.20 Fasch** *Sonata in D minor* **4.31 Berlioz** *Overture: Béatrice et Bénédict* **4.39 Rautavaara** *Three Sonnets by Shakespeare* **4.46 Telemann** *Concerto in A, TWV53:A2* **5.07 Villa-Lobos** *Guitar Prelude No 3 in A minor* **5.14 Debussy, orch Ravel** *Tarantelle styrienne* **5.20 Cozzolani** *O quam bonus es* **5.30 Bruch** *Symphony No 1 in E flat, Op 28* **6.01 Reicha** *Oboe Quintet in F, Op 107*

Scala Radio

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7.00am Hannah Cox 10.00 Angellica Bell

1.00pm Deb Grant A laid-back Sunday lunch.

3.00 The Scala Radio Residency Four figures from the music world each curate and present six monthly shows, on rotation. The six-month series starts with composer Christopher Tin.

5.00 The West End Weekend on Scala Radio

6.00 Charlie Higson and Friends ***2/4.*** Charlie Higson invites guests to share their favourite music, continuing with Harry Enfield.

8.00 Sunday Night Scala With Darren Redick, whose month-long showcase of female composers continues with music by Florence Price, Marianne von Auenbrugger and Hélène Liebmann.

10.00 The Space A soothing classical playlist.

1.00am Night Music 5.00 In the Park

Absolute Radio

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F'view 727 **F'sat** 724 **Sky** 0107 **Virgin** 915

8.00am Jason Manford 11.00 Sarah Champion 2.00pm Rock 'n' Roll Football 6.00 Request Show 8.00 Sunday Night Music Club 10.00 Kate Bush: the Strangest Thing 12.00 Dan Noble

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM DAB classicfm.com
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7.00am Aled Jones

10.00 Music programme

1.00pm Catherine Bott

4.00 John Humphrys John presents *Morning Mood* by Grieg performed by the City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra. Although originally written to depict the rising sun in a Henrik Ibsen play, the piece is often performed as a stand-alone. Plus a performance of Beethoven's Sixth Symphony, the *Pastoral*, by the West-Eastern Divan Orchestra to soundtrack a Sunday afternoon stroll.

7.00 Smooth Classics Charlotte Hawkins with a laid-back playlist, including spotlights on younger stars, today featuring Daniel Lozakovich. At 21-years-old the Swedish violinist has performed alongside orchestras from all over the globe and at the age of 15 he became the youngest artist to join the Deutsche Grammophon label. Recently Daniel has released a new recording of the *Melodie* from Gluck's *Orfeo ed Euridice*.

10.00 Smooth Classics With Myleene Klass.

1.00am Bill Overton 4.00 Lucy Coward

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News 5.30am, 6.00 and hourly to 9.00, 12 noon then hourly to 12 midnight
Weather 6.57am, 7.57, 12.57pm, 5.57, 9.59, 12.15am
Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (*LW*), 5.54pm, 12.48am

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Bells on Sunday
From St John Baptist in Strensham, Worcestershire.

5.45 Profile Repeated from yesterday 7pm

6.00 News Summary

6.05 Something Understood
Taking Up the Thread. Samira Ahmed reflects on how threads play a potent role in art and domestic life, whether in their literal or metaphorical sense. With music by Monteverdi, Björk and Judy Collins, and words by Ovid, Keats and Kate Summerscale.
Producer Caroline Hughes Repeated 11.30pm (R)

6.35 On Your Farm
New series. 1/8. In 2020, the director of a farm in Lowestoft converted what used to be its coldest building into a fully insulated space with a kitchen and a log burner, in the hope of opening it as a cafe after the pandemic. Little did he know that he'd just created a community space for a problem he didn't know was coming: the cost of living crisis. Anna Louise Claydon reports.
Producer Anna Louise Claydon

7.00 News; Sunday Papers

7.10 Sunday
A round-up of the week's religious issues.

7.54 The Radio 4 Appeal
Jane Garvey makes an appeal on behalf of Contact, a charity for families with disabled children. Repeated 9.25pm and Thursday 3.27pm
Donations: Freepost BBC Radio 4 Appeal, marked Contact on the back of the envelope; Credit/debit cards: Freephone 0800 404 8144; online via the Radio 4 website

8.00 News; Sunday Papers

8.10 Sunday Worship
Morning service exploring Ukraine's unique Christmas traditions.

8.48 A Point of View
A reflection on a topical issue. Rptd from Friday

8.58 Tweet of the Day
Liz Bonnin presents the sound and story of the sulphur-crested cockatoo. (R)

9.00 Broadcasting House
Presented by Paddy O'Connell.

10.00 The Archers Omnibus edition.

11.15 Desert Island Discs
Supermarket retailer Malcolm Walker is Lauren Laverne's castaway.
Producer Sarah Taylor Repeated Friday 9am

12.04pm Just a Minute
2/8. Sue Perkins hosts Paul Merton, Jan Ravens, Tony Hawks and Desiree Burch.
Rptd from Monday Rptd tomorrow 10pm Radio 4 Extra

12.30 The Food Programme
Cockles and clams are plentiful all around the UK coastline, easily farmed, and with a nutritional value that stacks up against mussels and oysters. But the desire for these "uglier" shellfish is at risk of disappearing. Sheila Dillon meets chefs, fishermen and food thinkers trying to do something about it.
Producer Clare Salisbury Repeated tomorrow 3.30pm

1.00 The World This Weekend
Global news and analysis.

1.30 The Exploding Library
2/3. Athena Kugblenu searches for Rosemary Tonks, a writer who shortly after the height of her fame in the 1960s, changed her name, became a born-again Christian, and disavowed her previous life. What might have led to the writer's disappearance and change of heart? Series producer Steven Rajam (R)

2.00 Gardeners' Question Time
Kathy Clugston chairs from the Norfolk Broads, with a panel of Bob Flowerdew, Anne Swithinbank and Matthew Wilson.
Repeated from Friday

2.45 Property of the BBC
3/5. **Three Items of Clothing.** Robert Seatter delves deep into the BBC archive to find three iconic fashion pieces from across the years. They are Colin Firth's linen shirt from the famous lake scene in 1995's *Pride and Prejudice*, the bright pink dress worn by Villanelle in *Killing Eve*, and Tommy Shelby's cap from *Peaky Blinders*. Esme Young gives her insight on the items. Producer Mohini Patel (R)

3.00 Drama: The Medici: Bankers, Gangsters, Popes
New series. 1/3. **Cosimo.** By Mike Walker. Cosimo de' Medici inherits his father's bank. Through shrewd trade and business innovation he becomes the richest man in Europe and a great patron of the arts, but will Albizzi and the ruling families of Florence ever accept him as an equal?

Cosimo de' Medici	**Patrick Baladi**	Old Giovanni	**Hugh Thomas**
Contessina de' Bardi	**Sirine Saba**	Silvio	**Marc Danbury**
Rinaldo degli Albizzi	**Richard Elfyn**	Gio Verdi	**Marco Fiera**
Niccolo Tinucci	**Christopher Elson**	The manager	**David Hounslow**

Producer John Norton

4.00 Open Book
On the centenary of Katherine Mansfield's death, Chris Power explores her writing in the company of Claire Harman – the author of a new biography of Mansfield, *All Sorts of Lives* – and the short story writer and novelist Lucy Caldwell.
Producer Kirsten Locke Repeated Thursday 3.30pm

4.30 Poetry Please
3/6. Roger McGough is joined by the writer and musician Anthony Joseph to make a selection from listeners' requests and recommendations.
Producer Mair Bosworth Repeated Saturday 11.30pm
Requests to: *Poetry Please*, BBC, Bristol BS8 2LR
EMAIL: poetry.please@bbc.co.uk or call 0370 010 0400

5.00 File on 4
1/11. Adrian Goldberg hears from bereaved parents whose grief is being exacerbated by long delays to post-mortem reports.
Repeated from Tuesday

5.40 Profile Repeated from yesterday 7pm

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.15 Pick of the Week
With Matthew Sweet.

7.00 The Archers
Kate is feeling apprehensive, and Jazzer needs a personal favour.
For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm

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7.15 The Confessional
RT ***5/6.*** Stephen Mangan's guest is the historian and biographer Antonia Fraser.
Producer Frank Stirling Rptd Friday 10pm Radio 4 Extra

7.45 The Circus
New series. 1/10. **The Singer.** Short stories by Paul McVeigh set during a talent show at a Belfast working men's club. Ruby Campbell reads *The Singer*. Although her sister is considered the talented one in the family, Kate is ready for her turn in the spotlight.
Producer Michael Shannon

8.00 Rethink Climate
5/5. **Leadership and Politics.** Who should lead the change that's needed to combat climate change? Are politicians too focused on the ballot box? Or is it down to business? Amol Rajan concludes his series. Rptd from Fri

8.30 Last Word
Matthew Bannister on notable people who have died recently. Repeated from Friday

9.00 Money Box Rptd from yesterday 12.04pm

9.25 The Radio 4 Appeal Rptd from 7.54am

9.30 Icon
2/6. **Read All about It.** Emma Jones and Gail Porter explore Elizabeth Taylor and the evolution of celebrity culture. Producer Alan Hall (R)

10.00 The Westminster Hour
Political magazine with Carolyn Quinn.

11.00 Loose Ends Rptd from yesterday 6.15pm

11.30 Something Understood
Repeated from 6.05am

12.00 News and Weather

12.15–12.45am Thinking Allowed
3/7. **Self-Improvement.** Laurie Taylor explores the confidence and wellness cultures that injunct us to improve ourselves. He talks to Shani Organ from the LSE, the co-author of a study arguing that imperatives directed at women to "love your body" and "believe in yourself" imply that psychological blocks rather than entrenched social injustice hold women back. They're joined by Stephanie Alice Baker from the University of London, whose latest work traces the emergence of wellness culture. Rptd from Wed

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC Radio 4 Extra

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6.00am Poetry Extra With Daljit Nagra in 2012
6.30 Machines like Me as 5.30pm
7.40 Inheritance Tracks With Biddy Baxter
7.50 Black Eyed Girls as 6.50pm
9.00 The Betty Witherspoon Show as 2pm
9.30 Something to Shout About 1961 sitcom
10.00 Desert Island Discs as 9pm
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12.50 Black Eyed Girls as 6.50pm
2.00 The Betty Witherspoon Show Comedy by Michael Wale and Joe Steeples. featuring Kenneth Williams and Ted Ray. From 1974
2.30 Something to Shout About 1961 sitcom
3.00 Desert Island Discs as 9pm
4.00 Doctor Who: The War Doctor Conclusion of Nicholas Briggs's adventure *Legion of the Lost*, with John Hurt as the War Doctor. With David Warner, Jamie Newall and others. From 2015 (2/2)
4.35 A Warning to the Curious Chilling 1925 tale by MR James. A keen amateur archaeologist begins to regret his insatiable curiosity over an ancient relic. Abridge by Justine Willett. and read by Alex Jennings. First broadcast on Radio 3 in 2011
5.00 Poetry Extra With Daljit Nagra in 2012
5.30 Machines like Me Anton Lesser reads from Ian McEwan's novel set against a backdrop of Britain's loss of the Falkland Islands and mounting social unrest in 1980s Britain. Abridged by Penny Leicester. From 2019 – omnibus (1–5/10)
6.40 Inheritance Tracks With Biddy Baxter
6.50 Black Eyed Girls Katie Hims's story of separated twins and their search for one another. With Sabrina Sandhu, Samuel James, Julie Teal, Alisa McGregor and others. From 2017 – omnibus (1–5/5)
8.00 The Betty Witherspoon Show as 2pm
8.30 Something to Shout About 1961 sitcom
9.00 Desert Island Discs An extended edition from 2013, with both Anthony McPartlin and Declan Donnelly (Ant and Dec) discussing their lives and their then favourite recordings, from Morecambe and Wise to the Stranglers
10.00–12.00 Comedy Club: Electric Ink (5/6), at **10.30 Party** (2/4), at **11.00 The Skivers** (2/5), and at **11.30 4 at the Store** (3/4)
12.00 as 5pm **12.30am** as 5.30pm
1.40 as 6.40pm **1.50** as 6.50pm **3.00** as 2pm **3.30** as 2.30pm **4.00** as 3pm **5.00 And Other Stories: Katherine Mansfield** Dramatisation by Katie Hims of three "surprising" love stories by New Zealand writer Kathleen Mansfield (1888–1923): *Bliss*, *Something Childish but Very Natural*. Narrated by Hattie Morahan. From 2020 (1/2)

BBC World Service

DAB bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio
Freeview* 710 **Freesat** 711 **Sky** 0115 **Virgin** 906
Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin
5.00am The Newsroom **5.30** The Documentary: Kids Who Care: with Oritsé Williams **6.00** Weekend **8.30** The Food Chain **9.00** News **9.05** From Our Own Correspondent **9.30** Outlook **10.00** News **10.05** Trending **10.30** Heart and Soul **11.00** The Newsroom **11.30** The Compass: Sounds of the City: blind presenter Peter White explores Los Angeles **12.00** News **12.05pm** The Inquiry **12.30** Assignment **1.00** Newshour **2.00** News **2.05** The Forum: how the courage and audacity of Iranian writer Forugh Farrokhzad continues to inspire **2.50** Over to You **3.00** News **3.05** Sportsworld **7.00** The Newsroom **7.30** Heart and Soul: suggestions that Iceland's fastest growing faith is being hijacked by white supremacists **8.00** News **8.05** The History Hour **9.00** Newshour **10.00** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** Outlook **11.00** News **11.05** Trending **11.30** Pick of the World **11.50** Over to You **12.00** News **12.05am** From Our Own Correspondent **12.30** Heart and Soul **1.00** The Newsroom **1.30** Discovery: Tooth and Claw **2.00** The Newsroom **2.30** The Climate Question **3.00** News **3.05** Tech Tent **3.30** Pick of the World **3.50** Over to You **4.00** The Newsroom **4.30** The Conversation

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW DAB bbc.co.uk/fivelive
F'view 705 **F'sat** 705 **Sky** 0105 **Virgin** 905
Sports Extra F'view 706 **F'sat** 706 **Sky** 0131 **Virgin** 908

News and **sport** bulletin every half-hour
Times vary during live sports coverage

5.00am Sports Desk
5.30 5 Live Sport
6.00 5 Live Science
7.00 Sunday Breakfast
Presented by Chris Warburton and Eleanor Oldroyd.
10.00 Helen Skelton
A build-up to an afternoon of sport.
12.00 5 Live Sport
With at **4.30** commentary on Manchester City v Chelsea at the Etihad Stadium.
6.30pm 6-0-6 Football phone-in.
8.00 Kammy & Ben's Proper Football Podcast
With West Ham hero Mark Noble.
8.30 Different with Nicky Campbell
What it means to be different.
9.00 Stephen Nolan
12 midnight Bugzy Malone's Grandest Game
A celebration of *Grand Theft Auto*.
1.00am Dotun Adebayo

BBC 5 Sports Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/sports extra
F'view 706 **F'sat** 706 **Sky** 0131 **Virgin** 908

8.10am-11.30 Cricket
Sydney Thunder v Sydney Sixers.
12.25pm–6.30pm FA Cup Football
Derby County v Barnsley;
4.25 Aston Villa v Stevenage.

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW DAB talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 **F'sat** 731 **Sky** 0108 **Virgin** 927

6.00am Sports Breakfast
9.00 Jonny Owen and Friends
11.00 The Warm Up
1.00pm FA Cup Football
Cardiff City v Leeds Utd (k-o **2.00**); **4.00** Manchester City v Chelsea (kick-off **4.30**). **Sport: page 29**
7.00 The Boot Room
9.00 Trans Europe Express
12.00 A Talksport Special
1.00am Extra Time
5.00 Early Breakfast

Talksport 2

DAB talksport.co.uk

3.00pm–5.00 Premiership Rugby Union Harlequins v Sale Sharks (kick-off **3.00**).
10.00pm–1.00am PGA Tour
Sentry Tournament of Champions.
1.00am–5.00 NFL Live coverage.

LBC

97.3 FM (London area) DAB lbc.co.uk
F'view 732 **F'sat** 734 **Sky** 0123 **Virgin** 919
7.00am Andrew Castle 10.00 David Lammy 1.00pm Sangita Myska 4.00 Ben Kentish 7.00 Rachel Johnson 10.00 Nick Abbot 1.00am Darren Adam 4.00 Steve Allen

Asian Network

DAB bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 **F'sat** 709 **Sky** 0119 **Virgin** 912
6.00am Gagan's Old Skool Mix 7.00 R&B Anthems 8.00 Smash Bengali 10.00 Certified Throwbacks 11.00 Gagan Grewal 1.00pm Dipps Bhamrah 3.00 Nadia Ali 5.00 Shafqat Amanat Ali 7.00 Pritt 9.00 Represents 11.00 Chill 12.00 Beyond Bollywood: the Podcast 1.00am Asian Network News Presents 2.00 BBC Introducing 4.00 Bobby Friction

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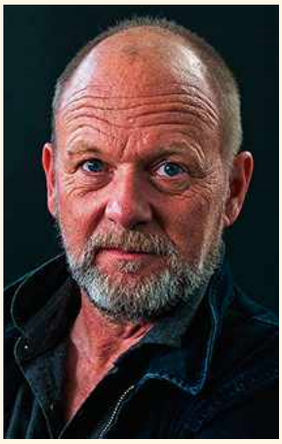

In Dark Corners
8.00pm ***Radio 4***

Alex Renton's series about the historic abuse of pupils by staff at a number of the UK's leading boys' public schools was some of the bravest and most disturbing radio of 2022. Now Renton (above) returns to pursue answers to the questions the series raised. He discovered that South Africa has provided a safe haven for more than one predatory schoolmaster. Focusing on two cases – those of "Hubert", who taught at the East Sussex prep school where Renton had been abused, and of "Edgar", who taught at the school in Scotland where the broadcaster Nicky Campbell has revealed that he also was abused – Renton brings an admirable rigour to bear on uncovering crimes that for many victims are literally unspeakable. **SIMON O'HAGAN**

The Essay: Art and Uncertainty
10.45pm ***Radio 3***

We were depressed by the uncertainty engendered by the pandemic. Calming influence Margaret Heffernan – using wise words from her 2021 book *Uncharted*, subtitled *How to Map the Future Together* – assures us that uncertainty is an integral part of the human condition. "Great scientists are never certain" is one of many quotes you'll take away from this series. Heffernan's thesis is that artists may know where we're going more than the rest of us: their fears take them into uncharted territory. Heffernan explores how they "carry their uncertainty so creatively". Just what we need as we face the uncertainty of 2023.
DAVID McGILLIVRAY

The Invention of Russia
11.00am ***Radio 4***

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BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 **F'sat** 700 **Sky** 0101 **Virgin** 901

7.00am Greg James
10.30 Rickie, Melvin and Charlie
1.00pm Dean and Vicky
3.30 Vick and Jordan
6.00 Clara Amfo
8.00 Radio 1's Future Artists Presented by Jack Saunders.
10.00 Radio 1's Essential Albums
11.00 Daniel P Carter
1.00am BBC Introducing Rock on Radio 1 2.00 Radio 1's Future Alternative 3.00 Radio 1's Workout Anthems 4.00 Radio 1 Dance 5.00 Arielle Free

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 **F'sat** 702 **Sky** 0102 **Virgin** 902

6.30am Zoe Ball
9.30 Ken Bruce
Music, chat and features including the **PopMaster** quiz (daily at **10.30**) and, after **11.30** throughout the week, **Tracks of My Years**, this week featuring – two a day – ten of the favourite records of comedian, actor and writer Sara Pascoe.
Your RT Puzzles: page 139
12.00 Jeremy Vine
Throughout the week Jeremy talks to contributors and songwriters involved in Radio 2's new 21st Century Folk initiative, which sets out to capture the essence of life in the north-east through the prism of folk songs, with five people from the region given the opportunity to have a song written about them.
2.00pm Scott Mills
4.00 Sara Cox
Lively chat, listener interaction, music from Radio 2's current playlist and, from **6.30**, **Sara Cox's Half Wower**, featuring potentially mood-lifting hits.
7.00 Jo Whiley
9.00 The Blues Show with Cerys Matthews
10.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation
12.00 OJ Borg
3.00am Pick of the Pops ***1/2.*** Paul Gambaccini with the singles chart from this week in 1989. See tomorrow (R)
4.00 Nicki Chapman

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 **Freesat** 707 **Sky** 0120 **Virgin** 909

7.30am To be announced
10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs
Including the **All Queens Mix** and, before **12 noon**, the **Hit Reset**.
1.00pm Craig Charles
4.00 Steve Lamacq
Steve previews 6 Music's upcoming Independent Venue Week, with Radiohead drummer Philip Selway.
7.00 Marc Riley
9.00 Gideon Coe
12.00 Blur at Peel Acres
A profile of Blur by way of archive interviews and performances, kicking off five hours of programming devoted to the London indie rock act that formed in 1988 and first charted in 1990 (with *She's So High*).
1.00am Parklife: the Blur Story
Omnibus edition of the four-part 2012 series in which Stuart Maconie charts Blur's success from the early days of Britpop to the release of their 2003 album *Think Tank*.
3.00 Blur Live Archive performances.
4.00 The Blur Playlist Tracks celebrating Blur's music, origins, influences and inspirations.
5.00 Chris Hawkins

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 **Freesat** 703 **Sky** 0103 **Virgin** 903
News and **weather** Half-hourly 6.30–8.00am, 1.00pm, 6.00

6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.
9.00 Essential Classics With Georgia Mann.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart (1756–1791)
1/5. **A Servant's Lot in Life.** This week Donald Macleod examines connecting points between the characters Mozart created for the stage and the composer's own experiences in life, beginning with the pivotal roles played by servants in his operas *Le nozze di Figaro*, *Cosi fan tutte* and *Don Giovanni*. (R)
Mozart *Overture; Cinque... dieci... venti... ; Se vuol ballare, signor contino (Le nozze di Figaro)*
Susanna – **Lucia Popp** (soprano)
Figaro – **Samuel Ramey** (baritone)
London Philharmonic Orchestra, conductor Georg Solti
Appena mi vedon (La finta giardiniera)
Serpetta – **Dawn Upshaw** (soprano)
Concentus Musicus Wien, director Nikolaus Harnoncourt
In uomini, in soldati sperare fedelta; Alla bella Despinetta (Cosi fan tutte)
Despina – **Hanny Steffek** (soprano)
Don Alfonso – **Walter Berry** (bass)
Ferrando – **Alfredo Kraus** (tenor)
Guglielmo – **Giuseppe Taddei** (baritone)
Fiordiligi – **Elisabeth Schwarzkopf** (soprano)
Dorabella – **Christa Ludwig** (mezzo)
Philharmonia, conductor Karl Böhm
Notte e giorno faticar; Ah! chi mi dice mai; Madamina, il catalogo e questo (Don Giovanni)
Donna Elvira – **Joyce DiDonato** (mezzo)
Leporello – **Luca Pisaroni** (baritone)
Donna Anna – **Diana Damrau** (soprano)
Don Giovanni – **Ildebrando d'Arcangelo** (bass)
Il Commendatore – **Vitalij Kowaljow** (bass)
Mahler Chamber Orchestra, conductor Yannick Nézet-Séguin (R)
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1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
LIVE Hannah French presents a recital live from London's Wigmore Hall.
Mithras Trio
Bridge *Phantasie Piano Trio*
Joy Lisney *Petrichor (first performance)*
Beethoven *Piano Trio in D, Op 70 No 1 (Ghost)*
2.00 Afternoon Concert
With Fiona Talkington. This week's first two programmes feature a Beethoven symphony.
Dvorak *Carnival Overture*
NHK SO, Tokyo, conductor Christoph Eschenbach
Popper, arr Kobayashi *Hungarian Rhapsody, Op 68*
Kisekino Cello Ensemble
Corelli *Violin Sonata in G minor, Op 5 No 5*
Mayumi Hirasaki, Lorenzo Ghielmi (harpsichord)
Chopin *Scherzo No 2 in B flat minor, Op 31*
Martín García García (piano)
Bach *Violin Sonata in C minor, BWV1024*
Mayumi Hirasaki, Lorenzo Ghielmi (harpsichord)
3.00 Beethoven *Symphony No 7 in A*
NHK SO, conductor Christoph Eschenbach
Chopin *Impromptu in G flat, Op 51*
Martín García García (piano)
Mozart *Flute Concerto No 1 in G, K313*
Stathis Karapanos (flute), NHK SO, conductor Christoph Eschenbach
4.30 New Generation Artists
A chance to hear pianist Eric Lu, who's recently come to the end of his stint on the scheme, performing Schubert's *Piano Sonata in A minor, D784*, on his solo album devoted to the composer.
5.00 In Tune
Katie Derham presents news, views and interviews from the musical world.
7.00 In Tune Mixtape An eclectic playlist.
7.30 Radio 3 in Concert With Fiona Talkington.
As part of the César Franck bicentennial celebrations in May 2022, François-Xavier Roth and Les Siècles performed some of the composer's music with pianist Bertrand Chamayou in Prague. Bertrand Chamayou (piano), Les Siècles, conductor François-Xavier Roth
Franck *Le Chasseur maudit (The Accursed Huntsman); Symphonic Variations, Op 46*
Debussy *La mer*
Franck *Symphony in D minor, Op 48*
9.15 Northern Drift
2/4. Elizabeth Alker is joined by poet Anthony Dunn, with music by Yorkshire musicians Adam Martin and Mark Slater (aka Nightports).
Producer Paul Frankl
10.00 Music Matters Repeated from Saturday 11.45am
10.45 The Essay: Art and Uncertainty
RT ***1/5.*** **The Benefit of Doubt.** Writer and entrepreneur Margaret Heffernan explores how artists embrace uncertainty as a key part of the creative process, seeing it as a catalyst for their work. Producer Mary Ward-Lowery
11.00 Night Tracks With Hannah Peel.
12.30am Through the Night With Catriona Young. Pianists Bruno Canino and Antonio Ballista play music for two pianos by Stravinsky in a recital from June 2021 in Lugano. **Stravinsky** *Sonata for Two Pianos; Agon (transcr for two pianofortes); The Rite of Spring (arr for piano four hands)* Bruno Canino (piano), Antonio Ballista (piano) **1.43 Stravinsky** *Petrushka* **2.14 Glinka** *Trio pathétique in D minor* **2.31 Bach** *Goldberg Variations, BWV988* **3.15 Grieg** *Jesus Christ Is Risen, Op 74 No 3; In Heaven, Op 74 No 4* **3.29 Arvo Pärt** *Fratres* **3.41 Strauss** *Träumerei am Kamin (Intermezzo)* **3.49 Chopin** *Preludes, Op 28 Nos 16–20* **3.57 Handel** *Ah! che troppo inequali, HWV230* **4.08 Arban** *Variations on Bellini's Norma* **4.14 Auber** *Boléro (La muette de Portici)* **4.22 Schumann** *Abegg Variations, Op 1* **4.31 Piris** *Deux préludes* **4.34 Castro** *Je suis tellement langoureus* **4.40 Geminiani** *Concerto grosso in E minor, Op 3 No 6* **4.50 Paderewski** *Nocturne in B flat, Op16 No 4; Dans le désert, Op 15* **5.02 Bruch** *Kol Nidrei, Op 47* **5.15 Duijck** *The Gentle Lfe, Op 15* **5.30 Boieldieu** *Harp Concerto in C* **5.52 Elgar** *Sea Pictures* **6.15 Mozart** *String Quartet in B flat, K159* (R)

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk

7.00am Charles Nove Music, a light look at the newspapers and features, including **Screen Time**.
10.00 Mark Forrest Music and features.
1.00pm Sam Hughes Popular classical works, including at **2.00** a weekly showcase of female composers as part of Scala's ongoing partnership with DONNE, Women in Music, a charitable foundation dedicated to achieving gender equality in the music industry. Today's playlist features works by Carmen Guzmán, Rachel Bruerville and Rachel Portman.
4.00 Penny Smith Scala's drive-time show.
7.00 Richard Allinson With music and features.
10.00 The Space Soothing and calming music.
1.00am Night Music 5.00 In the Park

Absolute Radio

DAB absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 **F'sat** 724 **Sky** 0107 **Virgin** 915

6.00am Dave Berry Lively chat, guests and tunes, with Dave joined by Matt Dyson **10.00 Leona Graham** Mainstream and indie rock and pop **1.00pm Ben Burrell** Hard rock, indie pop and everything in between **4.00 Bush and Richie 7.00 Danielle Perry 10.00 Jay Lawrence 1.00am Dan Noble**

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM DAB classicfm.com
Freeview 731 **Freesat** 721 **Sky** 0106 **Virgin** 922

6.00am More Music Breakfast
Tim Lihoreau with music, news and features, including at **7.25** the **Breakfast Serial**.
9.00 Alexander Armstrong
Classical hits, starting with the **Classic Hall of Fame Hour**, featuring favourite pieces voted into the current Classic FM Top 300. And at **10.15** Album of the Week.
12.00 Anne-Marie Minhall
Including at **12.00 Classic FM Requests** – with listeners phoning in requests during the programme – and at **3.00 Hall of Fame 3 at 3**, featuring three works from the current Classic Hall of Fame chart.
4.00pm John Brunning
Classic FM favourites presented by the Essex-born composer and former Mungo Jerry guitarist. Plus features, including the **Discovery of the Week** at **6.20**.
7.00 Smooth Classics
Zeb Soanes with three hours of potentially calming classical music to help listeners relax and recharge, including at **9.00** the **Great Escape**.
10.00 Smooth Classics With Margherita Taylor.
1.00am Bill Overton 4.00 Lucy Coward

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News 5.30am, 6.00 and hourly to 12 midnight
Weather 5.56am, 6.07, 6.57, 7.57, 12.57pm, 5.57, 9.59, 12.30am
Shipping Forecasts 5.20am, 12.01pm (*LW*), 5.54pm (*LW*), 12.48am

5.30am News Briefing
5.43 Prayer for the Day
Reflection and contemplation with Harry Baker.
5.45 Farming Today
Food, farming and the countryside.
5.58 Tweet of the Day
Chris Watson with the sound of the grey plover, a bird most at home on mud flats. (R)
6.00 Today
With Mishal Husain and Justin Webb.
6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News
7.48 Thought for the Day
With Bishop James Jones.
9.00 Start the Week
***New series. 1/12.* Where Are You From?**
Tom Sutcliffe chairs a discussion around upbringing and identity politics. He's joined by Keenan Malik, the author of *In Not So Black and White: A History of Race from White Supremacy to Identity Politics*; Francesca Sobande, co-author of *Black Oot Here*, which explores the history and contemporary lives of Black people in Scotland; and poet Don Paterson, whose memoir *Toy Fights* tells of growing up on a council house estate in Dundee.
Producer Katy Hickman Shortened repeat 9.30pm
9.45 *FM* **Book of the Week: Clubland**
1/5. Pete Brown offers a convivial guide through the intoxicating history of working men's clubs. From the movement's founding by teetotal social reformer the Rev Henry Solly to its booze-soaked 20th-century heyday, Brown reveals how and why the clubs became the cornerstone of Britain's social life, offering much more than cheap beer and chicken in a basket. Abridged by Isobel Creed and read by the author.
Producer Jill Waters Repeated 12.30am
9.45 *LW* **Daily Service**
A space for spiritual reflection with a Bible reading, prayer and a range of Christian music. Theme: Light in the Darkness – Let There Be Light. Led by the Rev Dr Mark Clavier. Reading: Genesis 1 vv1–5.
10.00 Woman's Hour
Emma Barnett presents the magazine show.
Editor Karen Dalziel
11.00 The Invention of Russia
***New series. 1/5.* A Tale of Two Ivans**
Misha Glenny explores the history of Russia, beginning with Moscow in the days before the empire – a small, cold, wooden city that was fortressed but prone to fire.
Producer Miles Warde
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11.30 Made of Stronger Stuff
***2/2.* Taste.** Kimberley Wilson and Xand van Tulleken continue their journey around the human body. The taste buds are on the menu this week, as Xand delves into how taste receptors are found all over the body, and might have implications for how well people tolerate illness. Kimberley reveals how much of taste is actually down to the mind. The duo also meet the UK Chilli Queen, a woman on a quest to be the spiciest champion in the world.
Producer Georgia Mills (R)
12.04pm You and Yours
Reports on consumer affairs.
1.00 The World at One
Current affairs with Sarah Montague.
1.45 NatureBang
***New series. 1/5.* Screaming Marmots and the Sound of Fear.** Becky Ripley and Emily Knight return with a new series of the programme in which they examine the science behind phenomena in the natural world, and ask whether it can be applied to humans. They begin with a story about the marmot – a member of the squirrel family which feeds in the summer and hibernates underground through the winter.
Producers Becky Ripley and Emily Knight
2.00 The Archers
Repeated from yesterday 7pm
2.15 This Cultural Life
Repeated from Saturday 7.15pm
3.00 Counterpoint
New series. 1/13. Paul Gambaccini hosts the first heat of the eclectic music quiz, featuring questions on anything from classical and jazz to show tunes and pop.
Producer Paul Bajoria Repeated Saturday 11pm
3.30 The Food Programme
Repeated from yesterday 12.30pm
4.00 Warsan Shire on a Nation of Poets
Somalia, "a nation of poets", has an oral tradition stretching back millennia. Here, the British/Somali poet Warsan Shire explores this rich poetic life and shares its influence on her own work and that of poets in the Somali diaspora. Rptd from Thu
4.30 Beyond Belief
Aleem Maqbool brings together three people with different experiences of the inter-play between sport and spirituality. Khadijah Mellah won the Magnolia Cup at Goodwood in 2019 and is the first jockey to wear the hijab in competitive British horse racing. Richard Leadbeater is a former professional footballer turned Anglican vicar, and Shameema Yousuf is a sport psychologist and mental health therapist who looks at the relationship between performance, mental health and culture. Producer Rebecca Maxted
5.00 PM With Evan Davis.
6.00 Six o'Clock News
6.30 Just a Minute
3/8. Sue Perkins puts Paul Merton, Zoe Lyons, Holly Walsh and Alan Davies to the 60-second test. Producer Rajiv Karia
7.00 The Archers
Joy volunteers her skills, and Pat offers advice.
For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm
7.15 Front Row
A round-up of news, reviews and interviews from the arts world. Tonight Nell Zink joins Nick Ahad to discuss her new novel *Avalon*.
Producer Ekene Akalawu
8.00 In Dark Corners
RT Follow-up to Alex Renton's investigation into historical abuse in some of the country's elite boarding schools.
Producer Caitlin Smith Rptd Friday 11am
8.30 Crossing Continents
***7/10.* South Korea: a Room with a View.**
Subterranean dwellings are just one example of a growing wealth divide in Asia's fourth largest economy. With almost half of South Korea's population living in Greater Seoul, the struggle to find affordable housing has become a major political issue. It also contributes to Korea's worryingly low birth rate. The inability of young people to afford a home of their own means they are not starting families. Many have given up on relationships altogether. John Murphy reports from Seoul, where owning a home of your own is so important and yet increasingly unattainable. Rptd from Thursday
9.00 Born in Bradford
Mental Health. Winifred Robinson reports on mental health in the West Yorkshire city, talking to young residents about how research might help them and how they handle the pressures they feel.
Producer Sue Mitchell (R)
9.30 Start the Week Shortened rpt from 9am
10.00 The World Tonight
With Ritula Shah.
10.45 Book at Bedtime: Lessons in Chemistry
***6/10.* Now Let's Get Started.** By Bonnie Garmus. Having agreed to become the unlikely presenter of 1960s show *Supper at Six*, Elizabeth intends to bring science into daytime cookery TV. Read by Julianna Jennings.
Producer Justine Willett
11.00 Lights Out
***6/6.* A Third Space.** Axel Kacoutié explores the direct links between cosmologies, our relationship to the Earth, and how we treat people from queer communities around the world. Producer Axel Kacoutié
11.30 Today in Parliament
12.00 News and Weather
12.30–12.45am Book of the Week: Clubland ***1/5.*** Repeated from 9.45am (*FM only*)
1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC Radio 4 Extra

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Freeview 708 **Freesat** 708 **Sky** 0126 **Virgin** 910
6.00am Busman's Honeymoon as 4pm
6.30 The War of the Worlds as 4.30pm
7.00 Machines like Me as 5pm
7.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad
7.30 In and Out of the Kitchen 2015 comedy (2/6)
8.00 Brothers in Law Legal sitcom. From 1970
8.30 Legal, Decent, Honest and Truthful (5/6)
9.00 All the Way from Memphis Music quiz (5/6)
9.30 My Turn to Make the Tea as 2.30pm
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12.15pm Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad Dramatisation by John Fletcher of Bee Rowlatt and May Witwit's work. From 2015 (1/5)
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2.30 My Turn to Make the Tea Dramatisation by Sheila Goff of the 1951 semi-autobiographical novel by Monica Dickens (1915–92). From 2004 (2/4)
3.00 And Other Stories: Katherine Mansfield Dramatisation by Katie Hims of three "surprising" love stories by New Zealand writer Kathleen Mansfield (1888–1923). From 2020 (1/2)
4.00 Busman's Honeymoon Dramatisation by Alistair Beaton of Dorothy L Sayers's 1937 murder mystery. Narrated by John Westbrook and starring Ian Carmichael. From 1983 (6/6)
4.30 The War of the Worlds Dramatisation by Jon Manchip White of HG Wells's 1898 novel. With Paul Daneman. From 1967 (2/6) (6/6)
5.00 Machines like Me Ian McEwan's 2019 novel. Abridged by Penny Leicester (6/10)
5.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad
5.30 In and Out of the Kitchen 2015 comedy
6.00 Brothers in Law Legal sitcom. From 1970
6.30 Legal, Decent, Honest and Truthful Martin Jarvis stars in Guy Jenkin and Jon Canter's satire set in the competitive world of advertising. With Wendy Richard and others. From 1982 (5/6)
7.00 Jake Yapp's Unwinding Comedian and broadcaster Jake Yapp presents a new live show for January weekday evenings, featuring three hours of comedy, guests and games (6/20)
10.00–12.00 Comedy Club: Just a Minute (2/8), at **10.30 Lucy Montgomery's Variety Pack** (3/4), at **11.00 The News Quiz** (2/11), at **11.30 As Told to Craig Brown** (4/6)
12.00 as 3pm **1.00am** as 4pm **1.30** as 4.30pm **2.00** as 5pm **2.15** as 5.15pm **2.30** as 5.30pm **3.00** as 6pm **3.30** as 6.30pm **4.00** as 2pm **4.30** as 2.30pm **5.00 And Other Stories: Katherine Mansfield** (2/2)

BBC World Service

DAB bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio
Freeview* 710 **Freesat** 711 **Sky** 0115 **Virgin** 906
Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin
5.00am Newsday **8.00** News **8.05** Hardtalk **8.30** Business Daily **8.50** Witness History **9.00** The Newsroom **9.30** The Climate Question **10.00** News **10.05** The Cultural Frontline **10.30** Kalki Presents: My Indian Life: what it is like to be young and Indian in the 21st century **10.50** More or Less **11.00** The Newsroom **11.30** The Conversation **12.00** News **12.05pm** Outlook **12.50** Witness History **1.00** The Newsroom **1.30** Crowd Science **2.00** Newshour **3.00** News **3.05** Hardtalk **3.30** World Business Report **4.00** BBC OS **6.00** News **6.05** Outlook **6.50** Witness History **7.00** The Newsroom **7.30** Sport Today **8.05** The Climate Question: a commercial-scale "sand battery" being developed in Finland **8.30** Discovery: Tooth and Claw: Professor Adam Hart investigates the cougar. Last in series **9.00** Newshour **10.00** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** World Business Report **11.00** News **11.05** Hardtalk **11.30** The Conversation **12.00** News **12.05am** The History Hour **1.00** News **1.05** Business Matters **2.00** The Newsroom **2.30** The Documentary: What Do You Think You Are? – Part One: animals' profound sense of self **3.00** News **3.05** Outlook **3.50** Witness History **4.00** The Newsroom **4.30** In the Studio

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW DAB bbc.co.uk/fivelive
F'view 705 **F'sat** 705 **Sky** 0105 **Virgin** 905
Sports Extra F'view 706 **F'sat** 706 **Sky** 0131 **Virgin** 908

News and **sport** bulletin every half-hour
Times vary during live sports coverage
5.00am Wake Up to Money
Fiscal news stories.
6.00 5 Live Breakfast
Rachel Burden and Rick Edwards present unique stories.
9.00 Nicky Campbell
Topical discussions.
11.00 Naga Munchetty
With the latest news, big-name interviews from around the UK and listeners' personal experiences.
1.00pm Nihal Arthanayake
News and topical conversation.
4.00 5 Live Drive
Tony Livesey and Clare McDonnell with the latest news and sport. Plus interviews linked to topical and cultural issues.
7.00 5 Live Sport
The day's sports news plus build-up and commentary on Oxford United v Arsenal in the FA Cup third-round at Kassam Stadium (kick-off **8.00**).
10.00 Colin Murray
Topical discussion. Plus regular features, including at **12.00 Monday Night Fan Club**, with experts discussing in depth a favourite hobby or interest declared by a listener, who also features.
1.00am Dotun Adebayo

BBC 5 Sports Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/sports extra
F'view 706 **F'sat** 706 **Sky** 0131 **Virgin** 908

8.10am–11.30am Cricket
Hobart Hurricanes v Melbourne Stars in the Big Bash

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW DAB talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 **F'sat** 731 **Sky** 0108 **Virgin** 927

6.00am Sports Breakfast
Presented by Laura Woods.
10.00 Jim White and Simon Jordan Sporting insight.
1.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs
4.00 Drive With Andy Goldstein and Darren Bent.
7.00 FA Cup Football Oxford United v Arsenal, the third-round tie at Kassam Stadium (kick-off **8.00**).
10.00 Sports Bar
1.00am Extra Time
5.00 Early Breakfast

LBC

97.3 FM (London area) DAB lbc.co.uk
F'view 732 **F'sat** 734 **Sky** 0123 **Virgin** 919
7.00am Nick Ferrari
10.00 James O'Brien
1.00pm Shelagh Fogarty
4.00 Tom Swarbrick
6.00 Andrew Marr
7.00 Iain Dale
10.00 Ian Payne
1.00am Darren Adam
4.00 Steve Allen

Asian Network

DAB bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 **F'sat** 709 **Sky** 0119 **Virgin** 912
6.00am Sonya Barlow
7.00 Nikita Kanda
10.00 Certified
11.00 Smash Bengali
2.00pm Certified Throwbacks
3.00 Ankur Desai
6.00 Bobby Friction
8.00 Sonya Barlow
9.00 Chill
11.00 Asian Network News Presents
12.00 Beats
1.00am Bobby Friction
3.00 Takeover

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TUESDAY Radio

Today's Choices

Great Lives
4.30pm ***Radio 4***

Radio has many strengths, but one hitherto unappreciated aspect is sparing you the sight of Matthew Parris leaping naked into a river. That's an interlude in an unusual episode of *Great Lives*, recorded out of the studio on a floating houseboat, with a guest who advocates trespassing. He's Nick Hayes, author of *The Trespasser's Companion*, who nominates writer, environmentalist and open-water swimming enthusiast Roger Deakin (above) – hence recording as close to water as possible. It's a wonderful paean to a man considered a "green patron saint", with readings from his liquid prose and excerpts from a 2005 radio programme, with him splashing around in the water. While the chat is good-natured, Hayes's views on property ownership butted against Parris's Conservatism – you can hear the full-blooded exchange in *One to One* at 9.30am. **DAVID CRAWFORD**

The Life Scientific
9.00am/9.30pm ***Radio 4***

It's been ten years since the UK was rocked by the horse meat scandal, when prepared foods purporting to be made from beef were found to contain undeclared equine matter. Chris Elliott, founding director of the Institute for Global Food Security, was charged with overseeing the independent review that followed; ever since, he has been on a mission to crack food fraud cases that would turn the nation's stomach. He speaks to Jim Ali-Khalili about his work and the technique his IGFS team is developing to read the molecular fingerprint of foodstuffs that will cut the culinary criminals out of the supply chain. **TOM GOULDING**

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BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 **F'sat** 700 **Sky** 0101 **Virgin** 901

7.00am Greg James
10.30 Rickie, Melvin and Charlie
1.00pm Dean and Vicky
3.30 Going Home with Jordan
6.00 Clara Amfo
8.00 Radio 1's Future Artists
Presented by Jack Saunders.
10.00 Radio 1's Essential Albums
11.00 Annie Nightingale
1.00am Drum 'n' Bass Mix
2.00 Radio 1 Playlist: Revision Mode 3.00 Power Down Playlist
4.00 Radio 1 Dance
5.00 Arielle Free

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 **F'sat** 702 **Sky** 0102 **Virgin** 902

6.30am Zoe Ball
9.30 Ken Bruce
Music, chat and features, including after **11.30 Tracks of My Years**, featuring two more personal picks from Sara Pascoe.
12.00 Jeremy Vine
2.00pm Scott Mills
Chat, laughs, music and daily features, including the **Birthday Game** – in which a listener picks a number one from this week in a given year as determined by a spin of the birthday wheel – and **Speed Mates**, which tests two close work colleagues to see how well they really know each other.
4.00 Sara Cox
7.00 Jo Whiley
Music and features, including the **Shiny Happy Playlist** and the **Radio 2 Culture Club**.
9.00 The Jazz Show with Jamie Cullum
Singer Jamie Cullum showcases his love for jazz in eclectic playlists.
10.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation
Including at **10.00** the **Magnificent 7** – a nostalgic half-hour of oldies.
12.00 OJ Borg
Chat, music, texts and features, including themed pun-related **Punderland XI**, **Midnight Mastermind** – and the weekly themed **Yawn Chorus**.
3.00am Pick of the Pops *2/2*
Paul Gambaccini with the singles chart from this week in 2003. (R)
4.00 Nicki Chapman

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 **Freesat** 707 **Sky** 0120 **Virgin** 909

7.30am Lauren Laverne
10.30 Jamz Supernova
1.00pm Craig Charles
4.00 Steve Lamacq
New music, classic tracks, archive live sets and features, including **Kid Critic** Minnie with another music video review.
7.00 Marc Riley
9.00 Gideon Coe
12.00 6 Music Artist in Residence *5/10.* Another themed playlist featuring the music picks of London singer/songwriter, rapper, guitarist and producer Jamie T, 6 Music's latest artist-in-residence.
1.00am Music programme
2.00 Music programme
3.00 This Is Us: 6 Music at 20
Isle of Wight indie rock duo Wet Leg with a playlist of their picks from 2019.
4.00 Jukebox
5.00 Chris Hawkins

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 **Freesat** 703 **Sky** 0103 **Virgin** 903
News and **weather** as Monday

6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.
9.00 Essential Classics With Tom McKinney.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Mozart *2/5.* **Life in Vienna.** Donald Macleod looks at Mozart's characterisation of the gentry in his operas *Don Giovanni*, *Die Entführung aus dem Serail* and *Le nozze di Figaro*. In this instalment Don Giovanni shamelessly celebrates a virtueless life, while Konstanze sticks to her moral principles.
Fin ch'han dal vino calda la testa (champagne aria) (Don Giovanni)
Don Giovanni — **Simon Keenlyside** (baritone)
Chamber Orchestra of Europe/Claudio Abbado
Martern aller Arten (Die Entführung aus dem Serail)
Konstanze — **Christine Shäfer** (soprano)
Les Arts Florissants, director William Christie
Esci ormai, garzon malnato;
Signore cos'e quel stupore (Le nozze di Figaro)
Susanna — **Anna Moffo** (soprano)
Conte — **Eberhard Wächter** (baritone)
Contessa — **Elisabeth Schwarzkopf** (soprano)
Figaro — **Giuseppe Taddei** (baritone)
Antonio — **Piero Cappuccili** (bass)
Philharmonia, conductor Carlo Maria Giulini
Hai gia vinto la causa!;
Vedro, mentr'io sospiro (Le nozze di Figaro)
Count Almaviva — **Eberhard Wachter** (baritone)
Philharmonia, conductor Carlo Maria Giulini
Riposate, vezzose ragazze (Don Giovanni)
Masetto — **Ildebrando d'Arcangelo** (bass)
Zerlina — **Patrizia Pace** (soprano)
Don Giovanni — **Simon Keenlyside** (baritone)
Donna Elvira — **Soile Isokoski** (soprano)
Don Ottavio — **Uwe Heilmann** (tenor)
Donna Anna — **Carmela Remigio** (soprano)
Leporello — **Bryn Terfel** (bass-baritone)
Chamber Orchestra of Europe/Claudio Abbado
Parto, ma tu, ben mio (La clemenza di Tito)
Sesto — **Bernarda Fink** (mezzo)
Freiburg Baroque Orchestra/René Jacobs (R)
1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
Fiona Talkington presents the first of four programmes featuring German-Japanese pianist Alice Sara Ott, recorded last month at LSO St Luke's in London.
Ray Chen (violin), Pablo Ferrández (cello), Alice Sara Ott (piano)
Beethoven *Piano Trio in D, Op 70 No 1 (Ghost)*
Shostakovich *Piano Trio No 2, Op 67* (R)
2.00 Afternoon Concert
With Fiona Talkington.
Mozart *Overture: Don Giovanni*
NHK SO, conductor Fabio Luisi
Chopin *Waltzes: in A flat, Op 34 No 1; in C sharp minor, Op 64 No 2* Martín García García (piano)
Handel *Violin Sonata in A, HWV361*
Mayumi Hirasaki, Lorenzo Ghielmi (harpsichord)
Davidov, arr Thomas-Mifune *Hymn*
Kisekino Cello Ensemble
Bach *Violin Sonata No 2 in A, BWV1015*
Mayumi Hirasaki, Lorenzo Ghielmi (harpsichord)
3.00 Beethoven *Symphony No 8 in F*
Mozart *Piano Concerto No 20 in D minor, K466*
Alexander Melnikov, NHK SO, conductor Fabio Luisi
Telemann *Fantasia No 12 in A minor, TWV40:25*
Mayumi Hirasaki (violin)
Nielsen *Symphony No 6 (Sinfonia semplice)*
Danish National SO, conductor Fabio Luisi
5.00 In Tune
Katie Derham with news ,views and interviews.
7.00 In Tune Mixtape An eclectic playlist.
7.30 Radio 3 in Concert
Linton Stephens introduces a concert given in Newport, South Wales.
Lucienne Renaudin Vary (trumpet), Sinfonia Cymru
Wagner *Siegfried Idyll*
Hummel *Trumpet Concerto*
8.13 Interval
Jacquet de La Guerre *Sonata No 1 in D minor, for violin and continuo* Camerata moderna
8.29 Ravel *Le tombeau de Couperin*
Ravel, arr Bill Elliott *Pavanne pour une infante défunte*
Milhaud, arr Bill Elliott *Le boeuf sur le toit*
Lowry, arr Bill Elliott *Shall We Gather at the River?*
Weill, arr Bill Elliott *Je ne t'aime pas*
Bechet, arr Bill Elliott *Si tu vois ma mère*
Gershwin, arr Bill Elliott *I Loves You Porgy (Porgy and Bess)*
10.00 Free Thinking
Psychiatric institutions, obsession, heroin and imagining a new self are all explored in the writing of Anna Kavan (1901–68), whose life and work are discussed by Matthew Sweet in conversation with critic and author Chris Power, Carole Sweeney, Sally Marlow, who studies the psychology of addiction, and literary scholar Victoria Walker.
10.45 The Essay: Art and Uncertainty *2/5.* **Where Am I?** Writer and entrepreneur Margaret Heffernan explores how artists embrace uncertainty as a key part of the creative process.
11.00 Night Tracks With Hannah Peel.
12.30am Through the Night With Danielle Jalowiecka. **Duarte** *Sinfonia de decimitoni* **Strozzi** *L'amante segretto* **Duarte** *Sinfonia de duodesimitoni* **Strozzi** *Presso un ruscelloargento* **Duarte** *Sinfonia de primitoni*; *Sinfonia seconda parte* **Strozzi** *Begle'ochi*; *L'amante consolato*; *Costume de grandi*; *La riamata da chi amava* **Duarte** *Sinfonia No 5 de seconda toni* **Strozzi** *La sol fa, mi, re, do* **Duarte** *Sinfonia No 6 de otavi toni*; *Sinfonia No 7 de terti toni* **Strozzi** *L'Eraclito amoroso* Jeffrey Thompson (tenor), Les Voix Humaines, director Eric Milnes **1.36 Strauss** *Eine Alpensinfonie* **2.31 Nielsen** *Wind Quintet, Op 43* **2.57 Tchaikovsky** *Serenade, Op 48* **3.30 Bach** *Violin Partita No 1 in B minor, BWV1002* **3.46 Andree** *Concert Overture in D* **3.58 Ciurlionis** *De profundis* **4.07 Wilms** *Rondo-polonaise in D* **4.13 Kuula** *Chanson sans paroles, Op 22 No 1 (version for cello and orchestra)* **4.18 Kreek** *Happy Is the Man (Psalms of David)* **4.21 Walker** *Lyric for strings* **4.31 Arnold** *Peterloo, Op 97* **4.41 Mozart** *Männer suchen stets zu naschen, K433* **4.44 Gade** *At Sunset, Op 46* **4.52 Schnittke** *Ritual* **5.02 Debussy** *Sonata for flute, viola and harp* **5.20 Pisendel** *Sonata in C minor for orchestra* **5.25 Judith Weir** *String Quartet* **5.37 Dussek** *Piano Sonata in C minor, Op 35 No 3* **6.02 Delius** *Violin Concerto*

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk

7.00am Charles Nove Music, a light look at the newspapers and features, including **Screen Time**.
10.00 Mark Forrest Mark presents the Mystery Years at **10.30**, is joined by a guest from the arts and entertainment world at **11.30** and plays listeners' requests from **12 noon**.
1.00pm Sam Hughes Popular classical works, including after **3.00 Sam's Matinée Moment**.
4.00 Penny Smith Scala's drive-time show with music features, including at **5.30** the **Clocking Off** track and, just before **7.00**, the **Showstoppers**.
7.00 Richard Allinson With music and features, including at **8.00** the **Scala Piano Playlist** and, from **9.00**, an hour of calming music.
10.00 The Space Soothing and calming music.
1.00am Night Music 5.00 In the Park

Absolute Radio

DAB absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 **F'sat** 724 **Sky** 0107 **Virgin** 915

6.00am Dave Berry Lively chat, guests and tunes,
10.00 Leona Graham 1.00pm Ben Burrell
4.00 Bush and Richie 7.00 Danielle Perry
10.00 Jay Lawrence 1.00am Dan Noble

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM DAB classicfm.com
Freeview 731 **Freesat** 721 **Sky** 0106 **Virgin** 922

6.00am More Music Breakfast
Tim Lihoreau with music, news and features, including at **7.25** the **Breakfast Serial**.
9.00 Alexander Armstrong
Classical hits, starting with the **Classic Hall of Fame Hour**, featuring favourite pieces voted into the current Classic FM Top 300. And at **10.15** Album of the Week.
12.00 Anne-Marie Minhall
Including at **12.00 Classic FM Requests** – with listeners phoning in requests during the programme – and at **3.00 Hall of Fame 3 at 3**, featuring three works from the current Classic Hall of Fame chart.
4.00pm John Brunning
Classic FM favourites presented by the Essex-born composer and former Mungo Jerry guitarist. Plus features, including the **Discovery of the Week** at **6.20**.
7.00 Smooth Classics
Zeb Soanes with three hours of potentially calming classical music to help listeners relax and recharge, including at **9.00** the **Great Escape**.
10.00 Smooth Classics With Margherita Taylor.
1.00am Bill Overton 4.00 Lucy Coward

RadioTimes The Sixties From the Beatles to the Moon landing to winning the World Cup – *RT* saw it all

BBC Radio 4

92.4–94.6 FM 198 LW DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4
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Sky 0104 (FM) 0130 (LW) **Virgin** 904 (FM) 911 (LW)

News, weather and **shipping forecasts** as yesterday; no weather at 5.56am

5.30am News Briefing
5.43 Prayer for the Day
With Harry Baker.
5.45 Farming Today
5.58 Tweet of the Day
The jackdaw, with Martin Hughes-Games. (R)
6.00 Today
With Mishal Husain and Justin Webb.
6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News
6.45 Yesterday in Parliament
7.48 Thought for the Day
With Canon Angela Tilby.
8.31 *LW* **Yesterday in Parliament**
9.00 The Life Scientific
RT ***New series. 1/11.*** Jim Al-Khalili talks to leading scientists about their life and work. Today he is joined by Chris Elliot, professor of food safety and microbiology at Queen's University, Belfast who discusses how fingerprinting technology could help prevent another horse-meat scam.
Producer Lucy Taylor Repeated 9.30pm
9.30 One to One
New series. 1/11. **Trespass and the Right to Roam.** Broadcasters follow their personal passions by talking to the people whose stories interest them most. The new series begins with Matthew Parris talking to Nick Hayes, the author of *The Book of Trespass*, about the rights of the UK travelling community. Producer Miles Warde See 4.30pm
9.45 *FM* **Book of the Week: Clubland**
2/5. The Rev Henry Solly was a passionate supporter of working men's clubs and institutes, as a means to promote self-improvement among working-class men. His foundation of the CIU – the Club and Institute Union – was a crucial moment. Pete Brown's book is read by the author.
For details see yesterday Repeated 12.30am
9.45 *LW* **Daily Service**
Led by Stef Benstead. 1 John 1, vv5–9. Christ Be Our light, sung by Exmoor Singers; Here I Am to Worship (Tim Hughes), sung by 100 Voices; My Lighthouse, performed by Rend Collective.
10.00 Woman's Hour With Emma Barnett.
11.00 The Curious Cases of Rutherford and Fry
New series. 1/6. Hannah Fry and Adam Rutherford return to investigate more science mysteries sent in by listeners. Today: "blind mind's eye" – the condition of not being able to see mental images. They are joined by neurologist Adam Zeman, psychologist Julia Simner, and philosophy professor Fiona Macpherson
Producer Ilan Goodman Repeated Thursday 4pm
11.30 Out of the Ordinary
2/3. **How to Memorise Anything.** Jolyon Jenkins reports on how the world of memory sports was rocked by a group of North Korean teenage girls, who have not been heard from since. Producer Jolyon Jenkins (R)
12.04pm You and Yours
News and discussion of consumer affairs.
1.00 The World at One
With Sarah Montague.
1.45 NatureBang
2/5. **Rivers and the Rights of Nature**
Becky Ripley and Emily Knight ask whether giving legal rights to things like rivers and forests changes how we think about the world that lives around us. For details see yesterday
2.00 The Archers Repeated from yesterday 7pm
2.15 Drama: Border Call
Major changes loom in the three-way relationship between Britain, Ireland and Northern Ireland. In this taut political drama, Hugh Costello looks into his crystal ball and crafts a scenario that may, within a few years, prove prophetic. It's 2027, and the Secretary of State for Northern Ireland is facing pressure from her own prime minister to hold a poll on Irish re-unification.

Helen Graham	**Jane Slavin**	Jennifer/Maureen	**Frances Tomelty**
Emily Cooke	**Bronagh Waugh**	Moriarty/Finnerty	**Stephen Hogan**
Andrew	**Tayla Kovacevic-Ebong**		

Director Eoin O'Callaghan
3.00 Short Cuts
3/8. A private empty gravel lot transforms into a community beach, and a young woman finds herself lost for words. Josie Long presents short documentaries about worlds turned upside down. Producer Eleanor McDowall
3.30 A Thorough Examination with Drs Chris and Xand: Can I Change?
6/8. **How to Listen to Your Body.** Professor Sarah Garfinkel tests the twins on their ability to interpret their emotions and teaches them about interoception, how to understand and act on what is going on inside their bodies.
Producers Hester Cant and Alexandra Quinn
Repeated tomorrow 9pm
4.00 Word of Mouth
New series. 1/7. Michael Rosen returns, with an edition devoted to the topic of the exclamation mark. He is joined by Florence Hazrat to talk about the history of the symbol, why people shy away from using it, and whether emojis are making it redundant.
Producer Beth O'Dea Repeated Monday 11pm
4.30 Great Lives
RT ***6/8.*** The life of writer Roger Deakin is proposed by activist Nick Hayes. Presented by Matthew Parris.
Producer Miles Warde
5.00 PM With Evan Davis.
6.00 Six o'Clock News
6.30 The Cold Swedish Winter
4/4. **Vasaloppet.** By Danny Robins. After bumping into his nemesis Johan, Geoff takes on a cross country skiing challenge.

Geoff	**Adam Riches**	John	**Harry Nicolaou**
Linda	**Sissela Benn**	Ian	**Danny Robins**
Sten	**Thomas Oredsson**	Jonah	**Thomas Eriksson**
Gunilla	**Anna-Lena Bergelin**		

Producer/Director Frank Stirling (R)
7.00 The Archers
Jim could use a helping hand, and a new face looks familiar.
For cast see Friday Repeated tomorrow 2pm
7.15 Front Row
The judges of this year's TS Eliot Prize talk to Tom Sutcliffe about the state of poetry in the UK. The winner of the 2023 prize – from a shortlist of 10 collections, half of them debuts – is announced next Monday. Producer Julian May
8.00 File on 4
2/11. **Abandoned in Afghanistan.** *File on 4* speaks to people in hiding in Afghanistan – their names blacklisted by the Taliban because of their longstanding work with the BBC or the British government. The programme, presented by Paul Kenyon, investigates why the schemes to bring those most at risk to safety in the UK are failing.
Producer Kate West Repeated Sunday 5pm
8.40 In Touch
Peter White with news and features for the blind and partially sighted.
9.00 Inside Health
2/12. Weekly quest to demystify health issues, separating fact from fiction and shedding light on the latest scientific research. Repeated tomorrow 3.30pm
9.30 The Life Scientific Repeated from 9am
10.00 The World Tonight
With Ritula Shah.
10.45 Book at Bedtime: Lessons in Chemistry
7/10. **Just a Housewife?.** By Bonnie Garmus. Elizabeth is now a cookery show host whose scientific approach is proving revolutionary. Read by Julianna Jennings, abridged by Katrin Williams.
For details see Monday
11.00 Small Scenes
2/4. Award-winning sketch series set to music and starring Daniel Rigby, Mike Wozniak, Cariad Lloyd, Henry Paker and Freya Parker. A woman discovers why there are so many Cornish pasty shops in railway stations, and a man tries to return a sleeping bag to John Lewis, with dramatic consequences.
Producers Simon Mayhew-Archer and Mike Wozniak (R)
11.30 Today in Parliament
12.00 News and Weather
12.30–12.45am Book of the Week: Clubland Repeated from 9.45am (*FM only*)
1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC Radio 4 Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4extra
Freeview 708 **Freesat** 708 **Sky** 0126 **Virgin** 910
6.00am The Rivals as 4pm
6.30 The Singing Sands as 4.30pm
7.00 Machines like Me as 5pm
7.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad
7.30 Ed Reardon's Week 2012 comedy (6/6)
8.00 The Goon Show 1956 comedy
8.30 Little Blighty on the Down as 6.30pm
9.00 Who Goes There? 1998 quiz show (6/6)
9.30 North East of Eden 1997 sitcom (1/6)
10.00 And Other Stories: Katherine Mansfield
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3.00 And Other Stories: Katherine Mansfield
A second set of dramatisations based on the writer's short stories, adapted by Katie Hims. Today's four tales deal with age and experience (2/2)
4.00 The Rivals Dramatisation of Jacques Futrelle's *The Problem of the Superfluous Finger*, starring Tim Pigott-Smith. From 2013
4.30 The Singing Sands Josephine Tey's 1952 murder mystery thriller, published the year of her death. Abridged by Sian Preece and read by Paul Young. First broadcast in 2008 (1/4)
5.00 Machines like Me Ian McEwan's 2019 novel reimagining life and times in the 1980s. Abridged by Penny Leicester and read by Anton Lesser (7/10)
5.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad
Dramatisation by John Fletcher of Bee Rowlatt and May Witwit's work. From 2015 (2/5)
5.30 Ed Reardon's Week 2012 comedy (6/6)
6.00 The Goon Show 1956 comedy
6.30 Little Blighty on the Down Satirical village-set soap opera by Mark Burton, John O'Farrell and Mike Coleman. With Jo Kendall, Michael Troughton, John Baddeley, Bernadine Corrigan, Jonathan Kydd and Daniel Strauss. From 1991 (3/5)
7.00 Jake Yapp's Unwinding Comedian and broadcaster Jake Yapp presents a new live show for January weekday evenings, featuring three hours of comedy, guests and games (7/20)
10.00–12.00 Comedy Club: The Cold Swedish Winter (3/4), at **10.30 Cabin Pressure** (3/6), at **11.00 My Teenage Diary** (6/6), at **11.30 The Mark Steel Solution** (1/4)
12.00 as 3pm **1.00am** as 4pm **1.30** as 4.30pm **2.00** as 5pm **2.15** as 5.15pm **2.30** as 5.30pm **3.00** as 6pm **3.30** as 1.30pm **4.00** as 2pm **4.30** as 2.30pm **5.00 Hawksmoor** (1/2)

BBC World Service

DAB bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio
Freeview* 710 **Freesat** 711 **Sky** 0115 **Virgin** 906
Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin
5.00am Newsday **8.00** News **8.05** People Fixing the World **8.30** Business Daily **8.50** Witness History **9.00** The Newsroom **9.30** The Documentary: What Do You Think You Are? (1/2) **10.00** News **10.05** The Arts Hour **11.00** The Newsroom **11.30** In the Studio **12.00** News **12.05pm** Outlook **12.50** Witness History **1.00** The Newsroom **1.30** Discovery: Tooth and Claw: Professor Adam Hart investigates the cougar. Last in series **2.00** Newshour **3.00** News **3.05** People Fixing the World **3.30** World Business Report **4.00** BBC OS **6.00** News **6.05** Outlook **6.50** Witness History **7.00** The Newsroom **7.30** Sport Today **8.00** News **8.05** The Documentary: What Do You Think You Are?: animals' profound sense of self (1/2) **8.30** Digital Planet **9.00** Newshour **10.00** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** World Business Report **11.05** People Fixing the World **11.30** In the Studio **12.00** News **12.05am** The Arts Hour **1.00** News **1.05** Business Matters **2.00** The Newsroom **2.30** The Compass: Sounds of the City: Peter White, blind since birth, uses the sounds to guide him as he explores new places **3.05** Outlook **3.50** Witness History: Ria Geluk recalls a memorable winter storm in 1953 **4.00** The Newsroom **4.30** The Documentary: This Cultural Life

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW DAB bbc.co.uk/fivelive
F'view 705 **F'sat** 705 **Sky** 0105 **Virgin** 905
Sports Extra F'view 706 **F'sat** 706
Sky 0131 **Virgin** 908

News and **sport** as yesterday
5.00am Wake Up to Money
Fiscal news stories.
6.00 5 Live Breakfast
Rachel Burden and Rick Edwards present with unique stories.
9.00 Nicky Campbell
Topical discussions, with a phone-in.
11.00 Naga Munchetty
With the latest news, big-name interviews from around the UK and listeners' personal experiences.
1.00pm Nihal Arthanayake
News and topical conversation including big-name interviews.
4.00 5 Live Drive
Tony Livesey and Clare McDonnell with the latest news and sport. Plus interviews linked to topical and cultural issues.
7.00 5 Live Sport
Kelly Cates presents sports news plus build up and commentary on the quarter-finals of the League Cup – single-leg games leading to semi-finals played over two legs on 25 January and 1 February. The final will be played at Wembley on Sunday 26 February, where last year Liverpool lifted the trophy after beating Chelsea 11-10 on penalties.
10.00 Colin Murray
Vital topical discussion. Plus features, including at **11.00 The Big News Hour** – an in-depth look at a big news story – and at **12.00 Midnight Meets**, in which Colin sits down with notable guests to find out what makes them tick.
1.00am Dotun Adebayo
Late-night chat.

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW DAB talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 **F'sat** 731 **Sky** 0108 **Virgin** 927

6.00am Sports Breakfast
Presented by Laura Woodst.
10.00 Jim White and Simon Jordan Sporting opinion.
1.00pm Hawksbee and Baker
4.00 Drive With Andy Goldstein and Darren Bent.
7.00 Kick Off Sporting debate.
10.00 Sports Bar
12.00 Extra Time
5.00am Early Breakfast

Talksport 2

DAB talksport.co.uk
7.00pm–9.00 EFL Trophy
Coverage of quarter-final.

LBC

97.3 FM (London area) DAB lbc.co.uk
F'view 732 **F'sat** 734 **Sky** 0123 **Virgin** 919
7.00am Nick Ferrari
10.00 James O'Brien
1.00pm Shelag Fogarty
4.00 Tom Swarbrick
6.00 Tonight with Andrew Marr
7.00 Iain Dale 10.00 Ian Payne
1.00am Darren Adam
4.00 Steve Allen

Asian Network

DAB bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 **F'sat** 709 **Sky** 0119 **Virgin** 912
5.00am Beyond Bollywood 6.00 Chill 7.00 Nikita Kanda 10.00 Certified 11.00 Smash Bengali 2.00pm Certified Throwbacks 3.00 Ankur Desai 6.00 Bobby Friction 8.00 BBC Introducing 10.00 All Star Anthems 11.00 Fresh 12.00 Ankur Desai 1.00am Bobby Friction 3.00 DJ Limelight and Kan D Man

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WEDNESDAY Radio

Today's Choices

I'm Not A Monster: The Shamima Begum Story

11.00am ***Radio 4***

If you missed the first multi-award-winning series of *I'm Not a Monster*, then it's definitely worth catching up on BBC Sounds. Journalist Josh Baker came across the story of an American mother and her children who went to live in a Syrian caliphate when he was recuperating from a Daesh suicide truck bomb attack in Mosul, Iraq. After years of research, he found the mother, Sam, who turned out to be an unreliable narrator... Now Baker is back with a new series focused on the divisive story of London schoolgirl Shamima Begum (above) and has spent over a year talking to her. This really is an example of investigative journalism at its very best, with no punches pulled, meticulous research and evidence gathering but, most important of all, with compassion rather than sensationalism at its heart.

JANE ANDERSON

Radio 3 In Concert

7.30pm ***Radio 3***

Schubert died too young, at only 31 (though probably not from syphilis, as long supposed), to complete the full Shakespearian "seven ages of man", yet he still managed to compress enough musical development into his brief span to justify dividing his output into early, middle and late. In this recital, recorded at Wigmore Hall last November, Paul Lewis – a pianist with a perfect Schubertian touch – sampled sonatas of varying moods from all three periods, delivering supremely refined readings despite the whistle from a rogue hearing aid that interrupted his performance, forcing him to resume the D568 Sonata from scratch.

MARK PAPPENHEIM

ALAMY

BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 **F'sat** 700 **Sky** 0101 **Virgin** 901

7.00am Greg James
10.30 Rickie, Melvin and Charlie
1.00pm Dean and Vicky
3.30 Vick and Jordan
6.00 Clara Amfo
8.00 Radio 1's Future Artists
10.00 Radio 1's Essential Albums
11.00 Benji B With future beats.
1.00am Radio 1 Dance Presents
2.00 The Radio 1 Interview
2.15 Radio 1 Playlists
3.00 Radio 1 Relax in Love
4.00 Radio 1 Dance
5.00 Arielle Free

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 **F'sat** 702 **Sky** 0102 **Virgin** 902

6.30am Zoe Ball
Upbeat show with chat, phone-ins, listeners' texts, features and old and new chart hits. Plus Adam Porter with the headlines, Richie Anderson with travel and Mike Williams with sports news.

9.30 Ken Bruce
Music, chat and features, including after **11.30 Tracks of My Years**, with London-born comedian, actor and writer Sara Pascoe.

12.00 Jeremy Vine
2.00pm Scott Mills
4.00 Sara Cox
Lively chat, listener interaction and music, and, from **6.30**, **Sara Cox's Half Wower**, featuring potentially mood-lifting hits from the last five decades.

7.00 Jo Whiley
9.00 The Folk Show with Mark Radcliffe
An eclectic playlist of folk and acoustic music. Plus news from the folk world and top guests, tonight featuring a performance by Oxford-born indie folk star Thea Gilmore. And Sean Cooney (of the Young'uns) discusses his role in Radio 2's 21st Century Folk, in which five Radio 2 listeners are paired with talented songwriters and musicians.

10.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation
Including at **10.00** the **Magnificent 7** – a nostalgic half-hour of oldies.

12.00 OJ Borg
3.00am Sounds of the 90s ***1/2***
With Fearne Cotton. (R) See tomorrow
4.00 Nicki Chapman

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 **Freesat** 707 **Sky** 0120 **Virgin** 909

7.30am Lauren Laverne
Actor Aidan Turner discusses the new West End production of Sam Steiner's 2015 romantic comedy *Lemons Lemons Lemons Lemons Lemons*, in which he stars opposite Jenna Coleman.

10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs
Music and features, including **Your Mid Week Musical Mood Enhancer** and new music from the **Near Future**.

1.00pm Music programme
4.00 Steve Lamacq
7.00 Marc Riley
9.00 Gideon Coe
12.00 Freak Zone Playlist
1.00am Music programme
2.00 Overnight Documentary
3.00 Live Hour Pernice Brothers at Summer Sundae in Leicester in 2003, plus sessions by Broadcast (in 2003) and the Wolfhounds (in 1987).
4.00 Jukebox 5.00 Chris Hawkins

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 **Freesat** 703 **Sky** 0103 **Virgin** 903
News and **weather** as Monday

6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.
9.00 Essential Classics With Georgia Mann.
12.00 Composer of the Week: Mozart ***3/5.*** **Lessons in Love.** Donald Macleod finds connecting points between the characters Mozart created for the stage and the composer's own experiences in life. Today, he explores Mozart's treatment of love in its many guises in *Die Zauberflöte*, *Idomeneo*, *Cosi fan tutte*, *le nozze di Figaro* and *Die Entführung aus dem Serail*.
Bei Männern, welche Liebe fühle (Die Zauberflöte)
Pamina **Dorothea Röschmann** (soprano)
Papageno **Hanno Müller-Brachmann** (bass-baritone)
Mahler Chamber Orchestra, conductor Claudio Abbado
Estinto e Idomeneo; Tutte nel cor vi sento; Pieta! Numi pieta! (Idomeneo)
Elettra **Hillevi Martinpelto** (soprano)
English Baroque Soloists, Monteverdi Choir, conductor John Eliot Gardiner
Ah, che tutta in un momento si cangio la sorte mia!; Dammi un bacio (Cosi fan tutte)
Fiordiligi **Monserrat Caballé** (soprano)
Dorabella **Janet Baker** (mezzo)
Ferrando **Nicolai Gedda** (tenor)
Guglielmo **Wladimiro Ganzarolli** (baritone)
Despina **Ileana Cotrubas** (soprano)
Don Alfonso **Richard van Allan** (bass)
Orchestra of the Royal Opera House, conductor Colin Davis
Mozart *Porgi Amor (Le nozze di Figaro)*
Countess **Kiri Te Kanawa** (soprano)
London Philharmonic Orchestra, conductor Georg Solti
Mozart *Wenn der Freude Tränen fliessen; Ach Belmonte! ach mein Leben! (Die Entführung aus dem Serail)*
Belmonte **Ian Bostridge** (tenor)
Konstanze **Christine Schafer** (soprano)
Pedrillo **Ian Paton** (tenor)
Blonde **Patricia Petibon** (soprano)
Les Arts Florissants, director William Christie (R)

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
Fiona Talkington introduces German-Japanese pianist Alice Sara Ott and violinist Ray Chen in a concert featuring works by Grieg, Ysaÿe and Stravinsky, recorded early last month at LSO St Luke's in London.
Alice Sara Ott (piano), Ray Chen (violin)
Grieg *Violin Sonata No 2 in G, Op 13*
Ysaÿe *Violin Sonata No 3 in D minor (Ballade)*
Stravinsky, arr Stravinsky and Dushkin *Divertimento (The Fairy's Kiss)* (R)

2.00 Afternoon Concert With Penny Gore.
Albéniz *Asturias (Suite española No 1, Op 47)*
Anabel Montesinos (guitar)
Bruch *Violin Concerto No 1 in G minor* Vadim Repin, KBS Symphony Orchestra, conductor Pietari Inkinen
Marais *Tempest Scene (Alcyone)*
Rameau *Overture: Naïs; Tambourin (Dardanus)*
Holland Baroque, conductor Philipp Ahmann
Debussy, arr Kobayashi *Clair de lune (Suite bergamasque)* Kisekino Cello Ensemble
3.00 Tchaikovsky *Symphony No 4 in F minor*
KBS Symphony Orchestra, conductor Pietari Inkinen

4.00 Choral Evensong
A service recorded on Saturday at St Matthew's Church in Westminster, London. Introit: Brightest and Best (Wesley). Responses: Caesar. Office Hymn: Hail, Thou Source of Every Blessing (*Redhead*). Psalms 59, 60, 61 (Barnby and South, Morgan, Gray). First Lesson: Exodus 15, vv1–19. Canticles: Jackson in G. Second Lesson: Colossians 2, vv8–15. Anthem: Here Is the Little Door (Howells). Hymn: Brightest and Best (*Wessex*). Voluntary: Fugue in C, BWV547 (Bach). Director of music Nigel Groome. Organist Samuel Bristow. Rptd Sun 3pm

5.00 In Tune
Presented by Katie Derham.

7.00 In Tune Mixtape
An inspired and unpredictable playlist of nonstop music, today with a salty tang of the sea.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert
RT A chance to hear three of Schubert's piano sonatas spanning three periods in the composer's very short career. Recorded at Wigmore Hall, London, on 30 November. Presented by Ian Skelly.
Paul Lewis (piano)
Schubert *Piano Sonatas: in E flat, D568; in A minor, D784; in D, D850*

10.00 Free Thinking
New Generation Thinkers Christienna Fryar and Xine Yao discuss the life of the enslaved American poet Phillis Wheatley with playwright Adeola Solanke, and academics Montaz Marché and Brigitte Fielder.

10.45 The Essay: Art and Uncertainty ***3/5.*** **In the Bottom of the Well.** Writer and entrepreneur Margaret Heffernan explores how artists embrace uncertainty as a key part of the creative process, seeing it as a catalyst for their work.

11.00 Night Tracks
An adventurous playlist, with Hannah Peel.

12.30am Through the Night
With Danielle Jalowiecka. **Prokofiev** *Violin Concerto No 1* **Bach** *Solo Violin Sonata No 3 in C, BWV1005 (3rd mvt)* **Dvorak** *Symphony No 7 in D minor* James Ehnes (violin), Zurich Philharmonia, conductor Gianandrea Noseda **1.36 Peeters** *Missa festiva, Op 62* **2.03 Lindblad** *String Quartet No 6 in E flat* **2.31 Haydn** *L'anima del filosofo, ossia Orfeo ed Euridice (excerpt)* **2.51 Szymanowski** *Variations on a Polish Folk Theme, Op 10* **3.11 Jadin** *String Trio in E flat, Op 2 No 1* **3.32 Schubert** *Overture in the Italian Style, D590* **3.40 Sermisy** *Chansons* **3.50 Schumann** *Phantasiestücke, Op 73* **4.01 Rozycki** *Stanczyk, Op 1* **4.11 Luzzaschi** *O primavera; O dolcezze d'Amore* **4.19 Bozza** *Jour d'été à la montagne* **4.31 Buxtehude** *Prelude and Fugue in G minor (BuxWV149)* **4.40 Liszt** *Orpheus, S98* **4.52 Wagner, Kocsis (arranger)** *Concert Prelude to Tristan und Isolde (arr Kocsis for piano)* **5.03 Purcell, John Playford** *Four Works* **5.14 Sibelius** *The Swan of Tuonela (Lemminkainen Suite, Op 22)* **5.25 Puccini** *Crisantemi* **5.31 CPE Bach** *Concerto in A for flute and strings, Wq168* **5.50 Mozart** *Piano Sonata in F, K332* **6.10 Heinichen** *Se mai, Tirsi, mio bene (Clori e Tirsi)*

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk

7.00am Charles Nove Music, a light look at the newspapers and features, including **Questions of the Day** and, from **9.00**, **Screen Time**.
10.00 Mark Forrest Including at **11.30** a guest from the arts and entertainment world.
1.00pm Sam Hughes With popular classical works and features, including at **1.30** the weekly classical **Scala Sessions**, today with a live performance by accordionist Félicien Brut.
4.00 Penny Smith Scala's drive-time show.
7.00 Richard Allinson With music and features.
10.00 The Space Soothing and calming music.
1.00am Night Music Nonstop classical music.
5.00 In the Park Calming and atmospheric sounds.

Absolute Radio

DAB absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 **F'sat** 724 **Sky** 0107 **Virgin** 915

6.00am Dave Berry Lively chat, guests and tunes, with Dave joined by Matt Dyson **10.00 Leona Graham** Old and new mainstream and indie rock and pop, from 1975 David Bowie to the 1975 **1.00pm Ben Burrell**
4.00 Bush and Richie 7.00 Danielle Perry
10.00 Jay Lawrence 1.00am Dan Noble

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM DAB classicfm.com
Freeview 731 **Freesat** 721 **Sky** 0106 **Virgin** 922

6.00am More Music Breakfast
Tim Lihoreau with music, news, financial updates and features, including the **Breakfast Serial** at **7.25** and the **School Run** at **8.15**.
9.00 Alexander Armstrong Classical hits, starting with the **Classic Hall of Fame Hour**, featuring favourite pieces voted into the current Classic FM Top 300. At **10.15 Album of the Week**.
12.00 Anne-Marie Minhall
Featuring two hours of requests from **12.00** and, at **3.00**, three works from the current Classic Hall of Fame Top 300.
4.00pm John Brunning
John takes listeners into the evening with a selection of old favourites and new discoveries. Including his **Discovery of the Week** at **6.20**.
7.00 Smooth Classics
Zeb Soanes presents a playlist marked by potentially calming classical music to help listeners relax and recharge, from Baroque masterworks to contemporary film music.
10.00 Smooth Classics With Margherita Taylor.
1.00am Bill Overton 4.00 Lucy Coward

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News, weather and **shipping forecasts** as yesterday

5.30am News Briefing
5.43 Prayer for the Day With Harry Baker.
5.45 Farming Today
5.58 Tweet of the Day
Musician Joe Acheson on the corncrake. (R)
6.00 Today
With Mishal Husain and Justin Webb.
6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News
6.45 Yesterday in Parliament
7.48 Thought for the Day
With the Rev Canon Dr Rachel Mann.
8.31 *LW* **Yesterday in Parliament**
9.00 More or Less
New series. 1/8. Tim Harford returns with a new series of the programme in which he and guests interrogate and debunk topical numbers and statistics, exposing false claims – and occasionally endorsing them.
Producer Richard Vardon Repeated Friday 4.30pm
9.30 Just One Thing with Michael Mosley
New series. 1/10. The doctor returns with a new series of the programme in which he presents a guide to simple everyday ways to boost health and wellbeing.
9.45 *FM* **Book of the Week: Clubland**
3/5. By Pete Brown. Members of working men's clubs increasingly expected some form of entertainment to accompany the consumption of their beer. Read by the author. For details see Monday Repeated 12.30am
9.45 *LW* **Daily Service**
An act of worship, featuring readings from scripture and a range of choral music. Led by David Waters. Matthew 5, vv13–16. This Little Light of Mine, sung by Dionne Warwick; Lead Kindly Light, sung by Libera; Whenever God Shines His Light, sung by Van Morrison and Cliff Richard.
10.00 Woman's Hour With Emma Barnett.
11.00 I'm Not a Monster: the Shamima Begum Story
RT ***New series. 1/10.*** **Never Coming Back.** Josh Baker talks to Shamima Begum in Syria to hear how in 2015 – as a 15-year-old at school in London – she left the UK to became part of the Islamic State group. Producers Josh Baker, Joe Kent and Sara Obeidat; Series editor Jonathan Aspinwall
11.30 Oti Mabuse's Dancing Legends
6/8. Oti and her guests pay tribute to veteran performers who have changed the course of the dance and entertainment world. Today she is joined by singer and choreographer Todrick Hall, who chooses the choreographer Debbie Allen, best known for her work on the musical *Fame*.
Producer Candace Wilson
12.04pm You and Yours Consumer affairs.
1.00 The World at One
Presented by Sarah Montague.
1.45 NatureBang
3/5. **Lazy Ants and the Power of Doing Nothing.** Becky Ripley and Emily Knight continue their series in which they examine the science behind phenomena in the natural world and ask whether it can be applied to humans. For details see Monday
2.00 The Archers
Repeated from yesterday 7pm
2.15 Drama: Dead Weather
Following a move from London to rural Wales, Sam is abandoned by her composer husband, Dylan, for Freya, his childhood sweetheart. Sam is devastated and haunted by the memory of a place by the sea where Dylan wrote a sonata just for her. When a lost young crow turns up in her garden, Sam takes it in and nurtures it. But this act of compassion will unleash a series of events that drive her to the edge of madness. Hattie Naylor's Gothic thriller won Best Drama at the BBC Audio Drama Awards 2022.

Sam	**Juliet Aubrey**	Alwyn	**Lloyd Meredith**
Dylan	**Matthew Gravelle**	Ceri/Nerys	**Megan Jones**
Freya	**Claire Price**		

Producer/Director Nicolas Jackson (R)
3.00 Money Box Live
Listeners receive advice from experts on their financial questions.
EMAIL: moneybox@bbc.co.uk
3.30 Inside Health
Repeated from yesterday 9pm
4.00 Thinking Allowed
4/7. Human behaviour, institutions and conventions come under the microscope as Laurie Taylor leads a discussion on topical items and issues arising from the academic and research world.
Producer Jayne Egerton Repeated Sunday 12.15am
4.30 The Media Show
With Katie Razzall, newly appointed as the BBC's media editor. Repeated 9.30pm
5.00 PM T
Presented by Evan Davis.
6.00 Six o'Clock News
6.30 Conversations from a Long Marriage
2/6. **It's Just Work.** Series two of the comedy by Jan Etherington, starring Joanna Lumley and Roger Allam as a long-married couple who are trying to keep the passion alive. Joanna gets distracted by a work project, which happens to be with a man who is much younger and rather more exciting than Roger.
Producer/Director Claire Jones
Repeated next Wednesday on Radio 4 Extra (R)
7.00 The Archers
Justin gets community spirited, and has Alan been forgiven? Cast Friday Rptd tomorrow 2pm
7.15 Front Row
Todd Field talks to Shahidha Bari about directing Cate Blanchet in *Tár*, his film about a famous conductor and composer.
Producer Emma Wallace
8.00 The Moral Maze
New series. 1/12. Michael Buerk returns to chair another discussion about the moral aspects of a topical issue. Tonight he is joined by Ash Sarkar, Mona Siddiqui, Melanie Phillips and Anne McElvoy, along with the witnesses they call.
Producer Dan Tierney Repeated Saturday 10.15pm
8.45 Four Thought
2/5. Martin Hibbert's life changed for ever in 2017. He survived the Manchester Arena bomb but was left with life-changing injuries. Now a wheelchair-user, Martin says he doesn't dwell on his old life but instead embraces his new one. He says he's determined to turn an act of terror into a force for good, and now campaigns to make sure others with spinal injuries receive the support that they need. Introduced by Olly Mann. Producer Alex Collins Rptd Saturday 5.45am
9.00 A Thorough Examination with Drs Chris and Xand: Can I Change?
Repeated from yesterday 3.30pm
9.30 The Media Show
Repeated from 4.30pm
10.00 The World Tonight
With Razia Iqbal.
10.45 Book at Bedtime: Lessons in Chemistry
8/10. **Do You Know Who I Am?** By Bonnie Garmus. Although she has become something of a revolutionary, not everyone is impressed with Elizabeth's work. Read by Julianna Jennings. For details see Monday
11.00 What's the Story, Ashley Storrie?
2/4. **And Then There Was Ashley or Calamity Ashley Jane.** Ashley Storrie's Twitter profile reads: "Comedian, Radio host, Neuro-Funky, Actually Autistic Actor & writer". Tonight she explains where her love for performing came from and how she's a self-identifying "save the marriage" baby.
Producer Julia Sutherland
11.15 Darren Harriott: Black Label
2/4. **Gangs.** Open-hearted stories from the front line of Darren's life. In this instalment, Darren looks back at his time in a teenage gang, recalling what attracted him to help form the TCK (Terror Clan Killaz) and why he eventually broke free. Written and performed by Darren Harriott. Producer Adnan Ahmed (R)
11.30 Today in Parliament
Including Prime Minister's Questions.
12.00 News and Weather
12.30–12.45am Book of the Week: Clubland ***3/5.*** Repeated from 9.45am (*FM only*)
1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC Radio 4 Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4extra
Freeview 708 **Freesat** 708 **Sky** 0126 **Virgin** 910
6.00am The Rivals as 4pm
6.30 The Singing Sands as 4.30pm
7.00 Machines like Me as 5pm
7.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad
7.30 Maureen and Friends as 5.30pm
8.00 Hancock's Half Hour Vintage 1955 comedy
8.30 Life, Death and Sex with Mike and Sue
9.00 The Write Stuff 2010 literary quiz (5/6)
9.30 Tales from the Tower as 2.30pm
10.00 Hawksmoor as 3pm
11.00 The Rivals as 4pm
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2.00 The Write Stuff 2010 literary quiz (5/6)
2.30 Tales from the Tower Comedy written and performed by David Holt. From 2001 (2/4)
3.00 Hawksmoor Nick Fisher's adaptation of Peter Ackroyd's acclaimed 2000 novel set both in 1711 and in the 1980s. With Philip Jackson (1/2)
4.00 The Rivals Chris Harrald's dramatisation of Robert Barr's mystery *The Clue of the Silver Spoons*, in which Tim Pigott-Smith stars as Arthur Conan Doyle's creation Inspector Lestrade. From 2013
4.30 The Singing Sands Josephine Tey's 1952 murder mystery thriller. Read by Paul Young (2/4)
5.00 Machines like Me Ian McEwan's 2019 novel reimagining life and times in the 1980s (8/10)
5.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad Dramatisation of Bee Rowlatt and May Witwit's work in which an English journalist comes into contact with an Iraqi university lecturer through a series of emails. From 2015 (3/5)
5.30 Maureen and Friends Maureen Lipman performs her comic monologues, recorded in 2019 at the BBC Radio Theatre (2/2)
6.00 Hancock's Half Hour Vintage 1955 comedy
6.30 Life, Death and Sex with Mike and Sue Series one of Bill Dare's parody lifestyle show, starring Robert Duncan and Julia Hills. From 1996 (4/6)
7.00 Jake Yapp's Unwinding Jake Yapp presents a new live show for January weekday evenings, with three hours of comedy, guests and games (8/20)
10.00–12.00 Comedy Club: Conversations from a Long Marriage (1/6), at **10.30 Mark Watson Makes the World Substantially Better** (2/6), at **11.00 The Million Pound Radio Show** (6/6), and at **11.30 Mae Martin's Guide to 21st Century Addiction** (2/2)
12.00 as 3pm **1.00am** as 4pm **1.30** as 4.30pm **2.00** as 5pm **2.15** as 5.15pm **2.30** as 5.30pm **3.00** as 6pm **3.30** as 6.30pm **4.00** as 2pm **4.30** as 2.30pm **5.00 Hawksmoor** (2/2)

BBC World Service

DAB bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio
Freeview* 710 **Freesat** 711 **Sky** 0115 **Virgin** 906
Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin
5.00am Newsday **8.00** News **8.05** Hardtalk **8.30** Business Daily **8.50** Witness History **9.00** The Newsroom **9.30** The Compass: Sounds of the City: Peter White, blind since birth, uses the sounds to guide him as he explores new places **10.00** News **10.05** World Book Club: Anuk Arudpragasam's novel *A Passage North*, which is set in Sri Lanka following the end of the vicious civil war **11.00** The Newsroom **11.30** The Documentary: This Cultural Life: actress Florence Pugh talks to John Wilson about her career and formative influences **12.00** News **12.05pm** Outlook **12.50** Witness History **1.00** The Newsroom **1.30** Digital Planet **2.00** Newshour **3.00** News **3.05** Hardtalk **3.30** World Business Report **4.00** BBC OS **6.00** News **6.05** Outlook **6.50** Witness History **7.00** The Newsroom **7.30** Sport Today **8.00** News **8.05** The Compass: Sounds of the City **8.30** Healthcheck **9.00** Newshour **10.00** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** World Business Report **11.00** News **11.05** Hardtalk **11.30** The Documentary: This Cultural Life **12.00** News **12.05am** World Book Club **1.00** News **1.05** Business Matters **2.00** The Newsroom **2.30** Assignment **3.00** News **3.05** Outlook **3.50** Witness History **4.00** The Newsroom **4.30** The Food Chain

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW DAB bbc.co.uk/fivelive
F'view 705 **F'sat** 705 **Sky** 0105 **Virgin** 905
Sports Extra F'view 706 **F'sat** 706
Sky 0131 **Virgin** 908
News and **sport** as Monday
5.00am Wake Up to Money
Financial news stories.
6.00 5 Live Breakfast
Rachel Burden and Rick Edwards present with unique stories from across the UK.
9.00 Nicky Campbell
Topical discussions, with a phone-in.
11.00 Naga Munchetty
With the latest news, big-name interviews from around the UK and listeners' personal experiences.
1.00pm Nihal Arthanayake
News, big-name interviews and topical conversation.
4.00 5 Live Drive
Tony Livesey and Clare McDonnell with a round-up of the day's latest news and sport. Plus interviews with people at the centre of the stories, and regular travel updates.
7.00 5 Live Sport
Steve Crossman presents sports news, interviews and features, plus build-up to the quarter-finals of the League Cup at **8.00**.
10.00 5 Live Boxing
Jeanette Kwakye presents the latest news and discussions from the world of boxing.
1.00am Dotun Adebayo
News and topical discussion, with a chance for listeners to phone in throughout the night.

BBC 5 Sports Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/sports extra
F'view 706 **F'sat** 706 **Sky** 0131 **Virgin** 908
8.35–12 noon Cricket
Ball-by-ball commentary on Brisbane Heat v Perth Scorchers in the Big Bash.

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW DAB talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 **F'sat** 731 **Sky** 0108 **Virgin** 927
6.00am Sports Breakfast
10.00 Jim White and Simon Jordan Sporting insight.
1.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs
4.00 Drive Presented by Andy Goldstein and Darren Bent.
7.00 Kick Off Sporting issues.
10.00 Sports Bar
1.00am Extra Time
5.00 Early Breakfast

Talksport 2

DAB talksport.co.uk
1.00pm–4.00 Racing
From Lingfield.

LBC

97.3 FM (London area) DAB lbc.co.uk
F'view 732 **F'sat** 734 **Sky** 0123 **Virgin** 919
7.00am Nick Ferrari
10.00 James O'Brien
1.00pm Shelagh Fogarty
4.00 Tom Swarbrick
6.00 Tonight with Andrew Marr
7.00 Iain Dale
10.00 Ian Payne
1.00am Darren Adam
4.00 Steve Allen

Asian Network

DAB bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 **F'sat** 709 **Sky** 0119 **Virgin** 912
5.00am The Everyday Hustle
6.00 R&B Anthems 7.00 Nikita Kanda 10.00 Certified
11.00 Smash Bengali 2.00pm Certified Throwbacks 3.00 Ankur Desai 6.00 Bobby Friction 8.00 DJ Limelight and Kan D Man 10.00 Takeover
12.00 R&B Anthems
1.00am AJD 3.00 DJ Nish

*Not available on Freeview in Scotland 4pm–1am. **Key** (R) Repeat

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Today's Choices

Nazis: The Road to Power

2.15pm ***Radio 4***

Podcasts have given history a new lease of life, and here comes one – in semi-dramatised form – telling a story that can never be told too often. The shudders begin right away. "When I first met Corporal Hitler he was like a tired stray dog looking for a master." It's 1918, and for Germany, vanquished in the First World War, the future looks very uncertain. Is the vacuum to be filled by Bolshevism? Or will the political tide move in another direction? What's effective is the way the series foregrounds fascinating fringe figures – from the army captain who trains Hitler to make rabble-rousing speeches, to the Harvard-educated American who becomes Hitler's court jester. And there are astonishing revelations from Joseph Goebbels's diaries.

SIMON O'HAGAN

Open Country

3.00pm ***Radio 4***

The combination of bitterly cold weather and extortionate energy costs is painful for most of us, but for the artists whom Helen Mark meets in East Lothian, the wonders of winter are their inspiration. Darren Woodhead loves painting tree sparrows at dawn as they hop among the hedgerows – but has to work at speed before his materials (and extremities) freeze. James Craig's family have a long history with the ancient art of stone stacking in Dunbar, which he describes as blissfully meditative, while Emily Hogarth uses her daily wintry walks along the sweeping sands of Gullane beach as inspiration for her intricate papercut designs. Cold can equal creative.

JANE ANDERSON

IAN DODDS

BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 **F'sat** 700 **Sky** 0101 **Virgin** 901

7.00am Greg James
10.30 Rickie, Melvin and Charlie
1.00pm Dean and Vicky
3.30 Vick and Jordan
6.00 Clara Amfo
8.00 Radio 1's Future Pop
10.00 BBC Introducing Dance
11.00 Radio 1's Residency
1.00am Radio 1's Dance Anthems
2.00 Radio 1's Wind Down
Presents 3.00 Radio 1's Power Down Playlist 4.00 Radio 1 Dance
5.00 Joel Mitchell

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 **F'sat** 702 **Sky** 0102 **Virgin** 902

6.30am Zoe Ball

9.30 Ken Bruce
Music, chat and features, including the **PopMaster** music quiz (at **10.30**) and, after **11.30**, **Tracks of My Years**, today with Sara Pascoe discussing two more records of personal significance.
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12.00 Jeremy Vine

2.00pm Scott Mills

4.00 Sara Cox
Including at **6.30 Sara Cox's Half Wower**, with potentially mood-lifting hits from the last five decades.

7.00 Jo Whiley
New music and features, including the **Shiny Happy Playlist**, with 30 minutes of feel-good music.

9.00 The Country Show with Bob Harris
The latest from the worlds of country, roots and Americana, plus classic recordings and guests.

10.00 Trevor Nelson's Rhythm Nation
Original soul, R&B, disco, funk, crossover hits and newer sounds. Plus features, starting at **10.00** with the **Magnificent 7** – a nostalgic half-hour of uplifting tunes and throwbacks.

12.00 OJ Borg

3.00am Sounds of the 90s *2/2*
Fearne Cotton celebrates the music and pop culture from the decade in which she was a teenager. (R)

4.00 Nicki Chapman Music, texts and features, including at **4.00 Dance with the Decades**, a nostalgic playlist of hits from each of the last six decades.

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 **Freesat** 707 **Sky** 0120 **Virgin** 909

7.30am Lauren Laverne
Including a themed **People's Playlist**.

10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs
Music and features, including the **HouseQuake Playlist** – with uplifting tracks picked by listeners – and at **12.30pm** a special mix from DJ/producer Smokin Jo (Joanne Joseph), a fixture of the 1990s British dance music scene, notably Trade at the now-razed Turnmills in London.

1.00pm Craig Charles

4.00 Steve Lamacq

7.00 Music programme

9.00 Gideon Coe

12.00 New Music Fix
Music presenters each curate an hour of their favourite new music, starting with Steve Lamacq. At **1.00am** Mary Anne Hobbs, and at **2.00** Tom Ravenscroft. And at **3.00 New Album Fix**, followed at **4.00** by **New Music Fix Playlist**.
5.00 Chris Hawkins

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 **Freesat** 703 **Sky** 0103 **Virgin** 903
News and **weather** as Monday

6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.

9.00 Essential Classics With Georgia Mann.
9.30 Inspired by a piece of music played, listeners are invited to suggest works for broadcast at **10.45** in the **Playlist Reveal**.
10.10 Song of the Day.

12.00 Composer of the Week: Mozart *4/5.* **Doing the Right Thing.** Donald Macleod explores the themes of honour and duty in Mozart's operas *Don Giovanni*, *Lucio Silla*, *Mitridate, re di Ponto* and *La clemenza di Tito*.
Or sai che l'onore (Don Giovanni)
Donna Anna — **Diana Damrau** (soprano)
Mahler Chamber Orchestra, conductor Yannick Nézet-Seguin
Overture: Lucio Silla
Danish Radio Sinfonietta, conductor Adam Fischer
Dalla sponda tenebrosa; *E tollerare io posso*; *Il desio di vendetta (Lucio Silla)*
Giunia — **Simone Nold** (soprano)
Silla — **Lothar Odinius** (tenor)
Danish Radio Sinfonietta, conductor Adam Fischer
Lungi da te, mio bene (Mitridate, re di Ponto)
Sifare — **Miah Persson** (soprano)
Bengt Oleras (horn), Swedish Chamber Orchestra, conductor Sebastian Weigle
Come ti piaci imponi (La clemenza di Tito)
Sesto — **Bernarda Fink** (mezzo)
Vitellia — **Alexandrina Pendatchanska** (soprano)
Freiburg Baroque Orchestra, conductor René Jacobs
Deh per questo istante solo; *Ove s'intese mai piu contumace infedelta*; *Se all'impero, amici Dei (La clemenza di Tito)*
Sesto — **Bernarda Fink** (mezzo)
Tito — **Mark Padmore** (tenor)
Publio — **Sergio Foresti** (bass)
Freiburg Baroque Orchestra, conductor René Jacobs (R)

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
Presented by Fiona Talkington.
Alice Sara Ott (piano), Mari Samuelsen (violin), Dimitri Ashkenazy (clarinet), Alexey Stadler (cello)
Messiaen *Quartet for the End of Time* (R)

2.00 Afternoon Concert With Penny Gore.
Trad Surinamese Dutch, arr Steenbrink *Adonai*
Trad Dutch, arr Steenbrink *Sinte Mertensaus*
Netherlands Chamber Choir, Holland Baroque, Netherlands Bach Society, conductor Philipp Ahmann
Ramírez *Ballade to Martin Fierro*
Sérgio Assad *Valseana*
Tirao *Milonga de Don Taco* Anabel Montesinos (guitar)
Handel *Utrecht Jubilate, HWV279* Dorothee Mields (soprano), Alex Potter (countertenor), Christopher Ainslie (tenor), Nicholas Mogg (bass), Netherlands Chamber Choir, Holland Baroque, Netherlands Bach Society, conductor Philipp Ahmann
Haydn *Piano Trio in F sharp minor, H XV 26* Atos Trio
3.00 Tchaikovsky *Symphony No 5 in E minor*
Mozart *Piano Concerto No 21 in C, K467* Marie-Ange Nguci, Danish National SO, conductor Fabio Luisi
Handel *Utrecht Te Deum in D, HWV278* Dorothee Mields (soprano), Alex Potter (countertenor), Christopher Ainslie (tenor), Nicholas Mogg (bass), Netherlands Chamber Choir, Holland Baroque, Netherlands Bach Society, conductor Philipp Ahmann

5.00 In Tune Presented by Sean Rafferty.

7.00 In Tune Mixtape An inspired playlist.

7.30 Radio 3 in Concert
Recorded at City Halls, Glasgow, in December 2022. Presented by Kate Molleson.
BBCSSO, conductor Ilan Volkov
Xenakis *Atrées Debussy: Jeux*
8.05 Interval Kate Molleson introduces recent recordings to complement this evening's concert.
8.25 Ligeti *Ramifications*
Bartok *Music for strings, percussion and celesta*

10.00 Free Thinking
What do we lose when a language stops being spoken? John Gallagher is joined by researchers working to reclaim endangered languages.
Producer Luke Mulhall

10.45 The Essay: Art and Uncertainty *4/5.* **Are We Done?** Margaret Heffernan explores how art can help us deal with uncertainty in our lives. How does an artist know when a piece is finished – or more precisely, when they should stop work and launch it into the world? Heffernan is a writer and entrepreneur, author of the award-winning *Uncharted: How to Map the Future*. Here, she takes inspiration from artists who embrace uncertainty.

11.00 The Night Tracks Mix

11.30 Unclassified
Canadian violinist and composer Sarah Neufeld (Bell Orchestre) selects a piece that takes her places; and there's a chance to hear her own new solo work. Plus there's music from Lia Mazzari and Sarah Badr (FKRTL), as well as new ambient sounds to keep spirits alive in the cold wintry evenings. With Elizabeth Alker.

12.30am Through the Night With Catriona Young. **Gabrieli, arr Crees** *Canzon XIV* **Gabrieli** *Sonata No XIII for double brass quartet* **Françaix** *Quartet for flute, oboe, clarinet and bassoon* **Mozart** *Bassoon Concerto in B flat, K186* **Bologne** *Symphony No 1 in G* Fei Xie (bassoon), Minnesota Orchestra, conductor Osmo Vanska **1.20 Bach** *Sarabande (Cello Suite in G, BWV1007)* **1.23 Buxtehude** *Toccata in F, BuxWV156* **1.31 Papandopulo** *Croatian Mass in D minor, Op 86* **2.31 Strauss** *Sinfonia domestica, Op 53* **3.14 Mendelssohn** *Piano Trio No 2 in C minor, Op 66* **3.43 Bruckner** *Os justi (The Mouth of the Righteous)* **3.48 Schubert** *Impromptu in A flat, D899 No 4* **3.54 Andricu** *Sinfonietta No 13, Op 123* **4.02 Beethoven** *Seven Variations on Bei Männern, welche Liebe fühlen' WoO46* **4.11 Stenhammar** *September*; *In the Seraglio Garden*; *If I Had a Grandson* **4.17 Dowland** *The King of Denmark's Galliard* **4.20 Noskowski** *The Highlander's Fantasy, Op 17* **4.31 Arnold** *Little Suite No 1 for Brass Band, Op 80* **4.39 Prokofiev** *Piano Sonata No 3, Op 28* **4.47 Bach** *Cantata No 114: Wo wird in diesem Jammertale* **4.57 Glazunov** *Concert Waltz No 2 in F, Op 51* **5.06 Pylkkanen** *Suite for oboe and strings, Op 32* **5.14 Trabaci** *Two works for double harp* **5.24 Debussy** *String Quartet in G minor, Op 10* **5.50 Casella** *Sicilienne et burlesque, Op 23* **5.59 Grieg** *Piano Concerto in A minor, Op 16* (R)

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk

7.00am Charles Nove Music, a light look at the newspapers and features, including **Questions of the Day** and, from **9.00**, **Screen Time**.

10.00 Mark Forrest With music and features, including after **11.30** the **Scala Radio Book Club**, today with London author Jyoti Patel discussing her debut novel *The Things That We Lost*.

1.00pm Sam Hughes Popular classical works, including after **3.00 Sam's Matinée Moment**.

4.00 Penny Smith Scala's drive-time show.

7.00 Richard Allinson With music and features, including after **7.00** the latest classical releases, at **8.00** the **Scala Piano Playlist**.

10.00 The Space Soothing and calming music.
1.00am Night Music Nonstop classical music.
5.00 In the Park Calming and atmospheric sounds.

Absolute Radio

DAB absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 **F'sat** 724 **Sky** 0107 **Virgin** 915

6.00am Dave Berry 10.00 Leona Graham Mainstream and indie rock and pop **1.00pm Ben Burrell 4.00 Bush and Richie 7.00 Danielle Perry 10.00 Jay Lawrence 1.00am Dan Noble**

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM DAB classicfm.com
Freeview 731 **Freesat** 721 **Sky** 0106 **Virgin** 922

6.00am More Music Breakfast
Tim Lihoreau with music, news, financial updates and features, including the **Breakfast Serial** at **7.25** and the **School Run** at **8.15**.

9.00 Alexander Armstrong Classical hits, starting with the **Classic Hall of Fame Hour**, featuring favourite pieces voted into the current Classic FM Top 300. At **10.15 Album of the Week**.

12.00 Anne-Marie Minhall Including at **12.00 Classic FM Requests** – with listeners phoning in – and at **3.00 Hall of Fame**, with three works from the current Classic Hall of Fame chart.

4.00pm John Brunning Classic FM favourites, including the **Discovery of the Week** at **6.20**.

7.00 Smooth Classics
Zeb Soanes presents a playlist marked by calming classical music to help listeners relax and recharge, from Baroque masterworks to contemporary film music.

10.00 Smooth Classics With Margherita Taylor.
1.00am Bill Overton Music for late-night listening.
4.00 Lucy Coward Music and features, with half-hourly news and weather updates from **5.00**.

We'd love to hear your thoughts on this year's Christmas RadioTimes Let us know at radiotimes.com/RTXmasSurvey

BBC Radio 4

92.4–94.6 FM 198 LW DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4
Freeview 704 **Freesat** 704 (FM) 710 (LW)
Sky 0104 (FM) 0130 (LW) **Virgin** 904 (FM) 911 (LW)

News, weather and **shipping forecasts** as Tuesday

5.30am News Briefing
5.43 Prayer for the Day
A spiritual comment and prayer with Harry Baker.
5.45 Farming Today
Food, farming and the countryside.
5.58 Tweet of the Day
Dermot O'Leary talks about the sea eagle. (R)
6.00 Today
With Martha Kearney and Nick Robinson.
6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News
6.45 Yesterday in Parliament
7.48 Thought for the Day
With Akhandadhi Das.
8.31 *LW* **Yesterday in Parliament**
9.00 In Our Time
John Donne. The poet and scholar (1572–1631) is today's topic, with Melvyn Bragg joined by Hugh Adlington of Birmingham University, Mary Ann Lund of the University of Leicester, and Sue Wiseman of Birkbeck, University of London.
Producer Simon Tillotson Shortened repeat 9.30pm
9.45 *FM* **Book of the Week: Clubland**
4/5. The legendary Batley club was opened in 1967 by James Corrigan. He took his inspiration from Las Vegas and the following year Louis Armstrong was among the acts to play there. Pete Brown's book is read by the author. For details see Monday Rptd 12.30am
9.45 *LW* **Daily Service**
An act of worship led by the Rev Dr Isabelle Hamley, on the theme: Light in the Darkness – The Light of Hope. With a reading from Psalm 139, vv7–14, and a range of choral music.
10.00 Woman's Hour With Emma Barnett.
11.00 Crossing Continents
8/10. **Saving Mafia Children.** Southern Italy is home to some of Europe's most notorious and powerful criminal organisations – the Sicilian Mafia, the Camorra in Naples, and the Ndrangheta based in Calabria. But a judge in Sicily has come up with a radical plan to prevent young people becoming the next generation of mobsters. He's been taking children away from Mafia families – a policy that is now being considered by other countries around the world. Daniel Gordon reports. Repeated Monday 8.30pm
11.30 Edward Thomas and the Song of the Path
Musical and walking collaborators Robert Macfarlane and Johnny Flynn follow in the footsteps of the poet and singer Edward Thomas near his home at Steep in Hampshire, reciting and singing from his 1907 compilation *The Pocket Book of Poems and Songs for the Open Air.* Similarly inspired they also create a new song along the way.
Producer Julian May (R)
12.04pm You and Yours
Reports on consumer affairs.
12.30 Sliced Bread
2/13. Consumer show in which Greg Foot and his guests search for the scientific evidence behind a product's bold claims. Today's topic is shampoo.
Producer Simon Hoban Repeated Saturday 5.30pm
1.00 The World at One
Presented by Sarah Montague.
1.45 NatureBang
4/5. **Great Tits and Group Think**
Becky Ripley and Emily Knight continue their series in which they examine the science behind phenomena in the natural world and ask whether it can be applied to humans. The behaviour of great tits is their focus today.
For details see yesterday
2.00 The Archers
Repeated from yesterday 7pm
2.15 Nazis: the Road to Power
RT ***New series, 1/8.*** **I Can Speak.** A new scripted podcast exploring the Nazis' rise to power, starting the story towards the end of 1918, when the German people were starving and revolution was in the air. A 29-year-old army corporal was sent to report on fringe political parties in Munich. His name was Adolf Hitler – and so began the political ascent of the National Socialist Party. This is a story of bullish intransigence, highly effective propaganda, unbridled thuggery, fanatical racism and staggering luck.
3.00 Open Country
RT *14/16.* Helen Mark is in East Lothian in the south-east of Scotland to revel in the beauty of the winter landscape, meeting three artists – Darren Woodhead, James Craig, and Emily Hogarth. She visits one of the Dunbar beaches known locally as "Eye Cave Beach", and learns about the annual European Stone Stacking Championships. On her final stop, Helen travels north-west to the sweeping sands of Gullane beach, discovering that there's "nothing like winter in this part of Scotland to heighten her senses". Producer Beatrice Fenton Rptd Sat 6.07am
3.27 The Radio 4 Appeal
Repeated from Sunday 7.54am
3.30 Open Book
Repeated from Sunday 4pm
4.00 The Curious Cases of Rutherford and Fry
Repeated from Tuesday 11am
4.30 BBC Inside Science
The latest scientific research to make the news headlines, and how science is evolving to transform culture and affect lives.
Repeated 9pm
5.00 PM
Presented by Evan Davis.
6.00 Six o'Clock News
6.30 Fags, Mags and Bags
3/4. **Full Five Pencil Belter.** Comedy by and starring Sanjeev Kohli and Donald McLeary. Jemima Rocking-Horse, the new curator of the Lenzie House of Wax, is angry that Fags, Mags and Bags is taking their trade away.

Ramesh	**Sanjeev Kohli**	Bishop Briggs	**Michael Redmond**
Dave	**Donald McLeary**	Jemima Rocking-Horse	
Sanjay	**Omar Raza**		**Julie Wilson-Nimmo**
Alok	**Susheel Kumar**	Hilly	**Kate Brailsford**
Malcolm	**Mina Anwar**	BA Robertson	**Gavin Mitchell**

Producer Gus Beattie (R)
7.00 The Archers
Adam has an exciting idea, and yoga is very popular today. For cast see Fri Rptd tomorrow 2pm
7.15 Front Row
Tom Sutcliffe and guests review some of the week's top cultural picks, including *The Last of Us*, a TV series based on a classic video game. Producer Kirsty McQuire
8.00 The Briefing Room
8/15. David Aaronovitch and guests drill down into an issue in the news.
8.30 Scotland's Ships
Michael Buchanan returns to the island where he grew up, Barra in the Outer Hebrides, to find out what's been going wrong with the essential ferry service that links the community with the mainland.
Repeated Monday 11.30am
9.00 BBC Inside Science
Repeated from 4.30pm
9.30 In Our Time Shortened repeat from 9am
10.00 The World Tonight
With Razia Iqbal.
10.45 Book at Bedtime: Lessons in Chemistry
9/10. **Godless Heathen.** By Bonnie Garmus. Unlikely TV star Elizabeth Zott has caused an outcry after admitting that she doesn't believe in God. Meanwhile, her daughter is trying to find out more about her late father, the brilliant chemist Calvin Evans. Read by Julianna Jennings. For details see Monday
11.00 Unsafe Space
New series. 1/6. Following a pilot, *Unsafe Space* returns for a full series of stylistically fresh, provocative, unorthodox comedy and debate for the open-minded. This week, Andrew Doyle talks to Billy Bragg about cancel culture, with comedy from Rosie Wilby, Wilson Milton, Tadiwa Mahlunge, and Larry and Paul. And Simon Evans tackles "diversity and inclusion" with Marcus Ryder of the Sir Lenny Henry Centre for Media Diversity The producer is *The Skewer*'s Jon Holmes.
Producer Jon Holmes
11.30 Today in Parliament .
12.00 News and Weather
12.30–12.45am Book of the Week: Clubland *4/5.* Repeated from 9.45am (*FM only*)
1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC Radio 4 Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4extra
Freeview 708 **Freesat** 708 **Sky** 0126 **Virgin** 910
6.00am The Rivals as 4pm
6.30 The Singing Sands as 4.30pm
7.00 Machines like Me as 5pm
7.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad
7.30 To Hull and Back 2018 sitcom (2/4)
8.00 The Men from the Ministry Comedy
8.30 Simon's Bug Drama from 1989 (2/4)
9.00 The Unbelievable Truth Panel show (5/6)
9.30 Mary Wesley: the Vacillations of Poppy Carew Dramatisation of the 1986 novel (1/6)
10.00 Hawksmoor as 3pm
11.00 The Rivals as 4pm
11.30 The Singing Sands as 4.30pm
12.00 Machines Like Me as 5pm
12.15pm Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad
12.30 To Hull and Back 2018 sitcom (2/4)
1.00 The Men from the Ministry Comedy
1.30 Simon's Bug Drama from 1989 (2/4)
2.00 The Unbelievable Truth Comedy panel show chaired by David Mitchell, with Sindhu Vee, Susan Calman, Graeme Garden and Tony Hawk (5/6)
2.30 Mary Wesley: the Vacillations of Poppy Carew Dramatisation of the 1986 novel. With Matthew Morgan and Peter Whitman (1/6)
3.00 Hawksmoor Nick Fisher's adaptation of Peter Ackroyd's acclaimed 2000 novel *Foster* (2/2)
4.00 The Rivals Chris Harrald's dramatisation of Anna Katharine Green's mystery *The Intangible Clue*, starring Tim Pigott-Smith and Jeany Spark
4.30 The Singing Sands Josephine Tey's 1952 murder mystery thriller, published the year of her death. Read by Paul Young. From 2008 (3/4)
5.00 Machines like Me Ian McEwan's 2019 novel reimagining life and times in the 1980s (9/10)
5.15 Talking About Jane Austen in Baghdad Dramatisation by John Fletcher of Bee Rowlatt and May Witwit's work. From 2015 (4/5)
5.30 To Hull and Back Sitcom from 2018 (2/4)
6.00 The Men from the Ministry Satirical political comedy starring Deryck Guyler. From 1972
6.30 Simon's Bug Hywel Bennett and Alison Steadman star in Richard Quick's drama (2/4)
7.00 Jake Yapp's Unwinding Comedian and broadcaster Jake Yapp presents a new live show for January weekday evenings, featuring three hours of comedy, guests and games (9/20)
10.00–12.00 Comedy Club: Fags, Mags and Bags (2/4), at **10.30 The Remains of Foley and McColl** (2/4), at **11.00 Steven Appleby's Normal Life** (6/6), at **11.15 Sir Henry at Rawlinson End** (4/5), and at **11.30 Ladhood** (1/6)
12.00 Hawksmoor as 3pm **1.00am** as 4pm **1.30** as 4.30pm **2.00** as 5pm **2.15** as 5.15pm **2.30** as 5.30pm **3.00** as 6pm **3.30** as 6.30pm **4.00** as 2pm **4.30** as 2.30pm **5.00** as 3pm

BBC World Service

DAB bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio
Freeview* 710 **Freesat** 711 **Sky** 0115 **Virgin** 906
Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin
5.00am Newsday **8.00** News **8.05** The Inquiry **8.30** Business Daily **8.50** Witness History **9.00** The Newsroom **9.30** Assignment **10.00** News **10.05** The Forum **10.50** Sporting Witness **11.00** The Newsroom **11.30** The Food Chain **12.00** News **12.05pm** Outlook **12.50** Witness History **1.00** The Newsroom **1.30** Healthcheck **2.00** Newshour **3.00** News **3.05** The Inquiry: the trends, forces and ideas shaping the world **3.30** World Business Report: informed analysis **4.00** BBC OS **6.00** News **6.05** Outlook: perspectives on important issues **6.50** Witness History **7.00** The Newsroom **7.30** Sport Today **8.00** News **8.05** Assignment: BBC correspondents report **8.30** Science in Action **9.00** Newshour **10.00** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** World Business Report **11.00** News **11.05** The Inquiry **11.30** The Food Chain: the business, science and cultural significance of food **12.00** News **12.05am** The Forum **12.50** Sporting Witness **1.00** News **1.05** Business Matters **2.00** The Newsroom **2.30** World Football: reports from around the globe **3.00** News **3.05** Outlook **3.50** Witness History **4.00** The Newsroom **4.30** Heart and Soul: the world's main faiths

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW DAB bbc.co.uk/fivelive
F'view 705 **F'sat** 705 **Sky** 0105 **Virgin** 905
Sports Extra F'view 706 **F'sat** 706
Sky 0131 **Virgin** 908

News and **sport** as Monday
5.00am Wake Up to Money
6.00 5 Live Breakfast With Rachel Burden and Rick Edwards.
9.00 Nicky Campbell
11.00 Adrian Chiles
Weekly topical show with input from guests and listeners.
1.00pm Nihal Arthanayake
4.00 5 Live Drive
Tony Livesey and Clare McDonnell with a round-up of news and sport.
7.00 5 Live Sport
Sports news with Eleanor Oldroyd, with at **8.00** Gigi Salmon's Australian Open tennis preview, followed at **9.00** by **Euro Leagues** with Steve Crossman. Plus Premier League updates from Fulham v Chelsea at Craven Cottage.
10.00 Colin Murray
Discussion and debate, including at **11.00 Our Ukrainian Radio Family** – with reports from three Ukrainian listeners whose lives the show has followed since the start of the war – and at **12.00 Midnight Mixtape**, featuring a curated playlist with a chance for listeners to make suggestions.
1.00am Dotun Adebayo

BBC 5 Sports Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/sports extra
F'view 706 **F'sat** 706 **Sky** 0131 **Virgin** 908

2.15am–8.10am Cricket
Australia v South Africa in their first one-day international, live from the Bellerive Oval, Hobart, in Tasmania.
8.120am–11.30am Cricket
Melbourne Stars v Adelaide Strikers in the Big Bash.

Talksport

1053, 1089 MW DAB talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 **F'sat** 731 **Sky** 0108 **Virgin** 927

6.00am Sports Breakfast
10.00 Jim White and Simon Jordan Sporting insight.
1.00pm Hawksbee and Baker
4.00 Drive
7.00 Kick Off Fulham v Chelsea in the Premier League (kick-off **8.00**).
10.00 Sports Bar
1.00am Extra Time
5.00 Early Breakfast

Talksport 2

DAB talksport.co.uk
1.00pm–4.00 Racing
From Bangor-on-Dee.
10.00pm–3.30am PGA Tour Golf Sony Open in Hawaii.

LBC

97.3 FM (London area) DAB lbc.co.uk
F'view 732 **F'sat** 734 **Sky** 0123 **Virgin** 919
7.00am Nick Ferrari 10.00 James O'Brien 1.00pm Shelagh Fogarty 4.00 Tom Swarbrick 6.00 Andrew Marr 7.00 Iain Dale 10.00 Ian Payne 1.00am Darren Adam 4.00 Steve Allen

Asian Network

DAB bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 **F'sat** 709 **Sky** 0119 **Virgin** 912
5.00am Asian Network News Presents 6.00 Asian Network Beats 7.00 Nikita Kanda 10.00 Certified 11.00 Smash Bengali 2.00pm Certified Throwbacks 3.00 Ankur Desai 6.00 AJD 8.00 DJ Nish 10.00 Club Hit Squad Mix 11.00 Shisha Lounge Mix 12.00 Love Friday Mix 1.00am DJ Limelight and Kan D Man 4.00 Ankur Desai

*Not available on Freeview in Scotland 4pm–1am. **Key** (R) Repeat

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FRIDAY Radio

Today's Choices

NIRAH SANGHANI/ENO

Radio 3 in Concert
7.00pm ***Radio 3***

Premiered before a stuffed-shirt audience at a Covent Garden gala celebrating the 1953 Coronation, Benjamin Britten's *Gloriana* – recounting the ill-fated flirtation between the ageing Queen Elizabeth I and the hot-headed young Earl of Essex – was generally thought at the time to be a duff choice of operatic dish to set before a new young Queen. Given its status as Britten's most resounding flop, it might seem an even worse choice for English National Opera to have served up last month as a tribute to her late Majesty. Then again, since it was ENO that triumphantly resurrected the piece in 1966, it's a timely reminder of all the good work this endangered company has done. Christine Rice (above) sings Elizabeth in what *The Guardian* deemed "an exceptionally fine evening".

MARK PAPPENHEIM

Screenshot
7.15pm ***Radio 4***

The new film *Tár*, reaching cinemas around now, has given Cate Blanchett what critics are already calling the role of her career. She plays a fictional star conductor, a true artist who is brilliant on the podium but not so admirable in her personal life. The film also gives presenters Ellen E Jones and Mark Kermode the theme for this week's movie magazine programme. As well as hearing from *Tár* director Todd Field, they talk to actor and director Nick Moran about his 2008 film *Telstar*, which tells the story of Joe Meek, the tortured record producer and songwriter who created some of the most enduring hits of the 60s before throwing his career away in bouts of self-destruction.

FIONA HUGHES

BBC Radio 1

97.6–99.8 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio1
F'view* 700 **F'sat** 700 **Sky** 0101 **Virgin** 901

6.30am Radio 1's Best New Pop
7.00 Greg James
10.30 Katie Thistleton
1.00pm Matt and Jamie
4.00 The Official Chart on Radio 1
6.00 Radio 1's Dance Party
8.00 Radio 1's Future Dance
10.00 Pete Tong Club sounds.
12.00 Radio 1's Essential Mix
2.00am Radio 1 Dance Presents
3.00 Danny Howard
4.00 Wind Down Presents
5.00 Radio 1 Relax

BBC Radio 2

88–90.2 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio2
F'view* 702 **F'sat** 702 **Sky** 0102 **Virgin** 902

6.30am Zoe Ball
Upbeat show with chat, phone-ins and texts, regular features and music, with chart oldies and tracks from Radio 2's current playlist. Plus big-name guests.

9.30 Ken Bruce
Music, chat and features including after **11.30 Tracks of My Years**, with the final two picks of this week's guest, Sara Pascoe.

12.00 Jeremy Vine
Current affairs chat.

2.00pm Scott Mills
Including at **3.30** the nostalgic music half-hour feature **Scott Mills's Wonder Years**, with one track each from successive years, but going backwards.

4.00 Sara Cox

7.00 Michelle Visage
With "tunes that make you feel good", including disco, dance, pop, neo-R&B bangers and, at **8.30**, **Handbag Hits** – a themed mix of classic party tracks.

9.00 The Good Groove
With DJ Spoony, starting with the half-hour **90s Party Mix**. Plus the **Rewind Selector** – featuring a special guest with a nostalgic pick of tracks and clubbing anecdotes – and at **10.40** the **Deeper Cuts Mix**.

11.00 The Rock Show
With Johnnie Walker.

12.00 Music programme

2.00am Radio 2 Unwinds with Angela Griffin
Featuring music by Dionne Warwick, Janet Jackson and Prince.

3.00 Music programme
4.00 Sophie Ellis-Bextor's Kitchen Disco Uplifting disco tunes.
5.00 Radio 2 in Concert
A BBC archive live performance. (R)

BBC 6 Music

DAB bbc.co.uk/6music
Freeview 707 **Freesat** 707 **Sky** 0120 **Virgin** 909

7.30am Lauren Laverne
Chat, music and features, including at **9.00–9.30** the **Desert Island Disco**, with a playlist showcasing a particular dance genre.

10.30 Mary Anne Hobbs
New music, including at **12.00** the half-hour **Friday Guest Mix**.

1.00pm Craig Charles

4.00 Steve Lamacq
Including the **Friday Free for All**.

7.00 The People's Party with Afrodeutsche
A celebration of the end of the week, with input from listeners.

9.00 Tom Ravenscroft
Global sounds, including at **11.00 The Ravers Hour**, with a 30-minute mix by a guest, then one by Tom.

12.00 6 Music's Indie Forever
1.00am 6 Music's Emo Forever
2.00 Focus Beats
4.00 Ambient Focus

BBC Radio 3

90.2–92.4 FM DAB bbc.co.uk/radio3
Freeview* 703 **Freesat** 703 **Sky** 0103 **Virgin** 903
News and **weather** as Monday

6.30am Breakfast With Petroc Trelawny.

9.00 Essential Classics With Georgia Mann.

12.00 Composer of the Week: Mozart
***5/5.* Stirring the Pot.** The Queen of the Night has a fit of vengeful rage. Presented by Donald Macleod.
Mozart *Der Hölle Rache kocht in meinem Herzen (Die Zauberflöte)*
Queen of the Night — **Erika Miklosa** (soprano)
Mahler CO, conductor Claudio Abbado
Solche hergelaufne Laffen (Die Entführung aus dem Serail)
Osmin — **Alan Ewing** (bass)
Les Arts Florissants, director William Christie
La vendetta oh! la vendetta; Via, resti servita, madame brilliante (Le nozze di Figaro)
Bartolo — **Kurt Moll** (bass)
Marcellina — **Jane Barbié** (mezzo)
Susanna — **Lucia Popp** (soprano)
LPO, conductor Georg Solti
Ha vinto amore; D'Oreste, d'Aiace(Idomeneo)
La voce — **Luca Tittoto** (bass)
Idomeneo — **Richard Croft** (tenor)
Idamante — **Bernarda Fink** (mezzo)
Ilia — **Sunhae Im** (soprano)
Arbace — **Kenneth Tarver** (tenor)
Elettra — **Alexandrina Pendatchanska** (soprano)
Freiburg Baroque Orchestra, conductor René Jacobs
Wie stark ist nicht dein Zauberton; Es lebe Sarastro! Sarastro soll leben! (Die Zauberflöte)
Tamino — **Christoph Strehl** (tenor)
Pamina — **Dorothea Röschmann** (soprano)
Papageno — **Hanno Müller-Brachmann** (bass baritone)
Monostatos — **Kurt Azesberger** (tenor)
Sarastro — **René Pape** (bass)
Actors/Slaves — **Matthias Bernhold, Martin Olbertz, Tobias Beyer**
Arnold Schoenberg Choir, Mahler Chamber Orchestra, conductor Claudio Abbado (R)

1.00pm Radio 3 Lunchtime Concert
Fiona Talkington concludes a week of performances by German-Japanese pianist Alice Sara Ott.
Alice Sara Ott and Francesco Tristano (pianos)
Ravel *La valse*
Francesco Tristano *Yoyogi Reset*
Satie *Gnossienne No 1*
Francesco Tristano *Pastoral (2016)*
Satie *Gnossienne No 3*
Francesco Tristano *La Franciscana (2014)*
Ravel *Bolero* (R)

2.00 Afternoon Concert With Penny Gore. With highlights from last year's Salzburg Festival.
Villa-Lobos *Guitar Prelude No 5 in D*
Paulo Bellinati *Um amor de valsa*
Anabel Montesinos (guitar)
Mendelssohn *Hear My Prayer*
Jennifer Adams-Barbaro (soprano), BBC Singers, BBC Concert Orchestra, conductor Stephen Cleobury
Bach *Chaconne (Partita No 2 in D minor, BWV1004)*
Anabel Montesinos (guitar)
J Strauss *Radetzky March*
BBC Concert Orchestra, conductor Bramwell Tovey
Haydn *Piano Trio in E, H XV 28* Atos Trio

3.00 Tchaikovsky *Symphony No 6 in B minor (Pathétique)* Vienna Philharmonic/Riccardo Muti
Lauro *El marabino* Anabel Montesinos (guitar)
Boito *Prologue (Mefistofele)* Ildar Abdrazakov (bass), Salzburg Festival and Theatre Children's Choir, Vienna State Opera Chorus Concert Association, Vienna Philharmonic/Riccardo Muti

4.30 The Listening Service Rptd from Sun 5pm

5.00 In Tune
Sean Rafferty presents news, views and interviews.

7.00 Radio 3 in Concert
RT In tribute to Queen Elizabeth II, English National Opera presents a concert staging of Britten's *Gloriana* (1953). Recorded in December at the Coliseum, London, presented by Martin Handley.
Britten *Gloriana*
Queen Elizabeth I — **Christine Rice** (soprano)
Robert Devereux, Earl of Essex — **Robert Murray** (tenor)
Frances, Countess of Essex — **Paula Murrihy** (mezzo)
Charles Blount, Lord Mountjoy — **Duncan Rock** (baritone)
Penelope (Lady Rich) — **Eleanor Dennis** (soprano)
Sir Robert Cecil — **Charles Rice** (baritone)
Sir Walter Raleigh — **David Soar** (bass)
Henry Cuffe — **Alex Otterburn** (baritone)
A Lady-in-Waiting — **Alexandra Oomens** (soprano)
A Housewife — **Claire Barnett Jones** (mezzo)
The Spirit of the Masque — **Innocent Masuku** (tenor)
A Blind Ballad-Singer/The Recorder of Norwich — **Willard White** (bass)
English National Opera Chorus and Orchestra, conductor Martyn Brabbins

10.00 The Verb
Ian McMillan and his guests explore the life breath of poetry and story. With Stephen Watts, Emma Carroll, James Nestor and Daisy Lafarge.

10.45 The Essay: Art and Uncertainty
***5/5.* Prepared Minds.** Margaret Heffernan discusses uncertainty as a necessary part of the creative process, a catalyst that can help us find ways of meeting the challenges of the future.

11.00 Late Junction
Verity Sharp gets lost in a world of sound, exploring Hannibal Chew III's sonic dreamscape pieced together from memories of a trip to Borneo.

1.00am Composed with Emeli Sandé Emeli Sandé explores music to escape to, featuring classical, pop and more, with Philip Glass, Jessie Ware and Khruangbin. (R)

2.00 Piano Flow with Tokio Myers Soothing music, featuring classical pieces by Chopin and Rachmaninov alongside tracks by Beyoncé, Rob Costlow and Muse. (R)

3.00 Through the Night With Danielle Jalowiecka.
Shostakovich *Festive Overture, Op 96* **Tchaikovsky** *Piano Concerto No 1 in B flat minor* **Ciortea** *Romanian Dance* **Mussorgsky, orch Ravel** *Pictures at an Exhibition* Alexandra Dariescu (piano), Auckland Philharmonia Orchestra, conductor Giordano Bellincampi
4.19 Hartmann *Deux pièces caractéristiques, Op 25*
4.33 Shostakovich *Piano Trio No 2, Op 67*
5.01 Castello *Sonata No 4 for 2 violins and continuo*
5.09 Mendelssohn *Prelude and Fugue in E minor, Op 35 No 1* **5.18 Schumann** *Nachtlied* **5.29 Pylkkanen** *Little Suite, Op 32* **5.38 Khachaturian** *Adagio of Spartacus and Phrygia (Spartacus)* **5.47 Rachmaninov** *When Night Descends in Silence; Oh Stop Thy Singing, Maiden Fair* **5.56 Brahms** *Clarinet Trio in A minor, Op 114* **6.20 Nigel Westlake** *Winter in the Forgotten Valley* **6.33 Mozart** *Piano Concerto No 12 in A, K414*

Scala Radio

DAB scalaradio.co.uk

7.00am Charles Nove Music, a light look at the newspapers and features, including **Questions of the Day** and, from **9.00**, **Screen Time**.

10.00 Mark Forrest Music and features.

1.00pm Sam Hughes Popular classical works.

4.00 Penny Smith Scala's drive-time show with music features, including at **5.30** the **Clocking Off** track and, just before **7.00**, the **Showstoppers**.

7.00 Classical Bangers Darren Redick with an upbeat playlist to start the weekend.

10.00 The Space Soothing and calming music.
1.00am Night Music 5.00 In the Park

Absolute Radio

DAB absoluteradio.co.uk
F'view 727 **F'sat** 724 **Sky** 0107 **Virgin** 915

6.00am Dave Berry 10.00 Leona Graham
1.00pm Ben Burrell Hard rock, indie pop and everything in between **4.00 Bush and Richie**
7.00 Absolute 80s Greatest Hits Claire Sturgess with music from the decade of New Order, the Jam, Tears for Fears, Depeche Mode, Pixies and Kate Bush
10.00 Sophie K 4.00am Ross Buchanan

Classic FM

99.9–101.9 FM DAB classicfm.com
Freeview 731 **Freesat** 721 **Sky** 0106 **Virgin** 922

6.00am More Music Breakfast
Tim Lihoreau with music, news, financial updates and features, including the **Breakfast Serial** at **7.25** and the **School Run** at **8.15**.

9.00 Alexander Armstrong
Classical hits, starting with the **Classic Hall of Fame Hour**, featuring favourite pieces voted into the current Classic FM Top 300.

12.00 Anne-Marie Minhall Including at **12.00 Classic FM Requests** – with listeners phoning in – and at **3.00 Hall of Fame**, with three works from the current Classic Hall of Fame chart.

4.00pm John Brunning Classic FM favourites, including the **Discovery of the Week** at **6.20**.

7.00 Smooth Classics
Zeb Soanes presents a playlist marked by potentially calming classical music to help listeners relax and recharge, from Baroque masterworks to contemporary film music.

10.00 Smooth Classics With Margherita Taylor.
1.00am Katie Breathwick Classic FM favourites.
4.00 Sam Pittis With Classic FM favourites, from Baroque and classical to Romantic masterworks.

RT NEW YEAR BOOK OFFER* *Taskmaster: 220 Extraordinary Tasks for Ordinary People* See p28
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News, weather and **shipping forecasts** as Tuesday

5.30am News Briefing

5.43 Prayer for the Day
A spiritual comment, with Harry Baker.

5.45 Farming Today
News about food, farming and the countryside.

5.58 Tweet of the Day
Orcadian writer Amy Liptrot reflects on the greylag goose on Orkney, where seemingly no car journey can be completed without seeing a field of geese. (R)

6.00 Today
With Nick Robinson and Amol Rajan.

6.25, 7.25, 8.25 Sports News

6.45 Yesterday in Parliament

7.48 Thought for the Day
With the Venerable Liz Adekunle.

8.31 *LW* **Yesterday in Parliament**
Update on the latest political proceedings

9.00 Desert Island Discs
Repeated from Sunday 11.15am

9.45 *FM* **Book of the Week: Clubland**
5/5. Pete Brown's convivial guide through the intoxicating history of the working men's club. He concludes with the story of Sheila Capstick, who realised that when the club committee could stop her playing snooker with her father, it was time to launch the campaign for equal membership rights. Read by the author. For details see Mon Rptd 12.30am

9.45 *LW* **Daily Service**
Led by Leslie Griffiths. Matthew 5, vv13–16. Thou Whose Almighty Word, sung by Cambrensis; Holy Is the True Light (Richard Harris), sung by Chichester Cathedral Choir; Sometimes a Light Surprises, sung by St Michael's Singers.

10.00 Woman's Hour
Presented by Anita Rani.

11.00 In Dark Corners
Repeated from Monday 8pm

11.30 Thanks a Lot, Milton Jones!
2/6. **The Genealogist.** Comedy by Milton Jones, James Cary and Dan Evans. Mention Milton Jones to most people and the first thing they think is "Help!". Each week, Milton and his trusty assistant Anton set out to help people and soon find they're embroiled in a new adventure. Because when you're close to the edge, then Milton can give you a push..
Himself **Milton Jones** **Josie Lawrence**
Anton **Tom Goodman-Hill** **Ben Willbond**
Producer/Director David Tyler (R)

12.04pm AntiSocial
New series. 1/12. Adam Fleming investigates an issue of the day, taking something that's being fiercely debated – from social media and blogs to talk shows and phone-ins.
Producer Lucy Proctor; Executive producer Emma Rippon

1.00 The World at One
With Johnny Dymond.

1.45 NatureBang
5/5. **Frozen Frogs and Preserved People**
Becky Ripley and Emily Knight conclude their series in which they examine the science behind phenomena in the natural world and ask whether it can be applied to humans. Today: early March is breeding season for the North American wood frog. They are frisky because they've just thawed out having spent the winter not just in hibernation, but frozen at minus 18 degrees centigrade. How do they do it, and still survive? And what can we learn from their frozen ways?
For details see Monday

2.00 The Archers
Repeated from yesterday 7pm

2.15 Drama: Tom Clancy's Splinter Cell: Firewall
7/8. By James Swallow. Veteran Fourth Echelon agent Sam Fisher has a new mission recruiting and training the next generation of Splinter Cell operatives for the National Security Agency's covert action division. But when a lethal assassin from Fisher's past returns from the dead, he is thrust into a race against time as a sinister threat to global security is revealed. All episodes are available on BBC Sounds.
Sam Fisher **Andonis Anthony** Stone **Mihai Arsene**
Sarah Fisher **Daisy Head** Andriy Kobin/Chef Jean Claude
Anna Grímsdóttir **Rosalie Craig** **Riad Richie**
Charlie Cole **Sacha Dhawan** Eighteen **Olga Fedori**
Brody Teague **Will Poulter** Guard/Killer **Roger Ringrose**
Samir Patel **Nikesh Patel**
Producers Lorna Newman, Jessica Mitic and Nadia Molinari
Director Nadia Molinari

2.45 Understand: the Economy
2/10. **Interest Rates and Mortgage Rates**
Tim Harford explains why high-street banks need to charge customers interest when they borrow money, and why the Bank of England might adjust interest rates.
Producer Phoebe Keane; Editor Clare Fordham (R)

3.00 Gardeners' Question Time
Experts answer listeners' queries about all aspects of horticulture. Repeated Sunday 2pm

3.45 Short Works
Says Himself, by Sue Divin. A mother plans to help her son through a stressful week by sticking to their routine. Read by the author.
Producer Michael Shannon Repeated tomorrow 12.30am

4.00 Last Word
Matthew Bannister celebrates the lives of notable people who have recently died.
Producer Neil George Repeated Sunday 8.30pm

4.30 More or Less
Repeated from Wednesday 9am Repeated Sunday 8pm

5.00 PM With Carolyn Quinn.

6.00 Six o'Clock News

6.30 The News Quiz
3/11. Andy Zaltzman chairs, with a panel of Lucy Porter, Ian Smith, Ayesha Hazarika and Ivo Graham.
Producer Georgia Keating Repeated tomorrow 12.30pm

7.00 The Archers
Kirsty looks forward to a cold dip, and will Susan's gamble pay off?
Pat Archer **Patricia Gallimore** Alistair Lloyd **Michael Lumsden**
Tom Archer **William Troughton** Jim Lloyd **John Rowe**
Lilian Bellamy **Sunny Ormonde** Kate Madikane **Perdita Avery**
Susan Carter **Charlotte Martin** Adam Macy **Andrew Wincott**
Justin Elliott **Simon Williams** Jazzer McCreary **Ryan Kelly**
Alan Franks **John Telfer** Kirsty Miller **Annabelle Dowler**
Rex Fairbrother **Nick Barber** Erik **Steven Hartley**
Joy Horville **Jackie Lye**
Writer Katie Hims; Director Julie Beckett
Editor Jeremy Howe

7.15 Screenshot
RT ***6/9.*** **Genius on Screen.** Ellen E Jones and Mark Kermode explore how genius is portrayed on-screen – and celebrated off-screen. Mark speaks to director Nick Moran about his 2008 film *Telstar: the Joe Meek Story*, which focused on another problematic musical genius. Ellen looks at "Egots" – the extraordinary performers who have won an Emmy, a Grammy, an Oscar and a Tony – speaking to Egot winner Whoopi Goldberg.
Producer Jane Long

8.00 Any Questions?
Alex Forsyth chairs the political forum in which an audience canvasses the opinions of four leading figures. Tonight the venue is Newport Cathedral, with a panel of David TC Davies MP, Vaughan Gething MS, Delyth Jewell MS, and Sir Ian Diamond.
Producer Camellia Sinclair Repeated tomorrow 1.10pm

8.50 A Point of View
A reflection on a topical issue. Rptd Sun 8.48am

9.00 Reith Lectures 2022: Freedom of Speech
2/4. **Freedom of Worship.** In a session recorded at Swansea University, former Archbishop of Canterbury Rowan Williams argues that for religious believers, freedom of worship must mean the freedom to express conviction, not just the freedom to meet. Presented by Anita Anand.
Producer Jim Frank (R)

10.00 The World Tonight
With James Menendez.

10.45 Book at Bedtime: Lessons in Chemistry
10/10. By Bonnie Garmus. Elizabeth Zott's cooking revolution reaches its peak, and she makes an unexpected return to her beloved chemistry. Read by Julianna Jennings.
For details see Monday

11.00 Americast
Justin Webb, Sarah Smith and Anthony "The Zurch" Zurcher explore the cultural and social stories that define political debate in the US.

11.30 Today in Parliament

12.00 News and Weather

12.30–12.45am Book of the Week: Clubland ***5/5.*** Repeated from 9.45am (*FM only*)

1.00 as BBC World Service

BBC Radio 4 Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/radio4extra
Freeview 708 **Freesat** 708 **Sky** 0126 **Virgin** 910
6.00am The Rivals as 4pm
6.30 The Singing Sands as 4.30pm
7.00 Machines like Me as 5pm
7.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad
7.30 Ellie Taylor's Safe Space From 2021 (2/4)
8.00 Parsley Sidings 1971 sitcom
8.30 Bristow 2000 comedy (3/4)
9.00 The Museum of Curiosity Panel show (1/6)
9.30 Millport Bittersweet comedy. From 2002 (3/6)
10.00 There Are Such Things as 3pm
11.00 The Rivals as 4pm
11.30 The Singing Sands as 4.30pm
12.00 Machines like Me as 5pm
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2.00 The Museum of Curiosity Panel show (1/6)
2.30 Millport Lynn Ferguson stars in her bittersweet comedy set on an island on the west coast of Scotland. From 2002 (3/6)
3.00 There Are Such Things Dramatisation of the making of the 1931 classic *Frankenstein*
4.00 The Rivals Chris Harrald's dramatisation of Ernest Bramah's mystery *The Game Played in the Dark*, starring Tim Pigott-Smith
4.30 The Singing Sands Josephine Tey's 1952 murder mystery thriller. Read by Paul Young (4/4)
5.00 Machines like Me Ian McEwan's 2019 novel reimagining life and times in the 1980s (10/10)
5.15 Talking about Jane Austen in Baghdad Dramatisation by John Fletcher of Bee Rowlatt and May Witwit's work. With Fenella Woolgar (5/5)
5.30 Ellie Taylor's Safe Space The stand-up comedian shares her opinions on a variety of topics. Series two. From 2021 (2/4)
6.00 Parsley Sidings Sitcom by Jim Eldridge, starring Arthur Lowe, Ian Lavender and Kenneth Connor. Series one. From 1971 (7/10)
6.30 Bristow Comedy based on Frank Dickens's cartoon strip. With Michael Williams and Rodney Bewes. Series three. From 2000 (3/4)
7.00 Jake Yapp's Unwinding Comedian and broadcaster Jake Yapp presents a new live show for January weekday evenings, featuring three hours of comedy, guests and games (10/20)
10.00–12.00 Comedy Club: The Confessional (5/6), at **10.30 Beauty of Britain** (3/6), at **11.00 Lewis Macleod Is Not Himself** (2/4), and at **11.30 James Acaster's Perfect Sounds**
12.00 Doctor Who: the War Doctor (5/12)
1.00am There Are Such Things as 3pm
2.00 as 4pm **2.30** as 4.30pm **3.00** as 5pm **3.15** as 5.15pm **3.30** as 5.30pm **4.00** as 6pm **4.30** as 1.30pm **5.00** as 2pm **5.30** as 2.30pm

BBC World Service

DAB bbc.co.uk/worldserviceradio
Freeview* 710 **Freesat** 711 **Sky** 0115 **Virgin** 906
Programmes may differ online, and on Freesat, Sky, and Virgin
5.00am Newsday **8.00** News **8.05** Hardtalk **8.30** Business Daily **8.50** Witness History **9.00** The Newsroom **9.30** Tech Tent: The latest stories in the tech world **10.00** News **10.05** The Real Story **11.00** The Newsroom **11.30** World Football: Reports from around the globe **12.00** News **12.05pm** The Fifth Floor **12.50** Witness History **1.00** The Newsroom **1.30** Science in Action: Science and technology news **2.00** Newshour **3.00** News **3.05** Hardtalk **3.30** World Business Report **4.00** BBC OS **6.00** News **6.05** The Fifth Floor: The week's global stories **6.50** Witness History **7.00** The Newsroom **7.30** Sport Today **8.00** News **8.05** Tech Tent **8.30** Crowd Science: Questions about life, Earth and the universe are presented to researchers hunting for answers at the frontiers of knowledge **9.00** Newshour **10.00** The Newsroom **10.20** Sports News **10.30** World Business Report **11.00** News **11.05** Hardtalk **11.30** World Football **12.00** News **12.05am** The Real Story: Global experts and decision-makers discuss, debate and analyse a key news story **1.00** News **1.05** Business Matters **2.00** The Newsroom **2.30** Stumped: Weekly cricket show **3.00** News **3.05** The Fifth Floor **3.50** Witness History **4.00** News **4.05** The Real Story

BBC Radio 5 Live

693, 909 MW DAB bbc.co.uk/fivelive
F'view 705 **F'sat** 705 **Sky** 0105 **Virgin** 905
Sports Extra F'view 706 **F'sat** 706
Sky 0131 **Virgin** 908

News and **sport** as Monday

5.00am Wake Up to Money
Financial news stories.

6.00 5 Live Breakfast With Rachel Burden and Rick Edwards.

9.00 Nicky Campbell

11.00 Chiles on Friday
A good- humoured weekly show.

1.00pm Fantasy 6-0-6
With Chris Sutton and Alistair Bruce-Ball.

2.00 Elis James and John Robins Myriad cultural issues.

4.00 5 Live Drive
Tony Livesey and Clare McDonnell with a round-up of the day's latest news and sport.

7.00 5 Live Sport
Sports news and features, including at **7.00 The Friday Football Social**, with previews of the weekend's football matches, plus updates from Aston Villa v Leeds United.

10.00 Stephen Nolan
Discussion on vital topical issues.

1.00am Edward Adoo

BBC 5 Sports Extra

DAB bbc.co.uk/sports extra
F'view 706 **F'sat** 706 **Sky** 0131 **Virgin** 908

7.25am–10.30am Cricket
Sydney Thunder v Perth Scorchers in the Big Bash.

7.30pm–10.00pm Rugby Union
Clermont Auvergne v Leicester Tigers in the Heineken Cup.

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Talksport

1053, 1089 MW DAB talksport.co.uk
F'view 723 **F'sat** 731 **Sky** 0108 **Virgin** 927

6.00am Sports Breakfast
10.00 Jim White and Simon Jordan Sporting insight.
1.00pm Hawksbee and Jacobs
4.00 Drive
7.00 Kick-Off Aston Villa v Leeds United (kick-off **8.00**).
10.00 Sports Bar
1.00am Extra Time

Talksport 2

DAB talksport.co.uk

1.00pm–3.00 Racing
From Sedgefield.

10.00pm–3.30am PGA Tour Golf Sony Open in Hawaii.

LBC

97.3 FM (London area) DAB lbc.co.uk
F'view 732 **F'sat** 734 **Sky** 0123 **Virgin** 919
7.00am Nick Ferrari 10.00 James O'Brien 1.00pm Shelagh Fogarty 4.00 Tom Swarbrick 6.00 Lewis Goodall 9.00 The Consumer Hour 10.00 Nick Abbot 1.00am Clive Bull 4.00 Richard Spurr

Asian Network

DAB bbc.co.uk/asiannetwork
F'view 709 **F'sat** 709 **Sky** 0119 **Virgin** 912
5.00am Asian Network Beats
6.00 Asian Network Fresh
7.00 Nikita Kanda 10.00 Asian Network Certified 11.00 Smash Bengali 2.00pm Certified Throwbacks 3.00 The Official Asian Music Chart 6.00 Panjabi Hit Squad 9.00 DJ Limelight and Kan D Man 12.00 Desi Dancefloor Mix 1.00am Pure Spice with DJ Manara 4.00 Asian Network Fresh

*Not available on Freeview in Scotland 4pm–1am. **Key** (R) Repeat

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BBC Local Radio

All England regions

Face behind the voice Dave Berry Absolute Radio

Current job Presenter of the Absolute Radio breakfast show (weekdays, 6am–10am). "We have music from the 60s to the Noughties."

CV A Londoner, he left school to work in a vintage clothing shop in Greenwich. He was also briefly a model. In 2001 he was asked to audition for Nickelodeon's *N-List*. He later found out that he got the job because "I was the only one who looked the puppets in the eye". The show won a Bafta nomination. Between 2002 and 2007 he presented the MTV show *TRL UK*, fronted the MTV Europe Music Awards, hosted Channel 4 quiz *The Deadly Knowledge Show* ("It was called a cult show, which I now know means not a lot of people watched it.") and *CD:UK* for ITV.

In 2007 he presented *Take Away My Takeaway* for Channel 4: "That was great. I surprised young people on their doorsteps, then sent them to the country of origin of their favourite takeaway."

His radio debut was on Capital Radio's Saturday afternoon show in 2007. "My love for this wonderful, wonderful medium is born out of hosting that show." He then moved to XFM (now Radio X) in the drive-time slot. Then 2008–17 he presented *The Hot Desk* for ITV2 and was a panellist on *Celebrity Juice* (ITV). He returned to Capital in 2017: "I grabbed it with both hands and loved every minute." He joined Absolute Radio in 2017.

Dave Berry's Doctor Next Door podcast features his neighbour, Dr Neil Srinivasan. "If you'd like to hear me messing about with one of the world's leading cardiologists, it's the podcast for you."

Social media – yes or no? "I haven't been enjoying Twitter for quite a while now. Most recently, with Elon's antics, it looks like it's going to go down a dark hole. But I find Instagram a really nice place to interact with listeners. And I've just joined TikTok. But I can assure you I won't be doing any dancing."

Best moments "A really great moment from this year would be winning the Radio Academy award for Best Breakfast Show."

First radio memory "Sitting in the back of my parents' Ford Sierra, on one of those impossibly long road trips, listening to the cricket commentary on the radio – which is why to this day I can't stand cricket."

Favourite broadcasters "*Last Week Tonight* with John Oliver – I always come away knowing more about a niche but important topic. I also have the honour of working with Matt Dyson, one of the world's nicest human beings – you need a calm, hirsute individual opposite you."

Ambition/Dream job "Now you mention it, I want to bring back *Take Away My Takeaway*…! But something I would like to do is take this programme to the States."

Secret skills "I can play the *Pink Panther* theme on the clarinet. (I love this question. I'm going to plagiarise it for my show. But I'll always give *Radio Times* full credit…)" **DAVID MCGILLIVRAY**

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Berkshire

Saturday
6am Bridgitte Tetteh **10.00** Kirsten O'Brien **12.00** Sport **6pm** Stereo Underground **8.00** Introducing **9.00** Bridgitte Tetteh **10.00–1am** Alex Dyke

Sunday
6am Bridgitte Tetteh **10.00** Morning Show **2pm** Andy Jones **6.00** Tony Blackburn **10.00–1am** Bill Rennells

Monday–Friday
6am Andrew Peach; **Tue:** Kirsten O'Brien **10.00** Sarah Walker; **Thu/Fri:** Bill Buckley **2pm** Phil Kennedy **6.00** Andy Jones; **Fri:** Weekend Kick-Off **7.00 Fri:** Katie Tyler **10.00–1am** Paul Miller; **Fri:** Alex Dyke

Bristol

Saturday
6am Ali Vowles **10.00** Steve Yabsley **2pm** Sport **6.00** James Threlfall **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** David White

Sunday
6am Lucy Tegg **10.00** Laura Rawlings **2pm** Sport **6.00** Kevin Philemon **10.00–1am** Jim Colvin

Monday–Friday
6am James Hanson **10.00** John Darvall **2pm** Claire Cavanagh; **Fri:** Steve Yabsley **6.00 Mon/Tue/Thu:** Geoff Twentyman; **Wed:** Richard Hoskin; **Fri:** Sport **7.00** Upload **10.00–1am** Chris Baxter

Cambridgeshire

Saturday
6am Kev Lawrence **10.00** David Webster **2pm** Sport **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Justin Dealey

Sunday
6am Louise Hulland **10.00** Great Outdoors **2pm** Keith Greentree **4.00** John Leech **6.00** Walk Right Back **8.00** Folk Show **10.00–1am** David Clayton

Monday–Friday
6am Dotty McLeod; **Fri:** Louise Hulland **10.00** Jeremy Sallis; **Fri:** Amir Suleman **2pm** Chris Mann; **Fri:** David Webster **6.00 Mon/Fri:** Sport; **Tue:** Upload; **Thu:** Naked Scientists **7.00 Mon/Wed:** Thordis Fridriksson; **Tue:** Steve Jackson; **Thu:** New Voices; **Fri:** That Friday Feeling **9.00 Thu:** Introducing **10.00–1am** Nick Risby

Cornwall

Saturday
6am Jack Murley **10.00** James Dundon **2pm** Sport **6.00** Dan Pascoe **10.00–1am** David White

Sunday
6am Anoushka Williams **10.00** Jack Murley **2pm** Caroline Cook **6.00** Richard Green **10.00–1am** Jim Colvin

Monday–Friday
6am James Churchfield **10.00** Julie Skentelbery **2pm** David White **6.00** Sport **7.00** Tiffany Truscott; **Fri:** Sport **10.00–1am** David Sheppard

Cumbria

Saturday
6am Helen Millican **10.00** John Lipscombe **2pm** Sport **6.00** Joe Costin **8.00** Introducing **10.00–1am** Simon Logan

Sunday
6am Helen Millican **10.00** John Lipscombe **2pm** Joe Costin **6.00** Paul Braithwaite **10.00–1am** Simon Logan

Monday–Friday
6am Mike Zeller **10.00** Val Armstrong; **Thu/Fri:** Darren Milby **2pm** Caroline Robertson; **Fri:** Helen Millican **6.00 Mon:** John Lipscombe; **Tue/Fri:** Sport; **Wed:** Darren Milby; **Thu:** BBC Introducing **7.00 Thu:** Helen Millican; **Fri:** Darren Milby **10.00–1am** John Gillmore; **Fri:** Steffen Peddie

CWR

Saturday
6am Lorna Bailey **10.00** Brody Swain and Darren Rudge **12.00** Brody Swain **2pm** Sport **8.00** Introducing **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am Sandra Godley **10.00** Brody Swain **2pm** Bob Brolly **6.00** Gagan Grewal **8.00** Nikki Tapper **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin

Monday–Friday
6am Phil Upton **10.00** Vic Minett **2pm** Trish Adudu; **Fri:** Brody Swain **6.00 Mon/Fri:** The Sound of the Sky Blues; **Tue:** Lorna Bailey; **Wed:** Letitia George; **Thu:** Brody Swain **7.00 Mon:** Sandra Godley; **Fri:** Dan Sambell **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin; **Fri:** Natalie Graham

Derby

Saturday
6am Donna Alos **10.00** Susan Hanks **2pm** Sam Harper **5.00** Sport **8.00** Introducing **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am Donna Alos **10.00** Simon Morykin **11.30** Sportscene **3.00** Dean Jackson **6.00** Satvinder Rana **8.00** Devon Daley **10.00–1am** Summaya Mughal

Monday–Friday
6am Andy Twigge **10.00** Ian Skye **2pm** Sally Pepper **6.00** Sportscene **7.00** Martyn Williams **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin; **Fri:** Dean Jackson

Devon

Saturday
6am Caroline Cook **10.00** Richard Green **2pm** Sport **7.00** Dan Pascoe **10.00–1am** David White

Sunday
6am Michael Chequer **10.00** Toby Buckland **2pm** Caroline Cook **6.00** Richard Green **10.00–1am** Jim Colvin

Monday–Friday
6am John Acres **10.00** David FitzGerald **2pm** Angela Kalwaites **6.00** Rick Edwards; **Thu/Fri:** Matt Tancock **10.00–1am** David Sheppard

Essex

Saturday
6am Tony Fisher **10.00** Ian Wyatt and Steve Scruton **2pm** Sport **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll Heaven **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Justin Dealey

Sunday
6am June Woolerton **10.00** Quest **2pm** Rock **4.00** John Leech **6.00** Ray Clark **8.00** Mark Punter **10.00–1am** David Clayton

Monday–Friday
6am Sonia Watson **10.00** Ben Fryer **2pm** Sadie Nine; **Thu/Fri:** Dave Monk **6.00 Mon–Wed:** Rob Jelly; **Thu:** Fans Phone-in; **Fri:** John Leech **7.00 Thu:** Rob Jelly **Tue: 10.00–10.30** Framed **10.00–1am** Nick Risby

Gloucestershire

Saturday
6am Nicky Price **10.00** Faye Hatcher **12.30pm** *MW* Matchday **2.00** Afternoon Show **6.00** James Threlfall **8.00** Introducing **10.00–1am** David White

Sunday
6am Maddie Simpson **10.00** Kate Clark **2pm** Dominic Cotter **6.00** Manny Masih **10.00–1am** Jim Colvin

Monday–Friday
6am Mark Cummings **10.00** Anna King; **Fri:** Dominic Cotter **2pm** Steve Kitchen **6.00** Jon Smith; **Thu/Fri:** Maddie Simpson **10.00–1am** Chris Baxter

Guernsey

Saturday
6am Charlie McArdle **10.00** Lizzie Roper **2pm** James Hand **6.00** Richard Latto **8.00** Tim Hunter **10.00–1am** David White

Sunday
6am Matthew Price **10.00** Lizzie Roper **2pm** John Randall **6.00** Richard Green **10.00–1am** Jim Colvin

Monday–Friday
6am Tim Hunter **10.00** Claire Cathcart **2pm** Darcy Kelly **6.00** Harry Barratt **10.00–1am** David Sheppard

Hereford/Worcester

Saturday
6am Andrew Easton **10.00** Toni McDonald **2pm** Sport **6.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am Lizzie Rose **8.00** The Great Outdoors **10.00** Fiona Mills **2pm** Liz Green **6.00** Neil Foster **10.00–1am** Steve White

Monday–Friday
6am Kofi Smiles; **Fri:** Toni McDonald **10.00** David Burns; **Fri:** Malcolm Boyden **2pm** Andy Comfort; **Fri:** Tammy Gooding **6.00 Mon:** Sportstalk; **Tue/Wed:** Kim Harrison; **Thu:** Phil White; **Fri:** Kate Justice **7.00 Mon:** Alan Raw **10.00–1am** Russell Walker; **Fri:** Natalie Graham

Humberside

Saturday
6am Phil White **10.00** Fiona Mills **2pm** Sport **5.00** Football Forum **5.25** Sport **8.00** Introducing **10.00–1am** Steve White

Sunday
6am Tammy Gooding **10.00** Malcolm Boyden **2pm** Jonathan Ray **6.00** Andrew Marston **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin

Monday–Friday
6am Mon–Wed: Elliott Webb; **Thu:** Toni McDonald; **Fri:** Kofi Smiles **10.00 Mon:** Tammy Gooding; **Tue–Thu:** Malcolm Boyden; **Fri:** David Burns **2pm Mon–Wed:** Andrew Easton; **Thu:** Tammy Gooding; **Fri:** Andy Comfort **6.00** Kate Justice; **Fri:** Sportstalk **7.00 Fri:** George Smith **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin; **Fri:** Russell Walker

Jersey

Saturday
6am Charlie McArdle **10.00** Lizzie Roper **2pm** James Hand **6.00** Richard Latto **8.00** Tim Hunter **10.00–1am** David White

Sunday
6am Matthew Price **10.00** Lizzie Roper **2pm** John Randall **6.00** Richard Green **10.00–1am** Jim Colvin

Monday–Friday
6am Jenny Mullin **10.00** Alison Moss **2pm** Darcy Kelly **6.00** Harry Barratt **10.00–1am** David Sheppard

Kent

Saturday
6am Pat Marsh **10.00** Steve Ladner **2pm** The Sports Hub **6.00** Stereo Underground **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Alex Dyke

Sunday
6am Phil Harrison **10.00** Andy Garland **2pm** Erika North **6.00** Ray Clark **8.00** Mark Punter **10.00–1am** Bill Rennells

Monday–Friday
6am Anna Cookson **10.00** Julia George; **Thu/Fri:** Steve Ladner **2pm** Pat Marsh; **Fri:** Erika North **6.00** Dominic King; **Fri:** Stephen Brown **9.00 Mon–Thu:** Upload **10.00–1am** Paul Miller; **Fri:** Alex Dyke

Lancashire

Saturday
6am Shigufta Khan **10.00** Gary Hickson **2pm** Matchday Live **6.00** Soul Sessions **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Allan Beswick

Sunday
6am Joe Wilson **10.00** Gary Hickson **2pm** Maria Felix Vas **6.00** Unforgettable **10.00–1am** Allan Beswick

Monday–Friday
6am Graham Liver **10.00** Sharon Hartley **2pm** Nishma Hindocha **6.00** Sport **7.00 Mon:** Desi Nation; **Tue/Wed:** Brett Davison; **Thu:** Your Lancashire **8.00 Fri:** Darren Milby **10.00–1am** John Gillmore; **Fri:** Linda McDermott

Leeds

Saturday
6am Andrew Edwards **10.00** Nick Ahad **12.00** Sport **3pm** Liz Green **6.00** The Mixtape **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Steve White

Sunday
6am Andrew Edwards **10.00** Nick Ahad **1pm** Sport **5.00** Liz Green **6.00** Waheed Akhtar **10.00–1am** Steve White

Monday–Friday
6am Rima Ahmed **10.00** Gayle Lofthouse **2pm** Richard Stead **6.00** Sport Daily **7.00** Sanchez Payne; **Fri:** Sport **10.00–1am** (**Fri: 10.30–1am**) Russell Walker

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Leicester

Saturday
6am Kelly Hinch **10.00** Dino **12.00** Sport **6.00** The Beat **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am Jo Bostock **10.00** Dino **2pm** Andy Pierce **6.00** Uncle Frank **10.00–1am** Jack Rafferty

Monday–Friday
6am Ady Dayman **10.00 Mon–Wed:** Summaya Mughal; **Thu:** Jo Bostock; **Fri:** Shruti Chauhan **2pm** Ben Jackson; **Fri:** Jo Bostock **6.00 Mon:** Football Forum; **Tue:** Sport; **Wed:** The Rugby Show; **Thu:** The Boot Room; **Fri:** Weekend Preview **7.00 Mon/Tue:** Jack Rafferty; **Wed:** The Vibe; **Thu:** Bollywood Tamasha; **Fri:** Sport **9.00 Thu:** Young British Asians Talk **10.00–1am Mon–Thu:** Caroline Martin **11.00–1am Fri:** Dean Jackson

Lincolnshire

Saturday
6am William Wright **10.00** George Smith **2pm** Hope and Glory **6.00** The Beat **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am William Wright **10.00** Rob Makepeace **2pm** Sarah-Jane Honeywell **6.00** Country Lincs **7.00** Folk **10.00–1am** Jack Rafferty

Monday–Friday
6am Sean Dunderdale **10.00** Carla Greene **2pm** Melvyn Prior **6.00** In the Game; **Fri:** Hope and Glory: the Preview Show **7.00** Laurie Dyche; **Fri:** George Smith **10.00–1am** Russell Walker; **Fri:** Dean Jackson

London

Saturday
5am Claira Hermet **7.00** Carrie and David Grant **10.00** Robert Elms **1pm** Women's Sports Show **2.00** Sport **6.00** Gary Crowley **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00** LionHeart **1am–5.00** Edward Adoo

Sunday
5am Claira Hermet **6.00** Inspirit **9.00** Robert Elms **12.00** Gaby Roslin **3pm** Jo Good **6.00** Tony Blackburn **7.00** Dotun Adebayo **10.00** Sunny and Shay **1am–5.00** Dotun Adebayo

Monday–Friday
5am Jason Rosam **7.00** Salma El-Wardany; **Fri:** Riz Lateef **10.00** Eddie Nestor; **Fri:** Robert Elms **2pm** Shay Grewal; **Fri:** Jumoké Fashola **6.00** Sport **8.00** The Scene **10.00** Jo Good; **Fri:** LionHeart **1am–5.00** Dotun Adebayo; **Fri:** Edward Adoo

Manchester

Saturday
6am Joe McGrath **10.00** Simone Riley **2pm** Sport **6.00** Upload **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Allan Beswick

Sunday
6am Asma Younus **10.00** Phil Trow **2pm** Sport **7.00** Indus **8.00** The People **10.00–1am** Allan Beswick

Monday–Friday
6am Anna Jameson **10.00** Mike Sweeney; **Fri:** Simone Riley **2pm** Becky Want; **Fri:** David Scott **6.00** Talking Balls **7.00 Mon:** Mars; **Tue:** Natalie Pike; **Wed:** J Sky; **Thu:** Joe McGrath; **Fri:** Emily Brobyn **10.00–1am Mon/Tue:** David Scott; **Wed–Fri:** Stacey Copeland

Merseyside

Saturday
6am David North **10.00** Claire Bryan **2pm** Sport **6.00** The Late Late Beatles Show **7.00–10.00** *FM* Sport **7.00** *DAB* Jade Burns **8.00** *DAB* BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Allan Beswick

Sunday
6am Paul Beesley **10.00** David North **2pm** Billy Hui **4.00** Roger Lyon **6.00** Andy Ball **8.00** Carl Learmond **10.00–1am** Allan Beswick

Monday–Friday
6am Paul Salt; **Fri:** Lisa Marrey **10.00** Tony Snell; **Fri:** Kevin Duala **2pm Mon:** Katie Walderman; **Tue–Thu:** Phil Munns; **Fri:** Claire Hamilton **6.00** Sport; **Wed:** The All Sport Show **7.00** The Place; **Mon:** Ngunan Adamu **9.00 Mon:** Orient Express **10.00–1am** Linda McDermott

Newcastle

Saturday
6am Kelly Scott **10.00** Simon Logan **2pm** Sport **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–12 midnight** Simon Logan

Sunday
6am Kelly Scott **10.00** Tom Campbell **2pm** Simon Logan **6.00** Michael Poulter **10.00–1am** Simon Logan

Monday–Friday
6am Matt Bailey **10.00** Anna Foster **2pm** Gilly Hope **6.00** Sport **8.00** Nick Roberts; **Wed:** Upload **10.00–1am** Steffen Peddie

Norfolk

Saturday
6am Kirsteen Thorne **10.00** Anna Perrott **2pm** Sport **6.00** Upload **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Justin Dealey

Sunday
6am Matthew Gudgin **10.00** Treasure Quest **2pm** Sport **5.00** Canary Call **6.00** Ray Clark **8.00** Mark Punter **10.00–1am** David Clayton

Monday–Friday
6am Chris Goreham **10.00** Kayleigh Poacher **2pm** Stephen Bumfrey **6.00 Mon:** Georgy Jamieson; **Tue:** Jon Wright; **Wed:** The Social; **Thu:** The Scrimmage; **Fri:** Sophie Little **6.30 Thu:** Rob Butler **7.00 Thu:** Local Report **8.00 Mon:** Belongings; **Thu:** Rob Butler **10.00–1am** Nick Risby

Northampton

Saturday
6am John Griff **10.00** Treasure Quest **12 noon** Football **2.30** Daisie-Belle Downer **4.30** Rugby **6.00** Rock 'n' Roll **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Justin Dealey

Sunday
6am Martin Heath **10.00** Akylah Rodriguez **2pm** Paul Lovett **4.00** John Leech **6.00** Farzana Chaudry **8.00** Edward Adoo **10.00–1am** David Clayton

Monday–Friday
6am Annabel Amos **10.00** Bernie Keith **2pm** Tim Wheeler; **Fri:** Kerrie Cosh **6.00 Mon/Tue/Fri:** Daisie-Belle Downer; **Wed:** The Saints Show; **Thu:** The Cobblers Show **7.00 Wed:** Chance Litchfield; **Thu:** Kerrie Cosh **10.00–1am** Nick Risby

Nottingham

Saturday
6am Liesl Soards **10.00** Dino **2pm** Matchday **6.00** The Beat **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am Frances Finn **10.00** Dino **2pm** Sarah-Jane Honeywell **5.00** We Are Notts **6.00** Hansa Dabee **8.00** Ethel Mudavanhu **10.00–1am** Jack Rafferty

Monday–Friday
6am Sarah Julian **10.00** Mark Dennison **2pm** Verity Cowley **6.00** Arun Verma; **Fri:** In the Game **7.00 Fri:** Girls Night In **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin; **Fri:** Dean Jackson

Oxford

Saturday
6am Sophie Law **10.00** James Watt **2pm** Danny Cox **6.00** Stereo Underground **8.00** Introducing **9.00** Bridgitte Tetteh **10.00–1am** Alex Dyke

Sunday
6am Fleur Ostojak **10.00** Adam English **2pm** Al Ryan **6.00** Tony Blackburn **10.00–1am** Bill Rennells

Monday–Friday
6am David Prever **10.00** Jerome Sale **2pm** Adam Ball **6.00** Fleur Ostojak; **Fri:** Sport **7.00 Mon:** Sport; **Fri:** The Weekend Warm-Up **10.00–1am** Paul Miller; **Fri:** Alex Dyke

Sheffield

Saturday
6am Kat Cowan **10.00** Becky Measures **2pm** Football **5.00** Praise or Grumble **6.00** John Kane **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Steve White

Sunday
6am Kat Cowan **9.00** Grow Show **10.00** Becky Measures **2pm** Liz Green **6.00** Waheed Akhtar **10.00–1am** Steve White

Monday–Friday
6am Toby Foster **10.00** Paulette Edwards **2pm** Howard Pressman **6.00** Sport **8.00 Mon/Wed/Thu:** Sile Sibanda; **Tue:** BBC Introducing; **Fri:** Upload **10.00–1am** Russell Walker

Shropshire

Saturday
6am Ryan Kennedy **10.00** Paul Shuttleworth **2pm** Sport **6.00** Simon Berry **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am Ryan Kennedy **10.00** Paul Shuttleworth **2pm** Andy Martindale **6.00** Lizzie Crow **8.00** Genevieve Tudor **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin

Monday–Friday
6am Adam Green **10.00** Mark Elliott **2pm** Clare Ashford; **Fri:** Ryan Kennedy **6.00** Michaela Wylde; **Tue:** Active Shropshire **7.00 Tue:** Michaela Wylde **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin; **Fri:** Natalie Graham

Radio Solent

Saturday
6am Katie Martin **10.00** Lucy Ambache **12 noon** Sport **6pm** Underground **8.00** Introducing **10.00–1am** Alex Dyke

Sunday
6am Katie Martin **10.00** Rebecca Parker **2pm** Lucy Ambache **6.00** Tony Blackburn **10.00–1am** Alex Dyke

Monday–Friday
6am Alun Newman **10.00** Pat Sissons; **Tue:** Sam Fraser **2pm** Lou Hannan **6.00 Mon:** Fern Balch; **Tue/Thu:** Sport; **Wed:** Evening Show; **Fri:** Sports Hour **7.00 Fri:** The Dance Dungeon **8.00 Thu:** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Paul Miller; **Fri:** Alex Dyke

103.8 FOR WEST DORSET
As Radio Solent, including Dorset news and features, plus:

Monday–Friday
7am–9.00 Steve Harris

Somerset

Saturday
6am Simon Parkin **10.00** Andy Bennett **2pm** Sport **6.00** Dan Pascoe **10.00–1am** David White

Sunday
6am Charlie Taylor **10.00** Andy Bennett **12 noon** *FM* Sport **2pm** Caroline Cook **6.00** Richard Green **10.00–1am** Jim Colvin

Monday–Friday
6am Claire Carter **10.00** Simon Parkin **2pm** Matt Faulkner **6.00** Charlie Taylor; **Fri:** Jenna Myles **10.00–1am** Chris Baxter

Stoke

Saturday
6am Paula White **10.00** Louise Stones **2.00** Lucas Yeomans **6pm** Rob Adcock **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am Rev Geoff Eze **10.00** Paula White **1pm** Sport **5.00** Louise Stones **6.00** Lucas Yeomans **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin

Monday–Friday
6am Lee Blakeman; **Fri:** Paula White **10.00** Susan Hanks **2pm** Liz Ellis; **Fri:** Louise Stones **6.00 Mon/Tue:** Lucas Yeomans; **Wed/Thu:** Den Siegertsz; **Fri:** Praise and Grumble **7.00 Fri:** Lucas Yeomans **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin; **Fri:** Natalie Graham

Suffolk

Saturday
6am Sarah Lilley **10.00** Mark Murphy **2pm** Matchday **6.00** Upload **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Justin Dealey

Sunday
6am Sarah Lilley **10.00** Mark Murphy **2pm** Keith Greentree **4.00** John Leech **6.00** Ray Clarke **8.00** Mark Punter **10.00–1am** David Clayton

Monday–Friday
6am Luke Deal **10.00** Wayne Bavin **2pm Mon/Fri:** Sarah Lilley; **Tue–Thu:** Georgy Jamieson **6.00 Mon:** Georgy Jamieson; **Tue:** The Tuesday Takeover; **Wed:** The Social; **Thu:** Sports Social; **Fri:** Sophie Little **8.00 Mon:** Belongings **10.00–1am** Nick Risby

BBC Surrey and BBC Sussex

Saturday
6am *Surrey:* Nicky Patrick; *Sussex:* Mark Carter **10.00** Amanny Mo **2pm** Sport **6.00** Stereo Underground **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–12 midnight** Late Show

Sunday
6am Kevin Duala **10.00** Dig It **2pm** Sylvie Blackmore **6.00** Tony Blackburn **10.00–1am** Alex Dyke

Monday–Friday
6am *Surrey:* James Cannon; *Sussex:* Allison Ferns **10.00** Sarah Gorrell **2pm** Danny Pike **6.00** Connor Moseley; **Fri:** Joe Talbot **8.00 Mon:** Tony Blackburn; **Tue:** Sport Focus; **Wed:** Kathy Caton; **Thu:** BBC Introducing the South with Melita Dennett **10.00–1am** Paul Miller; **Fri:** Alex Dyke

Tees

Saturday
6am Amy Oakden **10.00** Antony Collins **2pm** Sport **6.00** Beat Surrender **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Simon Logan

Sunday
6am Rachel Teate **10.00** Antony Collins **1pm** Sport **4.30** Vintage Vinyl **6.00** Alex Hall **10.00–1am** Simon Logan

Monday–Friday
6am Neil Green; **Thu/Fri:** Amy Oakden **10.00** Gary Philipson **2pm** Scott Makin **6.00** Sport **7.00 Mon:** Antony Collins; **Wed:** Jordan Blyth; **Thu:** Shakk; **Fri:** Upload **10.00–1am** Steffen Peddie

Three Counties

Saturday
6am Babs Michel **10.00** Treasure Quest **12.00** Sport **3pm** Ollie Bayliss **5.00** Sport **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Justin Dealey

Sunday
6am Kady Braine **7.00** Dr Nighat Arif **10.00** Babs Michel **12 noon** La Voix **2pm** Mike Naylor **4.00** The John Leech Soul Show **4.30–6.30** *FM 90.4/92.1/94.7/95.5/103.8* Sport **6.00** Farzana Chaudry **8.00** Edward Adoo **10.00–1am** David Clayton

Monday–Friday
6am Andy Collins **10.00** The JVS Show **2pm** Roberto Perrone **6.00 Mon/Fri:** Babs Michel; **Tue:** Sport; **Wed:** Liz Flower; **Thu:** Danny Fullbrook **8.00 Thu:** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Nick Risby

Wiltshire

Saturday
6am Marie Lennon **10.00** Sue Davies **2pm** Marie Indge **6.00** James Threlfall **8.00** Introducing **10.00–1am** David White

Sunday
6am Breakfast Show **10.00** Sue Davies **2pm** Dominic Cotter **6.00** Manny Masih **10.00–1am** Jim Colvin

Monday–Friday
6am Ben Prater; **Wed:** Jonathan Fido **10.00** Sue Kinnear; **Fri:** Kirsten O'Brien **2pm** Graham Rogers; **Wed:** Caroline Densley **6.00** Wiltshire Live **10.00–1am** Chris Baxter

WM

Saturday
6am Mollie Green **10.00** Elise Evans **2pm** Sport **6.00** Henry Liston **8.00** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Natalie Graham

Sunday
6am Grace Smith **10.00** Elise Evans **2pm** Mollie Green **4.00** We Are West Midlands **6.00** Gagan Grewal **8.00** Nikki Tapper **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin

Monday–Friday
6am Rakeem Omar **10.00** Kathryn Stanczyszyn; **Fri:** Elise Evans **2pm** Paul Franks; **Fri:** John Fox **6.00** The Football Phone-in **7.00 Mon/Tue:** Natalie Graham; **Wed:** Henry Liston; **Thu/Fri:** Amber Sandhu **10.00–1am** Caroline Martin; **Fri:** Natalie Graham

York

Saturday
6am Adam Tomlinson **10.00** Harry Whittaker **2pm** Sport **6.00** John Kane **8.00** Introducing **10.00–1am** Steve White

Sunday
6am Adam Tomlinson **10.00** Sarah Urwin **2pm** Liz Green **6.00** Neil Foster **10.00–1am** Steve White

Monday–Friday
6am Georgey Spanswick **10.00** Jonathan Cowap **2pm** Joanita Musisi **6.00 Mon:** Bek Homer; **Tue:** Sharon Shortle; **Wed:** George Smith; **Thu:** Jericho Keys; **Fri:** Sport **7.00 Fri:** George Smith **8.00 Tue:** BBC Introducing **10.00–1am** Russell Walker

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BBC Radio Scotland

Face behind the voice Dave Berry Absolute Radio

Current job Presenter of the Absolute Radio breakfast show (weekdays, 6am–10am). "We have music from the 60s to the Noughties."

CV A Londoner, he left school to work in a vintage clothing shop in Greenwich. He was also briefly a model. In 2001 he was asked to audition for Nickelodeon's *N-List*. He later found out that he got the job because "I was the only one who looked the puppets in the eye". The show won a Bafta nomination. Between 2002 and 2007 he presented the MTV show *TRL UK*, fronted the MTV Europe Music Awards, hosted Channel 4 quiz *The Deadly Knowledge Show* ("It was called a cult show, which I now know means not a lot of people watched it.") and *CD:UK* for ITV.

In 2007 he presented *Take Away My Takeaway* for Channel 4: "That was great. I surprised young people on their doorsteps, then sent them to the country of origin of their favourite takeaway."

His radio debut was on Capital Radio's Saturday afternoon show in 2007. "My love for this wonderful, wonderful medium is born out of hosting that show." He then moved to XFM (now Radio X) in the drive-time slot. Then 2008–17 he presented *The Hot Desk* for ITV2 and was a panellist on *Celebrity Juice* (ITV). He returned to Capital in 2017: "I grabbed it with both hands and loved every minute." He joined Absolute Radio in 2017.

Dave Berry's Doctor Next Door podcast features his neighbour, Dr Neil Srinivasan. "If you'd like to hear me messing about with one of the world's leading cardiologists, it's the podcast for you."

Social media – yes or no? "I haven't been enjoying Twitter for quite a while now. Most recently, with Elon's antics, it looks like it's going to go down a dark hole. But I find Instagram a really nice place to interact with listeners. And I've just joined TikTok. But I can assure you I won't be doing any dancing."

Best moments "A really great moment from this year would be winning the Radio Academy award for Best Breakfast Show."

First radio memory "Sitting in the back of my parents' Ford Sierra, on one of those impossibly long road trips, listening to the cricket commentary on the radio – which is why to this day I can't stand cricket."

Favourite broadcasters "*Last Week Tonight* with John Oliver – I always come away knowing more about a niche but important topic. I also have the honour of working with Matt Dyson, one of the world's nicest human beings – you need a calm, hirsute individual opposite you."

Ambition/Dream job "Now you mention it, I want to bring back *Take Away My Takeaway*..! But something I would like to do is take this programme to the States."

Secret skills "I can play the *Pink Panther* theme on the clarinet. (I love this question. I'm going to plagiarise it for my show. But I'll always give *Radio Times* full credit...)" **DAVID McGILLIVRAY**

Listen at absoluteradio.co.uk

Saturday

NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER hourly 8.00am to 12 noon, 6.00pm, 7.00, 9.00, 10.00, 11.00, 12 midnight
NEWS HEADLINES 2.00pm, 5.00

6.00am Scoff the Ball
Presenter Tam Cowan speaks to buffalo farmer Steve Mitchell about becoming Scotland's first-ever producer of buffalo mozzarella. Highland artisan cheese-maker Rory Stone also features.

6.30 Out of Doors
Mark Stephen and Rachel Stewart present stories from the great outdoors.
Email: outofdoors@bbc.co.uk

8.00 Good Morning Scotland
Featuring the latest news from home and abroad, along with regular sport, travel and weather updates.

10.00 Shereen
Shereen Nanjiani and guests offer a unique take on the things getting Scotland talking this Saturday morning. Listeners are invited to join the discussion. Text 80295.

11.30 The Good, the Bad and the Unexpected
Mark Nelson leads a panel of Scotland's comedians and personalities attempting to decipher the good from the bad, with a few unexpected twists along the way.
Repeated from yesterday

12.00 Off the Ball
The football show claiming to be the most petty and ill-informed on radio. Presented by Stuart Cosgrove and Tam Cowan. Text 80295.
Email: offtheball@bbc.co.uk

2.00pm Sportsound
Comprehensive coverage of Scottish sport, including live and exclusive commentary from the country's biggest matches, interviews, analysis, updates throughout the afternoon and a discussion of the latest events. Text 80295.
@BBCSportsound on social media

6.00 Playback
Heather Kane presents a selection of highlights from the past week of broadcasting on BBC Radio Scotland.
Repeated tomorrow 6.30am

6.30 Time Travels
Susan Morrison explores cabbage – no, not the stuff that used to bulk out school dinners, but a questionably legal perk surrounding offcuts in the rag trade. Fashion historian Dr Jade Halbert of Leeds University has the goods on Scotland's surprising contribution to cabbage history. A bit of sly cabbaging might get a cheap designer wedding dress, but would a Scottish bride have changed her name in times gone by? Dr Rebecca Mason has the answers as to why Scottish traditions were different. Also, what does a real dungeon look like? Susan and Dr Katy Jack get medieval in a bid to find out.
Repeated tomorrow 7am

7.00 Take the Floor
Gary Innes presents a band session showcasing the best in traditional music and chats with special guests.
Email: takethefloor@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Pipeline
A programme dedicated to showcasing pipe music, featuring news and recordings from the piping world, presented by Gary West.
Email: pipeline@bbc.co.uk

10.00 Billy Sloan
A varied selection of music from the rich history of Scotland's – and the rest of the world's – rock and pop.

1.00am–6.00
as Radio 5 Live

Sunday

NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER hourly 6.00am to 9.00, 11.00, 12 noon, 2.00pm, 5.00, hourly 7.00 to 11.00

6.00am Our Scotland
Scotland's communities come together to tell the stories that have meaning for them. Presented by Mark Stephen.

6.30 Playback
Heather Kane presents highlights from the week that was on BBC Radio Scotland.
Repeated from yesterday 6pm

7.00 Time Travels
Susan Morrison explores cabbage – no, not the stuff that used to bulk out our school dinners, but a questionably legal perk surrounding offcuts in the rag trade. Fashion historian Dr Jade Halbert of Leeds University has the goods on Scotland's surprising contribution to cabbage history. A bit of sly cabbaging might get a cheap designer wedding dress, but would a Scottish bride have changed her name in times gone by? Dr Rebecca Mason has the answers as to why Scottish traditions were different. Plus, what does a real dungeon look like? Susan and Dr Katy Jack get medieval to find out.
Repeated from yesterday 6.30pm

7.30 New Every Sunday
An act of worship led by the Reverend Donald G MacDonald of Portree and Bracadale Free Church on the Isle of Skye.

8.00 Sunday Morning
Cathy Macdonald presents music and conversation with a faith and ethical perspective, reflecting on the week's events to ask what they say about people's values and beliefs.

10.00 The Sunday Show
Presenters Martin Geissler and Fiona Stalker discuss the big issues of the week and talk to the people behind the political headlines.

12.00 Off the Ball
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1.00pm Sportsound
Coverage of Scottish sport including live and exclusive commentary, breaking news, interviews, analysis and discussion. Text 80295.
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6.00 Your Requests with Gary Innes
Gary Innes shares listeners' messages and dedications and plays favourite Scottish music requests.

7.00 Classics Unwrapped
Jamie MacDougall presents highlights from a recent concert series at RCS in Glasgow, featuring five singers all accompanied by pianist Malcolm Martineau. Jamie also talks to percussionist Colin Currie about his new role as an ambassador for Chamber Music Scotland, and Scottish soprano Lorna Anderson takes us on a musical journey to Orkney in her Sounds of Scotland series.
Write to: BBC Scotland, 40 Pacific Quay, Glasgow G51 1DA
Email: classicsunwrapped@bbc.co.uk

9.00 Jazz Nights
Seonaid Aitken presents an all-blues edition, featuring sounds from early jazz to the present day, exploring the connections between jazz and the colour blue. She discusses "blue notes", the 1930s sound of blues guitarist Robert Johnson and his deal with the devil, and music from modern practitioners of the blues form including Jed Potts, Ali Affleck and Charlotte Marshall and the 45s. Plus tonight's Song Book sees pianist Richard Michael looking at the bluesy *Sack of Woe* written by saxophonist Cannonball Adderley.

11.00 Iain Anderson
Iain invites listeners to end the day in the company of the songwriting masters of country, folk, blues and soul.

1.00am–6.00
as Radio 5 Live

Monday

NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER hourly 6.00am to 8.00, 10.00 to 5.00pm, 7.00, 8.00, 10.00, 11.00
LOCAL NEWS *Dumfries, Aberdeen, Inverness, Selkirk:* 6.30am, 7.30, 8.30, 12.30pm, 4.30, 5.30; *Orkney:* 7.30am, 12 noon, 6.00pm; *Shetland:* 12.30pm, 5.30, 6.00

6.00am Good Morning Scotland
The latest news from home and abroad. With travel reports every 15 minutes, business updates at **7.45** and **8.45**, weather reports at **7.29** and **7.59**, and sports reports at **7.08**, **7.35**, **8.08** and **8.35**.

9.00 Mornings
Presenter Kaye Adams gets to the heart of the news and offers listeners the opportunity to have their say.

12.00 Lunchtime Live
News updates from Scotland and beyond, plus lunchtime sport, travel and weather.

1.30pm The Afternoon Show
Janice Forsyth tunes into the best of Scottish arts, entertainment and music.

4.00 Drivetime
John Beattie presents comment and opinion on the day's talking points, plus sport, travel and weather.

6.00 Get It On... with Bryan Burnett
Bryan presents a selection of essential music chosen by listeners. To get a song played on the show, text 80295.
Email: getiton@bbc.co.uk

8.00 Vic Galloway
Vic introduces new releases from Scotland's best alternative artists, and classic album cuts alongside live session tracks. Listeners are invited to get in touch throughout the show.
Repeated Wednesday 10pm
Email: vicgalloway@bbc.co.uk

10.00 Iain Anderson
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12.00–6.00am
as Radio 5 Live

Tuesday

NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER: LOCAL NEWS *as Monday*

6.00am Good Morning Scotland
The latest news from home and abroad. With travel reports every 15 minutes, business updates at **7.45** and **8.45**, weather reports at **7.29** and **7.59**, and sports reports at **7.08**, **7.35**, **8.08** and **8.35**.

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12.00 Lunchtime Live
News updates from Scotland and beyond, plus lunchtime sport, travel and weather.

1.30pm The Afternoon Show
Janice Forsyth tunes into the Scottish arts, entertainment and music scene to give listeners an insight into the latest in films, theatre, gigs and exhibitions.

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6.00 Get It On... with Bryan Burnett
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8.00 Another Country with Ricky Ross
The host showcases country and Americana music.

10.00 Roddy Hart
An inviting mix of new music and back-catalogue selections.

12.00–6.00am
as Radio 5 Live

Wednesday

NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER: LOCAL NEWS *as Monday*

6.00am Good Morning Scotland
The latest news from home and abroad. With travel reports every 15 minutes, business updates at **7.45** and **8.45**, weather reports at **7.29** and **7.59**, and sports reports at **7.08**, **7.35**, **8.08** and **8.35**.

9.00 Mornings
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12.00 Lunchtime Live
News updates from Scotland and beyond, plus lunchtime sport, travel and weather.

1.30pm The Afternoon Show
Michelle McManus tunes into the Scottish arts, entertainment and music scene to give listeners an insight into the latest in films, theatre, gigs and exhibitions.

4.00 Drivetime
John Beattie presents comment and opinion on the day's talking points.

6.00 Get It On… with Bryan Burnett
Bryan presents a selection of essential music chosen by listeners. To get a song played on the show, text 80295.
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8.00 The Quay Sessions with Roddy Hart
Live performances from across the musical landscape – all captured in front of an audience in the intimate setting of the foyer at BBC Radio Scotland's Pacific Quay.

10.00 Vic Galloway
Vic introduces new releases from Scotland's best alternative artists, and classic album cuts alongside live session tracks. Listeners are invited to get in touch throughout the show.
Repeated from Monday 8pm
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12.00–6.00am
as Radio 5 Live

Thursday

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6.00am Good Morning Scotland
The latest news from home and abroad. With travel reports every 15 minutes, business updates at **7.45** and **8.45**, weather reports at **7.29** and **7.59**, and sports reports at **7.08**, **7.35**, **8.08** and **8.35**.

9.00 Mornings
Stephen Jardine gets to the heart of the news and offers listeners the opportunity to have their say.

12.00 Lunchtime Live
News updates from Scotland and beyond, plus lunchtime sport, travel and weather.

1.30pm The Afternoon Show
Michelle McManus tunes into the best of Scottish arts, entertainment and music.

4.00 Drivetime
Fiona Stalker presents comment and opinion on the day's talking points, plus sport, travel and weather.

6.00 Get It On… with Bryan Burnett
Bryan presents a selection of essential music chosen by listeners. To get a song played on the show, text 80295.
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8.00 Travelling Folk
Anna Massie with the very best of folk and roots music from around the world.

10.00 Natasha Raskin Sharp
Natasha presents an eclectic mix of music, as well as paying tribute to a Late Great and spinning the globe for the Out of this World feature.

12.00–6.00am
as Radio 5 Live

Friday

NEWS: SPORT: WEATHER: LOCAL NEWS *as Monday*

6.00am Good Morning Scotland
The latest news from home and abroad. With travel reports every 15 minutes, business updates at **7.45** and **8.45**, weather reports at **7.29** and **7.59**, and sports reports at **7.08**, **7.35**, **8.08** and **8.35**.

9.00 Mornings
Stephen Jardine gets to the heart of the news.

11.30 Noising Up
Comedy show featuring sketches, gags, spoofs, quickies and take-offs, satirising all that's happening and poking fun at what might just be around the corner.

12.00 Lunchtime Live
News updates from Scotland and beyond, plus lunchtime sport, travel and weather.

1.30pm The Good, the Bad and the Unexpected
Mark Nelson leads a panel of Scotland's funniest comedians and personalities attempting to decipher the good from the bad, with a few unexpected twists along the way.

2.00 The Afternoon Show
Nicola Meighan presents a range of ideas and inspiration for fun things to do around Scotland in the days ahead.

4.00 Drivetime
Fiona Stalker presents comment and opinion on the day's talking points, plus sport, travel and weather.

FM only from 7.00
6.00 Life Tracks with Clare Grogan
The singer and actress shares the songs and artists that have sound-tracked her life.

Radio Scotland Extra
7.00–10.30 Sportsound
Comprehensive coverage of Scottish Sport including live and exclusive commentary. Text 80295.
@BBCSportsound on social media

FM only
8.00 BBC Introducing in Scotland
Phoebe I-H and Shereen Cutkelvin present the best unsigned and undiscovered music Scotland has to offer.

10.30 Ashley Storrie
The comedian brings her unique sense of fun to the show with sidekick "Silent Paul" along with regular feature Hollywood Swingers.

1.00am–1.00am
as Radio 5 Live

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Local programmes

ORKNEY

Weekdays

6.00pm–7.00 Mon: Gansies for Goalposts: a round up of local sport; **Tue:** What's the Craic?: songs and stories from Irish music scene; **Wed:** Musical Milestones: a musical journey with this month's guest; **Thu:** Makers: a look at Irish craft and craftmakers; **Fri:** Friday Requests: weekly dedication programme featuring special greetings.
PHONE: 01856 873939
Email: radio.orkney@bbc.co.uk

SHETLAND

Weekdays

5.30pm Good Evening Shetland: news and features from around the isles, along with the daily weather forecast and the what's on diary.
6.00 Mon: Claire and Friends: chat and tunes from Claire White and guests; **Tue:** Fae Hameaboot: Barbara Cheyne takes a musical tour, with songs and tunes from Shetland and father afield; **Wed:** Lie of the Land: artists, writers and musicians share stories of Shetland landscapes that inspired them. With Jen Stout; **Thu:** Get It On…with Bryan Burnett; **Fri:** Give Us a Tune: all-request show
PHONE: 01595 694747
Email: radio.shetland@bbc.co.uk

Radio nan Gaidheal

Mar Radio Alba ach:

Disathairne

9.00am Spòrs na Seachdain
Spòrs ionadail, nàiseanta agus bho air feadh an t-saoghail còmhla ri Derek MacAoidh.
POST DEALAIN: sns@bbc.co.uk
FON AN ASGAIDH: 08000 967050

10.00 Fàilt' air an Dùthaich
Taghadh de cheòl dùthchail bho leithid Carrie Underwood, Lori McKenna agus Josh Turner. (ath-chraoladh)

11.00 Tiompan
Ceòl Ceilteach, clàran ùra agus fios mu cò tha cluich càite le Mairead NicIllinnein.

12.00–1.00pm Sàr Chlàr
Patsi NicChoinnich a' toirt cuireadh do a cuid aoighean an clàr is fheàrr leotha thaghadh.

Didòmhnaich

9.00am Dèanamaid Adhradh
Seirbheis Ghàidhlig.
ath-chraoladh aig 3pm

9.30 Alleluia
Laoidhean, leughaidhean agus smuaintean. (ath-chraoladh)

10.00 Fèin-aithne
Cnuasachadh air fèin-aithne sa Chuimrigh, leis an Eireannach Peadar O Muircheartaigh.

10.30 Crùnluath
Taghadh de cheòl na pìoba.

12.00 Naoi gu Deich
Taghadh de na còmhraidhean à Naoi gu Deich a bh' aig Cathy NicDhòmhnaill tron t-seachdain.

1.00pm Gleus
Fuinn, còisirean agus òrain bho shaoghal ceòl clasaigeach agus eile, le Iain Moireach.

2.00 An Litir Bheag
Litir Bheag na seachdain sa le Ruairidh MacIlleathain.

2.05 Cuairt Chòinnich
Coinneach Macìomhair agus e air chuairt a' comharrachadh 50 bliadhna ann an craoladh.
(ath-chraoladh)

3.00 Dèanamaid Adhradh

3.30 Rogha is Tagha
Taghadh à pròg raman na seachdain air a thoirt thugaibh le Anna Nic na Ceardaich.
ath-chraoladh aig 9.30pm

4.00–4.05 Litir do Luchd-ionnsachaidh
Litir do Luchd-ionnsachaidh le Ruairidh MacIlleathain.

9.00 Dèanamaid Adhradh
Tasglann Còmhla ri Iain Moireach, (nach maireann), èildear Eaglais Shaor Dowanvale, Glaschu. (ath-chraoladh)

9.30–10.00 Rogha is Tagha

Diluain

7.30am Aithris na Maidne
Naidheachdan ionadail, nàiseanta is eadar-nàiseanta gach madainn.

9.00 Naoi gu Deich
Còmhradh, deasbad, cultur agus cur-seachadan.
ath-chraoladh aig 10.25pm

10.00 A' Mire ri Mòir
Tha i beachdail, tha i beòthail agus tha i feitheamh ribh le taghadh ciùil.

12.00 Feasgar an-diugh
Naidheachdan, còmhradh, spòrs, ceòl agus fealla-dhà.
ath-chraoladh aig 9pm

1.30pm Caithream Ciùil
Ceòl Gàidhealach 's Ceilteach agus fiosrachadh air na tha dol agaibhse gach feasgar.
POST DEALAIN: dethadol@bbc.co.uk

3.30 Fèin-aithne
Am pròg ram mu dheireadh ann an sreath a' beachdachadh air fèin-aithne Ghàidheil a tha an-diugh a' fuireach thall-thairis, ann an saoghal far a bheil crìochan eadar-nàiseanta ag atharrachadh. (ath-chraoladh)
ath-chraoladh Diciadain aig 8pm

4.00 Fàilt' air an Dùthaich
Taghadh de cheòl dùthchail sean is ùr.

5.00 Aithris an Fheasgair
Naidheachdan nàiseanta is ionadail o Dhiluain gu Dihaoine.

5.30 Siubhal gu Seachd le Pluto Ceòl, spòrs agus fealla-dhà air ur slighe dhachaigh còmhla ri Derek "Pluto" Moireach. Anns a' phròg ram, tha Derek a' toirt thugaibh na sgeulachdan as motha ann an saoghal spòrs ionadail, nàiseanta agus eadar-nàiseanta.
POST DEALAIN: pluto@bbc.co.uk
FON AN ASGAIDH: 08000 967050

7.00 Cruinn
Ceòl, amaideas 's na beachdan agaibh air cuspairean a' là airson ur cuir ann a sunnd airson na seachdain.

9.00 Feasgar an-diugh

10.25–11.25 Naoi gu Deich

Dimàirt
Mar Diluain ach:

3.30pm Spòrscast
A còmhradh ri measgachadh de dhaoine 's iad ag innis mun phàirt a tha spòrs a cluich nam beatha.

4.00–5.00 Sàr Chlàr
Patsi NicChoinnich le cuireadh do a cuid aoighean an clàr as fheàrr leotha a thaghadh.

7.00–9.00 Rapal
Taghadh de na h-òrain ùra as fheàrr.
POST DEALAIN: rapal@bbc.co.uk
FON AN ASGAIDH: 08000 967050

Diciadain
Mar Diluain ach:

3.30pm SpeakGaelic

4.00–5.00 Gleus
Fuinn, còisirean agus òrain bho shaoghal ceòl clasaigeach agus eile, le Iain Moireach.
(ath-chraoladh)

7.00 Sàr Chlàr
Patsi NicChoinnich le cuireadh do a cuid aoighean an clàr as fheàrr leotha a thaghadh.

8.00 Fèin-aithne
A' crìochnachadh an t-sreath ann an Aberystwyth sa Chuimrigh le Peadar O Muircheartaigh.

8.30–9.00 SpeakGaelic

Diardaoin
Mar Diluain ach:

3.30pm–5.00 Crùnluath
Taghadh de cheòl na pìoba.

7.00 Spòrscast
A còmhradh ri measgachadh de dhaoine 's iad ag innis mun phàirt a tha spòrs a cluich nam beatha.

7.30–9.00 Mo Chuairt Ciùil
Sùil air na h-òrain agus an ceòl a tha air buaidh a thoirt air beatha aoigh na seachdain.
ath-chraoladh aig Dihaoine 3.30pm

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Mar Diluain ach:

3.30pm–5.00 Mo Chuairt Ciùil
Sùil air na h-òrain agus an ceòl a tha air buaidh a thoirt air beatha aoigh na seachdain.

5.30 Rogha is Tagha
Taghadh à pròg raman na seachdain air a thoirt thugaibh le Anna Nic na Ceardaich.

6.00 Na Dùrachdan
Ceòl, òrain is fealla-dhà. Fònaibh gu 08000 967050 le 'ur dùrachdan.
FON AN ASGAIDH: 01463 720720

9.00 Mac'ille Mhìcheil
Cuiridh Iain Mac'illeMhìcheil agus aoighean air a' fòn an deireadh seachdain air a chasan.

11.00 Tiompan
Ceòl Ceilteach, clàran ùra agus fios mu cò tha cluich càite le Mairead NicIllinnein.

12.00–1.00am
Naoi gu Deich
Còmhradh, deasbad, cultur agus cur-seachadan.

National

BBC Radio 1* FM 97.7–99.7
BBC Radio 2* FM 88.1–90.1
BBC Radio 3* FM 90.3–92.3
BBC Radio 4 FM 94.6–96.1, 103.5–104.9, LW 198, MW 1449 (Aberdeen, LW progs)
BBC Radio 5 Live MW 693, 909
BBC Radio Scotland FM 92.5–94.7, MW 810, 585 (Dumfries)
BBC Radio Scotland Extra MW 810, 585 (Dumfries)
BBC Radio nan Gaidheal FM 103.5–104.9 (carries R4 in some parts), MW 990 (Aberdeen)
Classic FM 99.9–101.9
Talksport MW 1053, 1089
Absolute MW 1215, 1242
*Above stations also on Freeview (*not Sat 4pm–1am, Sun 4pm–12 midnight, weekdays 5pm–12 midnight), plus satellite, cable, internet and DAB (Radio Scotland Extra service only).*

Local

Argyll FM 106.5, 107.1, 107.7 (Campbeltown)
BBC Cumbria FM 95.6 (Carlisle), 96.1 (Morecambe Bay), 95.2 (Kendal), 104.1 (Whitehaven/Keswick), 104.2 (Windermere), MW 756 (Carlisle), 837 (Barrow-in-Furness), 1458 (Whitehaven)
Capital 106.1 (Glasgow), 105.7 (Edinburgh)
Central FM 103.1 (Stirling/Falkirk/Clackmannanshire)
CFM 102.2 (Workington), 102.5 (Penrith), 103.4 (Whitehaven), 96.4 (Carlisle)
Clyde 1 FM 102.3 (Rothesay), 102.5 (Glasgow), 103.3 (Firth of Clyde), 97 (Vale of Leven)
Clyde 2 MW 1152 (Glasgow)
Cuillin FM 106.2, 102.7 (Skye/Lochalsh)
Forth 1 FM 97.3, 97.6 (Edinburgh), 102.2 (Penicuik)
Forth 2 MW 1548 (Edinburgh)
Heart FM 101.1 (Edinburgh/Rosneath), 100.3 (Glasgow), 103.3 (Penicuik)
Heartland FM 97.5 (Pitlochry/Aberfeldy), 106.6 (Perth)
Isles FM 103 (Western Isles)
Kingdom FM 105.4 (St Andrews), 106.3 (The East Neuk), 95.2 (West Fife), 96.1 (Central & East Fife), 96.6 (Kirkcaldy)
Lochbroom FM 102.2 (Ullapool), 96.8 (North West Scotland)
Mearns FM 105.1 (Portlethen), 105.7 (Stonehaven), 106.2 (Inverbervie), 107.3 (Laurencekirk)
MFR FM 96.6 (Speysound), 96.7 (Fraserburgh), 97.4 (Highlands/Moray/Aberdeenshire), 102.5 (Caithness), 102.8 (Keith)
MFR Two MW 1107 (Inverness)
Nevis FM 96.6 (Fort William), 97 (Glencoe), 102.4 (Loch Leven), 102.3 (Skye & Mallaig)
Northsound 1 FM 96.9 (Aberdeen), 97.6 (Balgownie), 103 (Peterhead)
Oban FM 103.3
Original FM 106 (Aberdeen)
Radio Borders 102.3 (Berwick), 103.4 (Eyemouth), 103.1 (Peebles), 96.8 (Selkirk)
SIBC FM 96.2 (Bressay), 102.2 (Shetland)
Smooth Radio FM 105.2 (Glasgow)
Tay FM MW 102.8 (Dundee), 96.4 (Perth)
Tay 2 MW 1161 (Dundee), 1584 (Perth)
Wave FM 102 (Dundee)
Waves Radio FM 101.2 (Peterhead/Fraserburgh)
West FM 96.7 (Ayrshire), 97.5 (Girvan), 106.7 (Rothesay)
West Sound FM 97 (Dumfries), 103 (Kirkcudbright), 96.5 (Stranraer), MW 1035 (Ayrshire)
Your Radio FM 103 (Dumbarton), 106.9 (Helensburgh)

BBC Radio Ulster

Face behind the voice Dave Berry Absolute Radio

Current job Presenter of the Absolute Radio breakfast show (weekdays, 6am–10am). "We have music from the 60s to the Noughties."

CV A Londoner, he left school to work in a vintage clothing shop in Greenwich. He was also briefly a model. In 2001 he was asked to audition for Nickelodeon's *N-List*. He later found out that he got the job because "I was the only one who looked the puppets in the eye". The show won a Bafta nomination. Between 2002 and 2007 he presented the MTV show *TRL UK*, fronted the MTV Europe Music Awards, hosted Channel 4 quiz *The Deadly Knowledge Show* ("It was called a cult show, which I now know means not a lot of people watched it.") and *CD:UK* for ITV.

In 2007 he presented *Take Away My Takeaway* for Channel 4: "That was great. I surprised young people on their doorsteps, then sent them to the country of origin of their favourite takeaway."

His radio debut was on Capital Radio's Saturday afternoon show in 2007. "My love for this wonderful, wonderful medium is born out of hosting that show." He then moved to XFM (now Radio X) in the drive-time slot. Then 2008–17 he presented *The Hot Desk* for ITV2 and was a panellist on *Celebrity Juice* (ITV). He returned to Capital in 2017: "I grabbed it with both hands and loved every minute." He joined Absolute Radio in 2017.

Dave Berry's Doctor Next Door podcast features his neighbour, Dr Neil Srinivasan. "If you'd like to hear me messing about with one of the world's leading cardiologists, it's the podcast for you."

Social media – yes or no? "I haven't been enjoying Twitter for quite a while now. Most recently, with Elon's antics, it looks like it's going to go down a dark hole. But I find Instagram a really nice place to interact with listeners. And I've just joined TikTok. But I can assure you I won't be doing any dancing."

Best moments "A really great moment from this year would be winning the Radio Academy award for Best Breakfast Show."

First radio memory "Sitting in the back of my parents' Ford Sierra, on one of those impossibly long road trips, listening to the cricket commentary on the radio – which is why to this day I can't stand cricket."

Favourite broadcasters "*Last Week Tonight* with John Oliver – I always come away knowing more about a niche but important topic. I also have the honour of working with Matt Dyson, one of the world's nicest human beings – you need a calm, hirsute individual opposite you."

Ambition/Dream job "Now you mention it, I want to bring back *Take Away My Takeaway*..! But something I would like to do is take this programme to the States."

Secret skills "I can play the *Pink Panther* theme on the clarinet. (I love this question. I'm going to plagiarise it for my show. But I'll always give *Radio Times* full credit...)" **DAVID McGILLIVRAY**

Listen at absoluteradio.co.uk

Saturday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 11.00pm, then 11.55

6.45am Farm Gate
Food, countryside and agricultural issues, focusing on business news, industry reports and the latest technology.

7.05 Ralph McLean
Fine tunes and conversation to ease listeners into the morning.
Phone: 0845 955 5678
Email: ralph@bbc.co.uk

8.05 Your Place & Mine
The people, places and stories that make Northern Ireland unique, presented by Anne Marie McAleese.
Phone: 0289 033 8307
Email: ypam@bbc.co.uk

9.05 Gardeners' Corner
The weekly programme for keen horticulturists with advice, news and visits to gardens large and small around the province. Presented by David Maxwell.
Phone: 03030 80 55 55

10.05 On Your Behalf
Linda McAuley champions the cause of consumers in Northern Ireland, helping them to solve their problems, make the right choices and avoid the pitfalls.
Repeated Wednesday at 6.05pm
Write to: On Your Behalf, BBC Broadcasting House, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ
Phone: 0289 033 8314
Email via the website: bbc.co.uk/oyb

11.05 The John Toal Show
The broadcaster ventures beyond the studio for first-hand experience of listeners' family and community lives.
Phone: 03030 80 55 55
Text: 81771
Email: john.toal@bbc.co.uk

12.05pm Assume Nothing: Death on the Tracks
Ep 1. Vinny Hurrell revisits January 2009. In Portrush, a 14-year-old boy lies on railway tracks. His father becomes aware of the danger, but what happened that night – and afterwards – is not as it seems.

12.30 Jimeoin Meets
New series. 1/6. Portstewart comedian Jimeoin chats to fellow comics and hears their weirdest stories in a six-part series, recorded at the Edinburgh Fringe Festival.

1.05 The Eve Blair Show
Music and chat, with interviews and features ranging from books to film.

2.05 Sportsound
Michael McNamee presents coverage of the Irish Premiership, with live commentary and reports. Including news at **3.00**, **4.00** and **5.00**.

6.05 The Culture Café
From the page to the stage, Marie-Louise Muir hosts the essential cultural conversation.

7.05 Caschlár
Lig do scíth le scoth an cheoil le rogha Brian Mullen ó phopcheol, fréamhcheol, ceol traidisiúnta, na gormacha agus anamcheol.
Brian Mullen presents a wide-ranging mix of music, including pop, blues and soul. With news at **8.00**.
Requests to: Brian Mullen, Irish Language Unit, BBC Radio Ulster, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ
Phone: 0289 033 8043

9.05 Jazz World with Linley Hamilton
Contemporary jazz music from around the world, and profiles of up-and-coming local talent.
Email: linley.hamilton@bbc.co.uk

10.05 Saturday Club with John Bennett
Late-night music club featuring classic tracks from the 1960s, 70s and 80s. Including news at **11.00**.
Text: 81771

12.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

RADIO ULSTER NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 11.00pm, then 11.55

7.05am Ralph McLean
Fine tunes and conversation. Including Thought for the Day at **7.55** and news at **8.00**.
Phone: 0845 955 5678
Email: ralph@bbc.co.uk

8.30 Sunday Sequence
Audrey Carville and guests debate the week's religious and ethical news and explore the world of culture and ideas. With news at **9.00** and **10.00**.
Phone: 0289 033 8355
Email: sunday.sequence@bbc.co.uk

10.15 Morning Service
Religious service.

11.05 Sunday with Steven Rainey
In-depth current affairs, interviews, discussion and analysis. With news at **12.00**.

1.05pm Sunday with Brian D'Arcy
Music for a Sunday afternoon.
Write to: Sunday with Brian D'Arcy, BBC Radio Ulster, Ormeau Avenue, Belfast BT2 8HQ

2.05 Kerry McLean
Music and conversation. Including news at **3.00**.
Text: 81771
Email: kerry.mclean@bbc.co.uk

4.05 The Siobhan Brown Soul Show
The singer brings some seriously soulful sounds to the Sunday afternoon airwaves, from dancefloor classics to the latest releases.

5.05 Sounds Sacred
Eugene O'Hagan introduces popular, sacred music performed by local and internationally acclaimed performers.

6.05 Kintra
Helen Mark and the *Kintra* team present stories, news, music and banter from Ulster-Scots communities.
Email: kintra@bbc.co.uk

6.30 Alternative Ulster: John Peel's Favourite Music Scene?
1/2. Colin Murray highlights the Northern Irish musicians whose careers were boosted by the support of BBC Radio 1 DJ John Peel. Contributors include members of the Undertones, Therapy?, Ash, Tunic, Boys of the Lough and Joyrider. They recall starting their John Peel journey as listeners, then hearing their records played on his show and once on his radar, securing that all-important Peel session.

7.05 Classical Connections with John Toal
The host presents an evening of popular classical music. Plus news, reviews and interviews with local and touring performers. With news at **8.00**.

9.05 Jazz Club with Walter Love
Recordings by jazz musicians, including tracks that have been performed exclusively for BBC Radio Ulster.

10.05 Sunday Club with John Bennett
A late-night selection of music designed to soothe away the problems of the past week.
Dedications to: The Sunday Club, BBC Radio Ulster, Broadcast House, Belfast BT2 8HQ
Email: jb@bbc.co.uk

12.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

Monday

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6.30am Good Morning Ulster
With Sarah Brett and Joel Taggart, including travel updates and analysis of finance and business news, plus agri-business in *Farm Gate* and a Thought for the Day at **7.20**.
Email: good.morning.ulster@bbc.co.uk

9.00 The Nolan Show
Breaking news and hard-hitting topical debate with Stephen Nolan. Including news and travel at **10.00**.
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Text: 81771
Email: nolan@bbc.co.uk

10.30 The Connor Phillips Show
A mid-morning mix of music and mischief, with fun features such as Howl Yer Wisht, Does My Head In and Absolutely Mortified. Including news at **11.00**.
Phone: 03030 805555
Text: 81771
Email: connor@bbc.co.uk

12.00 Talkback
William Crawley and the *Talkback* team present news and invite listeners' on-air reactions to all the breaking stories of the day, from politics and health to consumer issues and education. Including news at **12.00** and **1.00pm**.
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3.05 The Lynette Fay Show
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Email: lynette.fay@bbc.co.uk

4.00 Evening Extra
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6.05 Sportsound Extra Time
Nicola McCarthy, Nigel Ringland and guests discuss the biggest stories making the back pages, featuring exclusive interviews, analysis and debate.

7.05 Blas
Fearghal Mag Uiginn le súil siar ar aicsean na gclubanna CLG agus craobhchomórtais na gContaetha ag teacht chun críche agus feachtais Chumainn Uladh faoi lánseol.
Fearghal Mag Uiginn looks back at the weekend's sporting action.

7.30 The Stephen McCauley Show
Alternative music from punk to electronica from home and abroad, featuring live performances, interviews and more. Including news at **8.00** and **9.00**.

9.30 ATL Introducing
Gemma Bradley serves up the freshest new Irish musical talent, from indie-rock to hip-hop with live music and interviews. Including news at **10.00**.

11.05 The Late Show with Eve Blair
Including a mix of easy listening melodies both old and new, together with material by the Artist of the Week.
Email: eve.blair@bbc.co.uk

12.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

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Listen on the internet at radiotimes.com/radio/radio-listings

6.05 Farming Matters
Voices, views, stories, news and chat from Northern Ireland's rural community, hosted by Nicola Weir.

7.05 Blas
Ag coinneáil an lucht éisteachta ar an eolas faoi na himeachtaí ar gáiad a fheiceáil agus a chluinstin i saol ealaíne agus cultúir na Gaeilge agus níos faide ó bhaile.
Dáithí Ó Muirí keeps listeners up-to-date with all that's happening in the arts.

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Alternative music from punk to electronica from home and abroad, featuring live performances, interviews and more. Including news at **8.00** and **9.00**.

9.30 Ralph McLean: Local Voices
Ralph McLean presents a selection of Irish music, sessions and chat from new Northern Ireland artists and established acts. Includes news at **10.00**.

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Repeated from Saturday 10.05am
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Phone: 0289 033 8314
Email via the website: bbc.co.uk/oyb

7.05 Blas
Caint agus comhrá faoi imeachtaí an tsaoil mhóir agus shaol an ghnáthlae.
Máire Bhreathnach has all the latest news on local and international events and the issues of the day. Repeat

7.30 The Stephen McCauley Show
Alternative music from punk to electronica from home and abroad, featuring live performances, interviews and more. Including news at **8.00** and **9.00**.

9.30 Ralph McLean: Rock and Soul
Classic rock, soul, blues, pop, gospel, reggae and funk music. Includes news at **10.00**.

10.55 Wah Yan Jee Sing
Local information on health and social issues in Cantonese.

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6.05 The Ticket
From blockbuster movies to comedy gigs, Kathy Clugston offers ideas and information on how listeners can spend their leisure hours.

7.05 Blas
Dearcadh an duine óig ar ábhair éagsúla an tsaoil. Idir spraoi agus spórt, áilleacht agus athrú aeráide is iomaí rud a bhíonn faoi chaibidil ag Rebecca Ní Dhonnaile agus a cuid aíonna.
A youthful view of lifestyle issues. From lighthearted banter to beauty regimes and climate change, Rebecca Ní Dhonnaile and her guests cover a wide range of topics.

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Alternative music from punk to electronica from home and abroad, featuring live performances, interviews and more. Including news at **8.00** and **9.00**.

9.30 Ralph McLean: Country
From the sounds of Nashville to new bluegrass, Ralph takes another journey into the world of American roots music, offering a selection of classic tracks, live performance and timeless Americana along the way. Including news at **10.00**.

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3.05 The Vinny Hurrell Show
The presenter hosts the magazine show, with music, chat and a bit of craic to get the weekend under way.
Text: 81771
Email: vinny.hurrell@bbc.co.uk

4.00 Evening Extra
A look back at the day's events, with Richard Morgan, Tara Mills and Declan Harvey. Featuring news on the half-hour, plus regular sport, traffic and weather reports, and the latest agri-business news.

5.30 Inside Business
A weekly insight into what's really happening in business and the economy in Northern Ireland. With Richard Morgan.

6.05 The House Party with Phil Taggart
Dance music to get the party started, from soul to house and funk to techno. Including news at **7.00**.

7.30 The Mickey Bradley Record Show
There are loads of great records out there and Mickey has bought, borrowed and blagged lots of them since his teenage years. Here, he invites listeners to another selection of vintage rock, pop, and new releases. Including news at **8.00** and **9.00**.
Text: 81771
Email: michael.bradley@bbc.co.uk

9.30 Blas Ceoil
Cuireann Caoimhe "Ceol" Ní Chathail tús spleodrach le do dheireadh seachtaine. Ceol traidisiúnta, fréamh agus dúchasach, le heisiúintí úra, sonraí gigeanna agus seisiúin bheo.
Caoimhe "Ceol" Ní Chathail introduces new releases, gig guide details and live acoustic sessions to keep listeners in touch with the best in traditional, roots and folk music. With news at **10.00**.

10.30 Folk Club with Lynette Fay
Lynette selects traditional and contemporary folk music and songs with studio guests, concert performances, new releases and vintage vinyl. Including news at **11.00**.
Email: lynette.fay@bbc.co.uk

12.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

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02890 338 000
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RADIO FOYLE

As Radio Ulster except:

Sunday
FOYLE NEWS:
hourly 9.00am to 5.00pm (not 1.00pm)

5.05pm–6.00 Rejoice
James McClelland presents gospel favourites and sacred music, plus listeners' requests and dedications.
To get in touch with the show, write to 8 Northland Road, Londonderry BT48 7GD.

Weekdays
FOYLE NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 3.00pm, plus 7.30am, 8.30

6.30am Good Morning Ulster
News from home and abroad, presented by:
Mon: Sarah Brett and Joel Taggart;
Tue–Thu: Sarah Brett and Chris Buckler;
Fri: Chris Buckler and Joel Taggart. Including regular travel and sport updates and analysis of finance and business news.

7.00–9.00 The Breakfast Show
Local, national and international news, plus the latest weather and travel updates for the north west of Northern Ireland.

12.00 Talkback
William Crawley and the *Talkback* team present news and invite listeners' on-air reactions to the breaking stories of the day, from politics and health to consumer issues and education.

1.00pm The News at One
Lunchtime round-up of the day's local, national and international news stories. Plus, the latest sports headlines.

1.30 The Mark Patterson Show
Mark Patterson discusses the issues affecting the daily lives of people in the north west of Northern Ireland. Including news at **2.00**.

3.05–4.00 Sean Coyle
The host brightens up the day with music and chat, plus listeners from across the region are invited to phone in with their requests and dedications.
BBC Radio Foyle, 8 Northland Road
Londonderry BT48 7GD
Tel: 02871 266 522

Frequencies

National

BBC Radio 1
FM 97.9–99.7
BBC Radio 2
FM 88.3–90.1
BBC Radio 3
FM 90.5–92.3
BBC Radio 4
93.2 (Ballycastle), 93.2 (Carnmoney Hill), 94 (Limavady), 94.9 (Londonderry), 95.6 (Brougher Mountain), 96 (Belfast), 103.5 (Larne), 103.9 (Rostrevor Forest/Kilkeel), 104.6 (Camlough), (R4 FM cannot be heard in some parts of N Ireland) LW 198 MW 720, 774 (Enniskillen (carry LW programmes)
BBC Radio 5 Live
MW 693, 909
BBC Radio Foyle
FM 93.1
BBC Radio Ulster
FM 92.7–95.4

RTE Radio 1
FM 87.8–90.0, LW 252
RTE 2FM 90.4–92.2, 97
RTE Raidió na Gaeltachta
92.6–94.4, 102.7
RTE Lyric FM 97.8–99.6, 92.2, 95.2, 96.7, 102.2

Classic FM 99.9–101.9 (not Freeview)
Talksport MW 1053, 1089
Absolute MW 1215
Today FM FM 105.5

All the above stations are also broadcast via Freeview, satellite, cable, digital radio and the internet.

Local

Cool FM 97.4
Music, news and sport
Downtown FM 102.3 (Ballymena), 96.6 (Omagh/Enniskillen), 97.1 (Larne), 96.4 (Limavady), 102.4 (Londonderry), 103.4 (Newcastle), 103.1 (south Newry), MW 1026 (Belfast) Music, news
Q FM 96.7 (Belfast), 102.5 (Bangor), 102.5 (Carrickfergus), 102.9 (North West), 97.2 (North Coast), 97.6 (Ballycastle), 107.0 (Mid Antrim), 107.6 (Larne), 106.0 (Mid Ulster), 107.2 (Dungannon), 106.3 (Maghera), 101.2 (Tyrone/Fermanagh), 102.1 (Enniskillen), 100.5 (Newry & Mourne), 101.1 (Kilkeel), 101.1 (Newcastle)

BBC Radio Wales

Face behind the voice Dave Berry Absolute Radio

Current job Presenter of the Absolute Radio breakfast show (weekdays, 6am–10am). "We have music from the 60s to the Noughties."

CV A Londoner, he left school to work in a vintage clothing shop in Greenwich. He was also briefly a model. In 2001 he was asked to audition for Nickelodeon's *N-List*. He later found out that he got the job because, "I was the only one who looked the puppets in the eye." The show won a Bafta nomination. Between 2002 and 2007 he presented the MTV show *TRL UK*, fronted the MTV Europe Music Awards, hosted Channel 4 quiz *The Deadly Knowledge Show* ("It was called a cult show, which I now know means not a lot of people watched it.") and *CD:UK* for ITV.

In 2007 he presented *Take Away My Takeaway* for Channel 4: "That was great. I surprised young people on their doorsteps, then sent them to the country of origin of their favourite takeaway."

His radio debut was on Capital Radio's Saturday afternoon show in 2007. "My love for this wonderful, wonderful medium is born out of hosting that show." He then moved to XFM (now Radio X) in the drive-time slot. Then from 2008–17 he presented *The Hot Desk* for ITV2 and was a panellist on *Celebrity Juice* (ITV). He returned to Capital in 2017: "I grabbed it with both hands and loved every minute." He joined Absolute Radio in 2017.

Dave Berry's Doctor Next Door podcast features his neighbour, Dr Neil Srinivasan. "If you'd like to hear me messing about with one of the world's leading cardiologists, it's the podcast for you."

Social media – yes or no? "I haven't been enjoying Twitter for quite a while now. Most recently, with Elon's antics, it looks like it's going to go down a dark hole. But I find Instagram a really nice place to interact with listeners. And I've just joined TikTok. But I can assure you I won't be doing any dancing."

Best moments "A really great moment from this year would be winning the Radio Academy award for Best Breakfast Show."

First radio memory "Sitting in the back of my parents' Ford Sierra, on one of those impossibly long road trips, listening to the cricket commentary on the radio – which is why to this day I can't stand cricket."

Favourite broadcasters "*Last Week Tonight* with John Oliver – I come away knowing more about a niche but important topic. I have the honour of working with Matt Dyson, one of the world's nicest human beings – you need a calm, hirsute individual opposite you."

Ambition/Dream job "Now you mention it, I want to bring back *Take Away My Takeaway*..! But something I would like to do is take this programme to the States."

Secret skills "I can play the *Pink Panther* theme on the clarinet. (I love this question. I'm going to plagiarise it for my show. But I'll always give *Radio Times* full credit...)" **DAVID McGILLIVRAY**

Listen at absoluteradio.co.uk

Saturday

NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 2.00pm, plus 5.00pm
WEATHER: before most news bulletins
HILL FORECAST: 6.59am

5.00am Vicki Blight
Music and chat.
7.00 Radio Wales Breakfast
News, sport, travel and weather with Oliver Hides.
9.00 Money for Nothing
Dedications and requests from the 1950s to the 1980s.
Phone: 03700 100 110
11.30 Carol Vorderman
Music and guests.
2.00pm Radio Wales Sport
The day's sporting action, featuring interviews, analysis and commentary on Wales's big games, including the United Rugby Championship match between Cardiff Blues and Scarlets at Cardiff Arms Park (kick-off **5.15**).
7.30 Bethan Elfyn
Cassic rock, bold new tunes, indie anthems and new acts.
10.00 BBC Introducing with Adam Walton
Featuring the best in new Welsh music, exclusive sessions, interviews and demos.
1.00am–6.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

Sunday

NEWS: hourly 7.00am to 6.00pm
WEATHER: before most news bulletins
HILL FORECAST: 6.58am

6.00am Bog Off to Cardiff! 20 Years of The Story of Tracy Beaker
Aleighcia Scott is joined by Dani Harmer to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the drama based on Jacqueline Wilson's books.
Repeated from last Friday
Repeated tomorrow 5.30am
6.30 Science Café
The latest developments in the scientific world, including cutting-edge technologies and current research.
Repeated from last Tuesday
7.00 Country Focus
Caroline Evans joins a walk to explore archaeological sites along the Pembrokeshire coastline – including a shipwreck and two prehistoric promontory forts. She examines the effects of our changing weather patterns on coastal and maritime heritage in Wales and Ireland.
Repeated Wednesday 6.30pm and Thursday 5.30am
7.30 Celebration
A service of Christian worship from around Wales.
Repeated 7.30pm
8.00 Sunday Supplement
The latest political news, discussions and analysis, plus a round-up of the Sunday papers with our guest reviewers.
9.00 All Things Considered
Religious affairs programme, tackling the issues of the day in a thought-provoking manner.
Repeated Tuesday 5.30am
Email: religion.wales@bbc.co.uk
9.30 Sunday Morning with Anna Ryder Richardson
Featuring music and guests for Sunday morning listening.
11.00 Owen Money's Solid Gold Sunday
A selection of classic hits from the 1960s and 1970s.
South West only 12.00–2.30pm Radio Wales Sport
Commentary on the FA Cup match between Bristol City v Swansea City (kick-off **12.30**).
1.00pm Kiri Pritchard-McLean
Music and chat.
South East only 1.45pm–4.00 Radio Wales Sport
Commentary on the FA Cup match between Cardiff City v Leeds United at Cardiff City Stadium (kick-off **12.30**).
3.00 Lynn Bowles
Music, entertainment and guests for Sunday afternoon.
5.00 Roy Noble
Classic songs and chat.
Email: roy.noble@bbc.co.uk
7.00 Jacko's Sporting Almanac
Peter Jackson asks why the extraordinary feats of Paulo Radmilovic – Britain's greatest 20th-century Olympian – are not more celebrated in his native Wales. Raddy won four gold medals either side of the First World War and his record was only beaten by Sir Steve Redgrave in 2000. The programme examines his achievements in a number of disciplines, including swimming, golf and boxing.
Repeated from last Thursday
7.30 Celebration
A service of Christian worship from around Wales.
Repeated from 7.30am
8.00 Celtic Heartbeat
Frank Hennessy presents the best in folk, roots and acoustic music from the Celtic countries and beyond, and a weekly Celtic gig guide.
10.00 Beverley's World of Music
Beverley Humphreys introduces songs from stage and screen.
1.00am–5.30 *as Radio 5 Live*

Monday

NEWS: hourly 6.00am to 10.00pm
WEATHER: before most news bulletins

5.30am Bog Off to Cardiff! 20 Years of The Story of Tracy Beaker
Aleighcia Scott celebrates 20 years of the hit children's TV show *The Story of Tracy Beaker*, discovering how moving the production to Wales saved the series from cancellation.
Repeated from yesterday 6am
6.00 Radio Wales Breakfast
With Claire Summers.
8.30 Jason Mohammad
Lively debate, challenging stories and great music.
Telephone: 03700 100 110
Text: 81012
Email: jason@bbc.co.uk
Tweet: @bbcradiowales
11.00 Wynne Evans
Wynne presents music and chat, where the listeners are the stars of the show.
Email: wynne@bbc.co.uk
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2.00pm Behnaz Akhgar
Music and guests, plus the daily workout for the brain, the 2.45pm Teaser.
Telephone: 03700 100 110
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5.00 Radio Wales Drive with Gareth Lewis
Everything you need to know from Wales and the world.
6.30 The Learners
2/4. Sitcom set in the beginners' group of a Welsh language class, written by Kiri Pritchard-McLean. Jonesy is demanding his job back but he's already been replaced by the college. His replacement has no idea what she's let herself in for as the term rolls on.
7.00 Huw Stephens
Huw Stephens plays classic tracks, introduces his Artist of the Week and features new music from Wales and beyond.
10.00 The Late Show with Eleri Siôn
Music and chat.
12.30am–5.30 *as Radio 5 Live*

Tuesday

NEWS AND WEATHER: as Monday

5.30am All Things Considered
Religious affairs programme.
Repeated from Sunday 9am
Email: religion.wales@bbc.co.uk
6.00 Radio Wales Breakfast
With Claire Summers.
8.30 Jason Mohammad
Lively debate, challenging stories and great music.
11.00 Wynne Evans
Wynne presents music and chat, where the listeners are the stars of the show.
2.00pm Behnaz Akhgar
Music and guests, plus the daily workout for the brain, the 2.45pm Teaser.
5.00 Radio Wales Drive with Gareth Lewis
Everything you need to know from Wales and the world.
6.30 Science Café
Adam Walton sits down with neuroscientist and author Dr Dean Burnett to discuss his new book, *Emotional Ignorance: Lost and Found in the Science of Emotion*.
Repeated tomorrow 5.30am
7.00 Huw Stephens
Huw Stephens plays classic tracks, introduces his Artist of the Week and features new music from Wales and beyond.
10.00 The Late Show with Eleri Siôn
Music and chat.
12.30am–5.30 *as Radio 5 Live*

Wednesday

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Repeated from yesterday 6.30pm
6.00 Radio Wales Breakfast
With Claire Summers.
8.30 Jason Mohammad
Lively debate, challenging stories and great music.
11.00 Wynne Evans
Music and chat.
2.00pm Behnaz Akhgar
Music and guests, plus the daily workout for the brain, the 2.45pm Teaser.
5.00 Radio Wales Drive with Wyre Davies
Everything you need to know from Wales and the world.
6.30 Country Focus
Caroline Evans joins a walk to explore archaeological sites along the Pembrokeshire coastline – including a shipwreck and two prehistoric promontory forts.
Repeated from Sunday 7am
Repeated tomorrow 5.30am
7.00 Huw Stephens
Including new music from Wales and beyond.
10.00 The Late Show with Eleri Siôn
Music and chat.
12.30am–5.30 *as Radio 5 Live*

Thursday

NEWS AND WEATHER: as Monday

5.30am Country Focus
Caroline Evans joins a walk to explore archaeological sites along the Pembrokeshire coastline – including a shipwreck and two prehistoric promontory forts.
Repeated from yesterday 6.30pm
6.00 Radio Wales Breakfast
News, sport, travel and weather with Claire Summers.
8.30 Dot Davies
Lively debate, challenging stories and great music.
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11.00 Wynne Evans
Music and chat.
2.00pm Behnaz Akhgar
Music and guests, plus the daily workout for the brain, the 2.45pm Teaser.
5.00 Radio Wales Drive with Gareth Lewis
Everything you need to know from Wales and the world.
6.30 Jacko's Sporting Almanac
Peter Jackson examines the story of Rhymney-born John D "Bonesetter" Reese, who gained an international reputation after his skills in treating muscle and tendon strains led him to be the trainer for many Major League Baseball stars in the early 20th century.
Repeated tomorrow 5.30am
7.00 Aleighcia Scott
Music and culture.
10.00 The Late Show with Eleri Siôn
Music and chat.
12.30am–5.30 *as Radio 5 Live*

Friday

NEWS: hourly 6.00am to 7.00pm, plus 7.50pm, 8.45, 10.00
WEATHER: before most news bulletins

5.30am Jacko's Sporting Almanac
Peter Jackson examines the story of Rhymney-born John D "Bonesetter" Reese.
Repeated from yesterday 6.30pm
6.00 Radio Wales Breakfast
Presented by Oliver Hides.
8.30 Dot Davies
Lively debate, challenging stories and great music.
11.00 Wynne Evans
Music and chat.
2.00pm Eleri Siôn
Music and guests, plus the daily workout for the brain, the 2.45pm Teaser.
5.00 Radio Wales Drive with Gareth Lewis
Everything you need to know from Wales and the world.
6.30 Radio Wales Arts Show
The current arts scene.
7.00 Radio Wales Sport
Commentary on Scarlets v Cheetahs, the EPCR Challenge Cup match at Parc y Scarlets (kick-off **8.00**).
10.00 Friday Night H
A blend of music and chat.
12.30am–5.00 *as Radio 5 Live*

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Cymru

Sadwrn

5.30am Richard Rees
Cerddoriaeth a chwmnïaeth ar gyfer bore Sadwrn.
7.00 Galwad Cynnar
Geralllt Pennant a'i westeion yn trafod natur, bywyd gwyllt a chadwraeth.
EBOST: galwadcynnar@bbc.co.uk
8.00 Dros Frecwast
Y newyddion diweddaraf yng Nghymru a thu hwnt, gyda Dylan Jones.
8.30 Ar y Marc
Dylan Jones a'r criw yn trafod pob math o bethau'n ymwneud â phêl-droed.
EBOST: arymarc@bbc.co.uk
9.00 Tudur Owen
Lot o fwydro, 'chydig o sylwedd a dim swmp gyda Tudur a'r criw.
11.00 Y Sioe Sadwrn
Cerddoriaeth ac adloniant gyda Shelley Rees a Rhydian Bowen Phillips. Yn cynnwys straeon y we gan Trystan ap Owen, a sylwebaethau'r wythnos gan Owain Llyr.
2.00pm Chwaraeon Radio Cymru
Sylwebaethau byw, yn ogystal â chanlyniadau a'r newyddion chwaraeon diweddaraf.
5.30 Marc Griffiths
Cymysgedd o'r hen a'r newydd i ddiddanu ar nos Sadwrn, gan gynnwys llwyth o geisiadau.
EBOST: marc.griffiths@bbc.co.uk
9.00 Ffion Emyr
Cerddoriaeth a chwmnïaeth ar nos Sadwrn, gyda Ffion Emyr.
12.00 *gweler World Service*

Sul

5.30am Linda Griffiths
Dechreuwch eich dydd Sul yn sain dewis cerddorol Linda Griffiths.
7.00 Troi'r Tir
Terwyn Davies sy'n bwrw golwg ar galonnau'n cymunedau gwledig – y mart: Y cyn arwerthwr Edward Perkins a'r ffermwr Brian Walters sy'n hel atgofion am Fart Caerfyrddin; Stori ail-sefydlu Mart Bryncir yng Ngwyneddgan yr arwerthwr John Lloyd-Williams a'r cyn glerc, Iona Lloyd Roberts; Cawn glywed gan Ffion Evans, arwerthwraig ifanc sy'n dilyn ôl troed ei thad, Marc Evans yn y busnes teuluol, Brodyr Evans; A straeon difyr gan selogion un o fartiau mwyaf unigryw Cymru – Mart Pontarfynach.
Ail-Ddarlledir Llun am 6.00pm
7.30 Caniadaeth y Cysegr
R Alun Evans yn cyflwyno emynau ar y thema Cof a Chofio.
Ail-ddarlledir 4.30pm
8.00 Bore Sul
Trin a thrafod papurau'r Sul, cerddoriaeth a sgyrsiau hamddenol gydag Elliw Gwawr.
10.00 Swyn y Sul
Y soprano Elin Manahan Thomas yn cyflwyno cerddoriaeth ar gyfer bore Sul.
12.00 Yr Oedfa
Gwasanaeth yn arbennig i wrandawyr Radio Cymru.
12.30pm Bwrw Golwg
John Roberts a'i westeion yn trafod materion moesol a chrefyddol.
EBOST: bwrw.golwg@bbc.co.uk
1.00 Beti a'i Phobol
Beti George yn sgwrsio gydag un o bobl Cymru.
Ail-Ddarlledir Iau am 6.00pm
2.00 Cofio
Archif, atgof a chân yng nghwmni John Hardy.
3.00 Hywel Gwynfryn
Amrywiaeth o gerddoriaeth, yn ogystal â phytiau o raglenni Radio Cymru o'r wythnos a fu.
4.30 Caniadaeth y Cysegr
R Alun Evans yn cyflwyno emynau ar y thema Cof a Chofio.
Darlledwyd 7.30am
5.00 Stori Tic Toc
Breuddwyd Meirion – Mae'n rhaid i bawb yn yr ysgol siarad am eu harwr, ond mae Meirion yn rhy swil. Stori ar gyfer plant bychain. Ail-ddarlledir
5.05 Dei Tomos
Sgyrsiau am Gymru, ei phobl a'i diwylliant.
EBOST: deitomos@bbc.co.uk
6.30 Y Diflaniad
Hanes diflaniad Stanislaw Sykut o Gwmdu yn 1953. Oes 'na fwy i'r stori? Ioan Wyn Evans sy'n ymchwilio
Ail-Ddarlledir Llun am 6.30pm
7.00 Y Talwrn
Penllyn a Bro Alaw yw'r ddau dîm o feirdd yn cystadlu i geisio cyrraedd rownd derfynol Y Talwrn yn Eisteddfod Genedlaethol 2023.
Ceri Wyn Jones yw'r Meuryn.
Ail-ddarlledir Mercher am 6pm
8.00 Ar Eich Cais
Rhys Meirion yn darllen cyfarchion ac yn chwarae ceisiadau.
EBOST: areichcais@bbc.co.uk
9.00 John ac Alun
Cerddoriaeth a sgwrsio i gloi'r penwythnos.
12.00 *gweler World Service*

Llun

5.30am John Hardy
Cerddoriaeth a chwmnïaeth ben bore, gyda bwletinau newyddion, chwaraeon, tywydd a thraffig. Hefyd, y bwletin amaeth dyddiol, yn ogystal â golwg ar y papurau.
7.00 Dros Frecwast
Y newyddion diweddaraf yng Nghymru a thu hwnt, gyda Kate Crockett a Dylan Ebenezer.
9.00 Aled Hughes
Straeon cyfredol, cerddoriaeth, a holi'r cwestiynau sydd ar feddwl pawb.
11.00 Bore Cothi
Croeso cynnes dros baned gyda Shân Cothi.
1.00pm Dros Ginio
Trin a thrafod Cymru a'r byd gyda Dewi Llwyd yn cyflwyno.
EBOST: drosginio@bbc.co.uk
Ffôn: 03703 500 500
2.00 Ifan Jones Evans
Digon o gerddoriaeth, chwerthin a sgwrsio, yn ogystal â chystadleuaeth neu ddwy.
5.00 Post Prynhawn
Newyddion y dydd yng Nghymru a thu hwnt gyda Nia Thomas yn cyflwyno.
EBOST: postprynhawn@bbc.co.uk
Post Prynhawn, BBC Radio Cymru
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Bryn Meirion
Bangor, LL57 2BY
6.00 Troi'r Tir
Y straeon diweddaraf o fyd amaeth a bywyd cefn gwlad.
Darlledwyd Sul am 7.00am
6.30 Y Diflaniad
Hanes diflaniad Stanislaw Sykut o Gwmdu yn 1953. Oes 'na fwy i'r stori? Ioan Wyn Evans sy'n ymchwilio.
Darlledwyd Sul am 6.30pm
7.00 Rhys Mwyn
Clasuron coll o gasgliad Mr Mwyn, a gwesteion yn hel atgofion.
9.00 Caryl
Cerddoriaeth a hwyl gyda'r hwyr gyda Caryl Parry Jones.
12.00 *gweler World Service*

Mawrth

5.30am John Hardy
Cerddoriaeth a chwmnïaeth ben bore, gyda bwletinau newyddion, chwaraeon, tywydd a thraffig. Hefyd, y bwletin amaeth dyddiol, yn ogystal â golwg ar y papurau.
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9.00 Aled Hughes
Straeon cyfredol, cerddoriaeth, a holi'r cwestiynau sydd ar feddwl pawb.
11.00 Bore Cothi
Croeso cynnes dros baned gyda Shân Cothi.
1.00pm Dros Ginio
Trin a thrafod Cymru a'r byd gyda Jennifer Jones yn cyflwyno.
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2.00 Ifan Jones Evans
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Bryn Meirion
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6.00 Gwneud Bywyd yn Haws
Hanna Hopwood a'i gwesteion sy'n trafod beth sy'n gwneud bywyd yn haws.
6.30 Chwalu Pen
Mari Lovgreen sydd yn herio criw o banelwyr i feddwl am ddau beth ar yr un pryd mewn sioe gwis llawn hwyl a ffeithiau difyr a dibwrpas. Yr actor Meilir Rhys Williams (*Rownd a Rownd*) a'r gantores Celyn Cartwright (*Lord of the Dance*) sydd yn ymuno â'r capteiniaid Arwel "Pod" Roberts a Catrin Mara ac yn trafod ambell anffawd wrth berfformio ar lwyfan dros y blynyddoedd.
7.00 Georgia Ruth
Dewis eclectig o gerddoriaeth.
9.00 Caryl
Cerddoriaeth a hwyl gyda'r hwyr gyda Caryl Parry Jones.
12.00 *gweler World Service*

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5.00 Post Prynhawn
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6.00 Y Talwrn
Penllyn a Bro Alaw yw'r ddau dîm o feirdd yn cystadlu i geisio cyrraedd rownd derfynol Y Talwrn yn Eisteddfod Genedlaethol 2023.
Darlledwyd Sul am 7pm
7.00 Mirain Iwerydd
Cerddoriaeth newydd Cymru.
9.00 Caryl
Cerddoriaeth a hwyl gyda'r hwyr gyda Caryl Parry Jones.
12.00 *gweler World Service*

Iau

5.30am John Hardy
Cerddoriaeth a chwmnïaeth ben bore, gyda bwletinau newyddion, chwaraeon, tywydd a thraffig. Hefyd, y bwletin amaeth dyddiol, yn ogystal â golwg ar y papurau.
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9.00 Aled Hughes
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7.00 Huw Stephens
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9.00 Caryl
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5.30pm Chwaraeon Radio Cymru: sylwebaeth o Coventry v Wrecsam yn nhrydedd rownd Cwpan yr FA.

Sul
7.00am–10.00 Sioe Frecwast: cerddoriaeth ac adloniant gyda Mirain Iwerydd.
12.00 Chwaraeon Radio Cymru: sylwebaeth o Briste v Abertawe yn nhrydedd rownd Cwpan yr FA.
2.00pm Chwaraeon Radio Cymru: sylwebaeth o Caerdydd v Leeds yn nhrydedd rownd Cwpan yr FA.

Llun–Iau
7.00am–9.00 Sioe Frecwast: cerddoriaeth ac adloniant gyda Rhydian Bowen Phillips.
9.00–11.00 Lisa Gwilym: Lisa Gwilym yn chwarae eich hoff fiwsig.

Gwener
7.00am–9.00 Sioe Frecwast: cerddoriaeth ac adloniant gyda Lisa Angharad.
11.00–1.00pm Fri: Dom James: Dom James yn chwarae eich hoff fiwsig.

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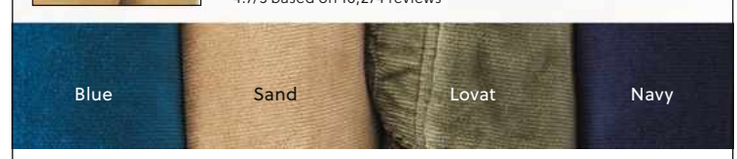

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Desert Island Discs
Sunday 11.15am ***Radio 4***

DESERT ISLAND RICHES

Lauren Laverne reflects on eight decades of ...*Discs*, and a new book unearthing some buried treasures

LONG BEFORE I hosted *Desert Island Discs*, I was a devoted listener, first to the peerless Kirsty Young and then to her predecessors, whose buried audio treasure I unearthed in the BBC's extraordinary online archive. *Desert Island Discs* has been broadcasting for eight decades, and every now and again I'll remember that in all that time only five of us have been entrusted with the task of marooning our guests on the island in their mind's eye, and my head will spin.

In 2022, *Desert Island Discs* celebrated its landmark 80th anniversary and it remains one of Radio 4's best-loved programmes, with an audience all over the world. For me, it is a dream job – literally and metaphorically: each week we invite someone with a fascinating life to dream for us, to lose themselves in their imagination and tell us what they find there.

'John Cooper Clarke's luxury item is not for the faint-hearted'

If you could make a new world, what would it look like? The island a person creates says a lot. Is it a prison to be endured or a paradise to be enjoyed? There are no right or wrong ways to approach the programme, but I love it when a castaway has total commitment to their method.

Poet John Cooper Clarke told me he'd been working on his list of tracks for 40 years. He took the idea of the island very literally and chose things he knew he could not live without – women's voices, a song by his old friend Nico and a luxury item that... actually, I won't spoil it. Let's just say it's not for the faint-hearted. Comic firebrand Alexei Sayle took the invitation as an opportunity to stage a revolution of his own devising, founding the Tropical Socialist Republic of Alexei Sayle and choosing the battle hymn of the Soviet Air Force as its anthem.

Cloud Atlas author David Mitchell, meanwhile, selected the programme's archive as his luxury item, saying, "In the many years of its history *Desert Island Discs* has become this Library of Babel: of human stories, experience and language." Sophia Loren's luxury was a pizza oven, which – strictly speaking – is far too practical, but I allowed it on the basis that 1) a pizza made by Sophia Loren is technically a work of art rather than a foodstuff (she likened making a pizza to writing a poem) and 2) well,

FORMER HOST Kirsty Young, photographed by *RT* in 2016

LINE OF DISCS Lauren Laverne in 2019 with actor Stephen Graham

2021 CASTAWAY Malala Yousafzai, the Nobel Prize-winning activist for female education in Pakistan

FILM LEGEND Sophia Loren was a guest in 2021

NUMBER FIVE Lauren Laverne has hosted *Desert Island Discs* since September 2018, following in the footsteps of Roy Plomley, Michael Parkinson, Sue Lawley and Kirsty Young

you try arguing with Sophia Loren and see how far you get.

What about the music? Castaways' choices have prompted plenty of kitchen dancing, joy, tears and even rage. Some of my favourite episodes include discs that may not be my thing but for that story are just perfect. One example from the archive is *Dragons' Den* star Hilary Devey, who died last June. You'd be hard-pressed to find a more dramatic tale than this from the tough-as-they-come entrepreneur whose hard-scrabble success as a trucking magnate contrasts with dramatic family secrets, three marriages, one lover's secret family and coming back from the brink after serious illness. Only Celine Dion could soundtrack it.

I'm also a sucker for discs that carry the atmosphere of the place and time to which a castaway's story takes us. Whether it's the Trinidadian calypso of Savile Row tailor Andrew Ramroop's youth or Malala Yousafzai's unexpected decision to take *Love Always Comes as a Surprise* from *Madagascar 3* to the island – to celebrate rediscovering her childlike, playful side after the attack that almost killed her.

One of the great pleasures of hosting *Desert Island Discs* is the meaningful impact it has – on listeners and on guests, too. Ian Wright's emotional episode detailed the domestic violence he lived with as a child and his tribute to the teacher who gave him hope during that time. The day we recorded he apologised to listeners, worrying what they would think of him "turning into this bumbling, crying guy", but Ian's programme went viral – thousands of people sent supportive messages and he went on to write a book and make a documentary about his experiences, continuing the conversation he started in the studio.

Richard Osman, Joe Wicks and Stephen Graham were brave enough to be vulnerable, and it was wonderful to see that rewarded with waves of compassion from the public. Stephen revealed for the first time that he once attempted to take his own life. Richard talked about coping with food addiction and Joe was incredibly honest about the struggles he went through living with a mother suffering from mental health issues and a father with a drug addiction, which made family life difficult. In each case, their honesty was motivated by the hope that their story might reach ears that really needed it, and every time it did. Thank you, *DID*.

Our book, *The Definitive Desert Island Discs*, includes 80 of the most moving, entertaining and inspiring encounters from eight sparkling decades of this jewel in radio's crown, as well as interviews with castaways about making their programmes. I do hope you enjoy it.

Extracted from Lauren Laverne's foreword to The Definitive Desert Island Discs, by Ian Gittins, BBC Books, £22

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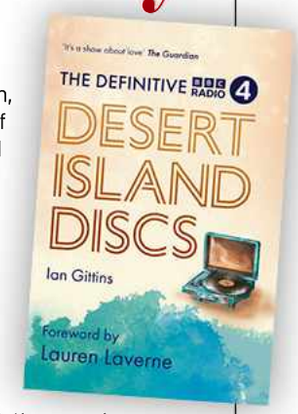

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Food

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Ultimate sausage roll

I recommend using your favourite sausages to make this sensational sausage roll, which you serve sliced with chutney and pickles. The addition of stilton gives it a small kick, but if you prefer you could use a little less and cook another onion instead. Sprinkle the extra caramelised onion directly on the pastry for added sweetness before you roll it up.

MOREISH MEATY MAGIC

Flaky pastry, sweet onions and a succulent filling – what's not to love?

INGREDIENTS (SERVES 6)

For the rough puff pastry:
- 225g plain flour, plus extra to dust
- ½ tsp fine salt
- 200g cold unsalted butter, diced
- Juice of ½ lemon
- 180–200ml cold water

For the filling:
- 1 tbsp oil
- 1 small onion, finely diced
- 400g sausage meat (or your favourite sausages, skinned)
- 125g stilton, crumbled
- 1 tbsp thyme leaves
- A pinch of white pepper

To finish:
- 2 egg yolks, beaten, to glaze
- 2 tsp nigella seeds
- 2 tsp sesame seeds

METHOD

1 To make the pastry, put the flour, salt and butter into a bowl. Mix the lemon juice with the water and add three quarters of the liquid to the bowl. Gently stir until the mixture comes together to form a lumpy dough, adding the remaining liquid if required. Don't knead or work the pastry too much – you want lumps of butter through the dough.

2 Tip the dough onto a floured surface and flatten to a rectangle. Using a rolling pin, roll it into a narrow rectangle around 2.5cm thick. Fold one third of the dough up on itself, then the opposite third down over that, as if folding a letter. Wrap the pastry in cling film and chill for at least 20 minutes.

3 Unwrap the pastry and repeat, rolling the pastry at 90° to the original, to form a rectangle 40 x 15cm, then fold as before. Wrap and chill. Repeat the process twice more, chilling the dough for at least 20 minutes between folds.

4 For the filling, heat the oil in a small frying pan over a medium heat, add the onion and cook for 7–10 minutes until softened and just turning golden brown. Leave to cool.

5 In a bowl, mix the sausage meat with the cooled onion, crumbled stilton, thyme and white pepper. With floured hands, roll the filling into a 20cm-long sausage and wrap tightly in cling film. Chill for 30 minutes.

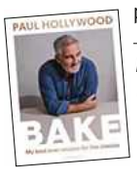
6 Roll out the folded pastry to a 30 x 20cm rectangle and trim the edges to neaten. Place on a large, lined baking tray and chill for 20 minutes. Unwrap the sausage and lay it along the pastry rectangle, 6cm from one edge.

7 Brush the exposed pastry with beaten egg yolk, leaving the 6cm border clear. Fold the egg-washed pastry over the sausage to meet the border and encase the filling. Press the edges firmly together. Press a floured fork firmly along the length of the sealed edge. (You may need to dip the fork in flour to stop it sticking.)

8 Brush the sausage roll with more egg and score the pastry on the diagonal. Chill for 15 minutes. Heat your oven to 210°C/fan 190°C/gas mark 6.

9 Brush once more with egg, then sprinkle with the nigella and sesame seeds. Bake for 30 minutes or until the pastry is golden and crisp and the sausage meat is cooked through.

10 Leave to cool on a wire rack for 10 minutes before slicing. Serve with your favourite pickles and chutney.



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Wine

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HOW LOW CAN YOU GO?

Helen McGinn offers up alternatives to alcohol for a dry(ish) January

There's one new year's resolution I make every single year – and that's not to make any. I know I need to eat and drink less and probably move more, but that's as far as it goes and I'm sure it won't surprise you to know I don't do Dry January. I might cut down, but it's still damp in places. Instead, I tend to reach for drinks that are low in alcohol rather than those with none at all.

There are plenty of low-alcohol beers around that taste spookily like the real thing and even spirit-lovers can enjoy a drink that tastes a bit like gin but without the alcohol. Wine is trickier: remove the alcohol and in most cases you're left with grape juice. I suggest trying a wine with naturally lower alcohol, so you still get a glass that tastes pretty much like normal, just slightly lighter. Here are some healthier options…

THE DOCTORS SAUVIGNON BLANC *£9.99 Majestic*

Winemaker Dr John Forrest has been at the forefront of the naturally lighter wine movement for years. Clever canopy management is his secret weapon, producing grapes with naturally lower alcohol. I realise 9.5% isn't exactly alcohol-free, but it is full of flavour and a fair bit lighter than usual.

WARNER'S JUNIPER DOUBLE DRY 0% 50CL *£18 Waitrose*

Made with natural botanical distillates, including juniper, extracts of lemon thyme and lemon verbena mixed with spring water from Tom Warner's family farm in Northamptonshire, this non-alcoholic "gin" uses five times as many botanicals as usual to get the flavour. Mix with tonic, ice and a slice of orange.

MOTHER ROOT 480ML *£24 motherroot.london*

Bethan Higson created her brilliant ginger switchel based on an old American "shrub" recipe of apple cider vinegar, honey, chilli and ginger. Mix with soda water, tonic or just still or sparkling water along with ice and a twist of lemon peel or a sprig of rosemary. Each bottle contains 20 servings.

LUCKY SAINT 330ML *£1.80 Tesco*

Founder Luke Boase gave up his job (and drinking!) to make this pilsner-style lager made using Bavarian spring water and spicy Hallertau hops. It's brewed like a regular beer but with the alcohol removed, then it's left unfiltered to keep as much flavour as possible.

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ALL THIS FOR 1 EURO?

Amanda Holden and her chum **Alan Carr** each bought a house in Sicily – but that wasn't the end of it

Amanda and Alan's Italian Job
Friday 8.30pm ***BBC1 (not Scotland)***

Wait. You've bought a house together? In Sicily? Whose crazy idea was this?
ALAN Well, if it's a big success, it will be my idea. If not, it'll be Amanda's.
AMANDA We were both just desperate to get out of England, get away from masks and lockdowns and get a bit of sunshine. And the only way we could think of was to get a job abroad. Then I heard about this "one euro" scheme, and Alan and I did a bit of research on it: basically there are all these empty properties in towns across Italy and France and Croatia, where people have left for the big cities, so to try and breathe new life and energy into the towns, these homes are being sold for one euro.

Great. Where do we sign up?
ALAN I've got mates who've said "Here's a tenner. Get me a row!" But it's not that simple.
AMANDA Yes, you have to show you're going to finish renovating the property in a certain time, and that you've got the funds to do so, and that you're not just going to resell it. There are all sorts of rules and regulations…
ALAN You're making our programme sound like *Watchdog*, Amanda! It's not *Watchdog*; it's a platform to show how gorgeous Sicily is and what you can do on a budget. Anyway, Amanda and I got one each, but we worked on them together.

Didn't you drive each other mad? Working on something like that together brings out the worst in any couple…
AMANDA Alan certainly saw my controlling and manipulative side.
ALAN I did! She keeps planting these seeds in your mind until she gets her own way, then makes out it's your idea!
AMANDA Alan's worst fault is that he's s**t at tiling. I never told him, but we had to pull off all his tiles and redo them when he wasn't watching.
ALAN I am a complete moron when it comes to DIY. I was worried that the house was going to be worth less than a euro by the time I was done. Which would be a problem, because we're going to be auctioning them for charity.

Why did you choose Sicily?
AMANDA At the time, it felt like a less obvious destination, but since then a couple of other shows have been made out there. *The White Lotus* was filmed there, Danny Dyer's doing something there and Anton Du Beke, too – we bumped into him. But it's just such a lovely island: you've got all that landscape, these wonderful old hill towns, the marble – handy for the renovation – and the sea, which is just the most gorgeous colour. I think the sea is like a third character in our…
ALAN *Ménage à trois*.

What did you do when you weren't tiling?
AMANDA We spent a lot of time on the sea – boats, paddeboarding, everything – but my favourite was this kind of acropolis, Selinunte, right on the edge of a cliff, which we rode up to on horseback at sunset – absolutely gorgeous. There was another one that had toppled over, and I was like, "Alan, do you think we could renovate that, too?"
ALAN There's all sorts in Sicily, though. Up in the hills, there's Erice, where you're going to have that real, old-school *The Godfather* experience. Then you could go to Marsala, a port town where there's reggae pumping out and everyone's drinking rum and bodyboarding. And then there's the salt pans where you can have a relaxing chill-out body scrub.
AMANDA Although if you've got a little cut or you've just shaved or waxed, that salt will sting.

ALAMY; GETTY

ALAN Ooh yes, typical me to have a back, sack and crack the day before we went out there. That was not the most comfortable day.

No wine to dull the pain?

ALAN The wine was amazing, and we had a go making it, too, hand-picking the grapes for this traditional Sicilian wine.

AMANDA Oh, but the food! The pasta! And the bread!

ALAN They're so passionate about bread! We went to an actual museum of bread, and I had my cynical hat on, but it in the end I couldn't take the mick because they were so in love with bread. This museum had, like, religious paintings made out of bread, which is part of this annual Easter festival they have. It was like a very posh Greggs.

But honestly, Sicily is so beautiful, you look out the window and see all these different colours, and it just relaxes you. I'm quite a frantic person, so it took me a while to chill, but the Sicilians have this thing about "the art of doing nothing", and it's the perfect place for doing just that. It was blood, sweat and tears – literally – doing up those houses, but there was beauty, too.

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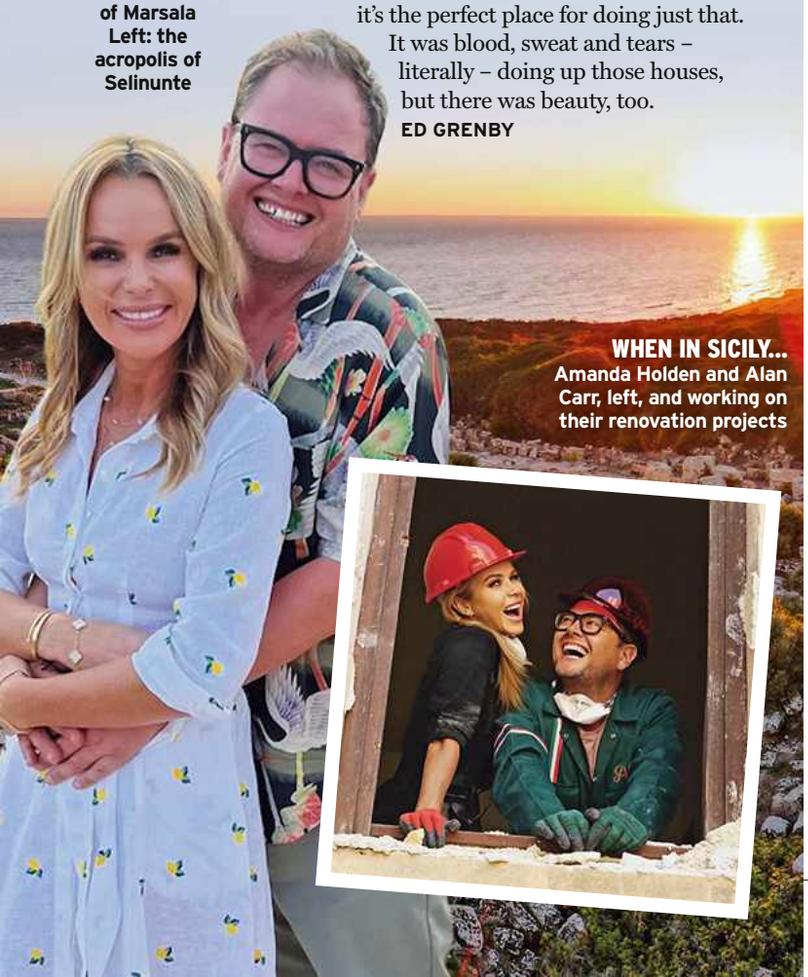
STUNNING SITES
Top: Pepoli Castle in the town of Erice dates back to Saracen times Above: sunset at the salt pans of Marsala Left: the acropolis of Selinunte



WHEN IN SICILY...
Amanda Holden and Alan Carr, left, and working on their renovation projects

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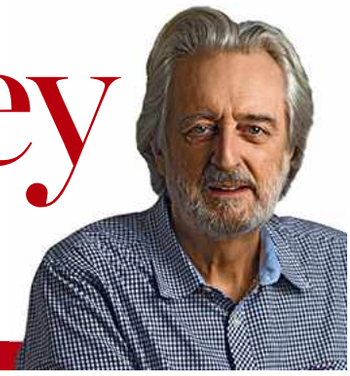

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LASTING PEACE OF MIND

A power of attorney allows someone you trust to manage your affairs if one day you can't, says **Paul Lewis**

There may come a time when you can no longer manage your own affairs. The law calls it losing "mental capacity" (due to dementia, an accident or a stroke, for example). If it happens, then you'd want someone you trust to manage your finances and make health decisions on your behalf. You set that up with a legal document called a power of attorney, which you make while you still do have mental capacity. So the sooner the better, as you never know what will happen!

> 'The sooner the better because you never know...'

You are known as the "donor" and the person you give the power to is the attorney. Normally that is a spouse or partner, a close relative, or just a very good friend.

In England and Wales, lasting powers of attorney cover two things: property and financial affairs, and health and welfare. Normally people will do both powers at the same time, and they cost £82 each. In Scotland the two similar powers cost £81 for both. In Northern Ireland it costs £151 for an enduring power of attorney, which only covers property and money.

A solicitor will do it for you, perhaps charging around £500, but at least you know it is done properly. In England and Wales you can do it yourself online. If you already have an enduring power of attorney made before 2007, that is still valid but only covers financial matters.

You'll need to ask someone who knows you to be a "certificate provider" to sign your application and confirm you are not being pressured to do it. And, of course, you need to decide on your attorneys – usually two in case one is not available. You can choose a solicitor as attorney but they will charge.

Your attorney can act and make decisions in your place but everything they do must be in your best interests, not theirs. The Court of Protection can step in if they do not do that. In Scotland the Office of the Public Guardian supervises them, and in Northern Ireland it is the Office of Care and Protection.

For more information, search for "power of attorney" at **moneyhelper.org.uk**, **gov.uk**, **publicguardian.blog.gov.uk**, **publicguardianscotland.gov.uk** or **nidirect.gov.uk** – and do it now before it's too late!

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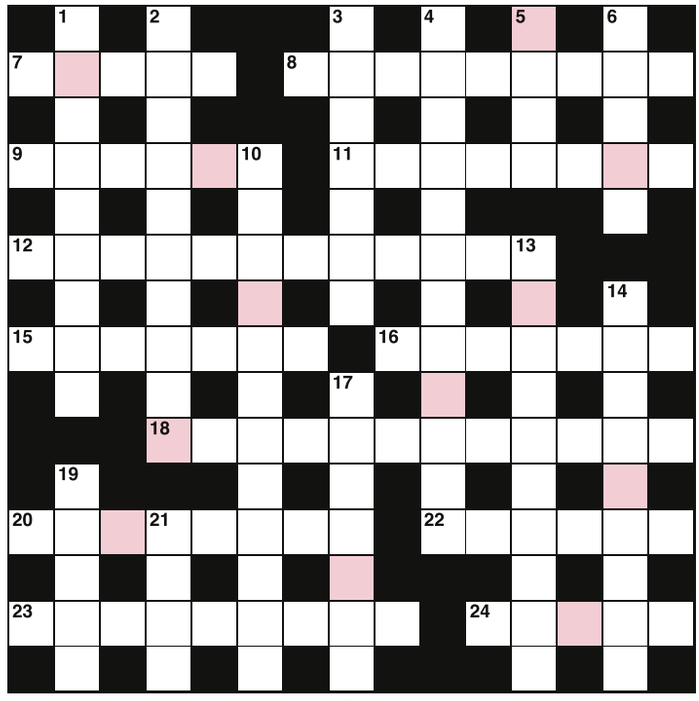
PRIZE CROSSWORD

ACROSS

7 Old empty space is solid (5)
8 Revolutionary, oddly dreary drink (9)
9 Seeing soldier in overturned wagon is very sad (6)
11 Make it go in, in odd moment of firing (8)
12 I, Charlie, about to keep entrance in order of rank (12)
15 Satan at Newgate? (3,4)
16 Notice dad in study, expressionless (7)
18 TV judge giving said fuel to Thames worker? (4,8)
20 Fancy bishop next to shortened bank with small curlew (8)
22 Greek island ways, we hear (6)
23 Clue is solved in relative privacy (9)
24 Instrument you begin for some pork? (5)

DOWN

1 Unnecessary to liberate different five trapped (9)
2 Biscuit from spice container's returned (6,4)
3 Rulers with noisy fit of trembling (7)
4 Screened drama brings financial support to city (12)
5 Can you see through openings of pouch? (4)
6 Literary lines about Leicester Square building (5)
10 Drawer of a circus art, it is unusual (12)
13 Without a chief, he's no problem with Bavarian gear (10)
14 Game to repair a table leg (9)
17 Bird soon starts to loll about (7)
19 Number of article about engineers (5)
21 Hybrid animal going on foot? (4)



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EASY CROSSWORD

ACROSS

7 Computer-fed data (5)
8 Metric unit of distance (9)
9 Scotland's largest loch (6)
11 Get off a horse (8)
12 Salford-born stand-up comic (5,7)
15 Very young walker? (7)
16 Fuzzy, indistinct (7)
18 Red preserve (9,3)
20 Church musician (8)
22 Furtive, devious-looking (6)
23 Fib-telling Disney puppet (9)
24 Drink noisily (5)

DOWN

1 Bringer of new ideas (9)
2 Temporarily not working (3,2,5)
3 About to discover (7)
4 Parliament's upper chamber (5,2,5)
5 Reminder note (4)
6 US car's boot (5)
10 Light-intensity mechanism (6,6)
13 Channel 4 sitcom set in Northern Ireland (5,5)
14 Aircraft's leaving (9)
17 Decide not to vote (7)
19 Lag behind (5)
21 Shortly, soon (4)

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Nato phonetic alphabet
Mike, Bravo, Echo, Whiskey
Spreads
Clover, Flora, Anchor, Bertolli
Ballroom dances
Tango, Quickstep, Foxtrot, Waltz
Magic
Circle, Wand, Flute, Carpet

COUNTDOWN
How Rachel did it: **50**÷**25**=2, **3**–2=1, **75**–1 =74, **100**x**6**= 600, 600+74=**674**

ENIGMA
Across Proforma, Cow, Index, Valiant, Dolly, Spry, Learnt, Humour, Soft, Zloty, Illicit, Equip, Guy, Aversion
Down Nickel, Sling, Rude, Manfully, Foxhound, Revolt, Blithe, Buttress, Champion, Judo, Witty, Recaps

POINTLESS
Nicholas Nickleby (24 answered), *David Copperfield* (37), *Great Expectations* (23), *Dombey and Son* (0), *Bleak House* (7).

So *Dombey and Son* is the answer that the fewest people gave.

POPMASTER
1 Harry Belafonte **2** *Catch the Wind* **3** Elvis Presley **4** *Don't Stop 'Til You Get Enough* **5** George Michael **6** The Smiths **7** *Alive and Kicking* **8** *There's No Other Way* **9** Rayvon **10** Avril Lavigne

EGGHEADS **1a** **2c** **3a** **4b** **5c** **6b** **7a** **8b** **9c** **10a**

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ONLY CONNECT with Victoria Coren Mitchell

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How to play Your task is to sort the 16 seemingly random words/phrases below into four groups of four connected words. You may find some clues fall into more than one category, but there is only one complete solution. If you get stuck, have a look at the clues on the side of the page...

Mike	Quickstep	Whiskey	Anchor
Clover	Bravo	Flora	Carpet
Tango	Wand	Foxtrot	Bertolli
Circle	Echo	Flute	Waltz

TRY THESE CLUES: GROUP ONE: MIKE. GROUP TWO: FLORA. GROUP THREE: TANGO. GROUP FOUR: FLUTE. © RDF WEST

COUNTDOWN with Rachel Riley

Using addition, subtraction, multiplication and division, try to get as close to the target as possible in 30 seconds. You can use each of the six numbers only once, but you don't have to use them all. Rachel's solution is on the previous page.

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25 50 75 100 3 6

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				5		3	8	2

How to play Complete the grid so that every row, column and 3 x 3 box contains the digits 1 to 9. **Difficulty: 13/20**

SUDOKU NO 888 SOLUTION

7	4	5	8	2	6	1	9	3
1	8	3	5	9	7	2	4	6
9	2	6	4	1	3	7	8	5
8	1	7	2	6	5	4	3	9
3	9	4	7	8	1	6	5	2
5	6	2	3	4	9	8	1	7
4	5	9	6	7	8	3	2	1
2	7	1	9	3	4	5	6	8
6	3	8	1	5	2	9	7	4

SCRIBBLE PAD

TRACKWORD

How many words of three letters or more can you find by tracking from one square to the next, going up, down, sideways or diagonally in order? You may not use the same letter square twice in any word. Adding an "s" to make the third-person singular of a verb is allowed; a plural is not. Proper nouns/foreign words not allowed. What is the nine-letter word?

BRAINBOX 11 words AVERAGE 7

C	I	T
S	R	I
M	I	C

TRACKWORD FOR LAST ISSUE Nine-letter word FREELANCE

ale, alee, alerce, arc, are, arle, cee, cere, cran, cree, creel, eel, elan, elance, era, ere, erf, ern, franc, free, freelance, lance, lancer, lar, larn, lee, leer, lere, narc, nare, rale, ran, rance, rancel, rec, ree, reel (Ref: *Chambers English Dictionary*)

THE ENIGMA CODE

Can you crack the Enigma code? Each grid number represents a letter. Every letter of the alphabet is used. Use the given letter or letters – below the main grid – to start. The solution is on the previous page.

Difficulty: 12/20 Target time: 24 minutes

CLIVE DOIG

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OLAV BJORTOMT

1 Which bimonthly magazine was founded by former *Vogue* art director Terry Jones in 1980?
a *i-D* **b** *Dazed and Confused* **c** *The Face*

2 Which Monty Python member played the Rev Charles Fortescue in the 1982 film *The Missionary*?
a Eric Idle **b** John Cleese **c** Michael Palin

CHRIS HUGHES

3 "You lucky people" was the catchphrase of which comedian?
a Tommy Trinder **b** Will Hay **c** Robb Wilton

4 Which prime minister coined the phrase the "unacceptable face of capitalism" in referring to tycoon Tiny Rowland's company Lonrho?
a Harold Wilson **b** Edward Heath **c** James Callaghan

JUDITH KEPPEL

5 Which is the northernmost of the inhabited British Isles?
a Fetlar **b** Yell **c** Unst

6 Which Hollywood film star ran away from home as a teenager to join the Bob Pender Troupe of comedians, jugglers and acrobats?
a Clark Gable **b** Cary Grant **c** David Niven

BARRY SIMMONS

7 What type of rice is best suited for making *paella*?
a Bomba **b** Arborio **c** Basmati

8 Bigos, a stew of chopped meat, sauerkraut and shredded cabbage, is which country's national dish?
a Albania **b** Poland **c** Czech Republic

BETH WEBSTER

9 The characteristic pungent smell of swimming pools is produced by which chemical compound?
a Hydrogen sulphide **b** Nitrous oxide **c** Nitrogen trichloride

10 Which actor married the film director Len Wiseman in May 2004?
a Kate Beckinsale **b** Rhona Mitra **c** Cate Blanchett

DICTIONARY CORNER Susie Dent

Word of the week resipiscence

As the New Year is upon us we can all hope for "respair", meaning fresh hope, and a healthy amount of "resipiscence", too. This comes to us from the 17th century, when it described a return to a better frame of mind. The sound of the three letters at its heart might suggest that it needs the catalyst of alcohol. Thankfully though, particularly for those engaging in dry January, its range is much broader, for it's all about a return to a more acceptable outlook on life. Its story began with the Latin *resipiscentia*, "to be wise again", and in its earliest outings it focused on repentance. Today, it is much more about recombobulation, whether from a long walk, a hot bath or anything guaranteed to restore calm and equilibrium.

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POPMASTER

with Radio 2's Ken Bruce

1960s

1 Singer and guitarist Odetta featured with which famous musician on the 1961 top 40 hit, *Hole in the Bucket*?

2 What was the title of the 1965 debut top five hit for Donovan?

1970s

3 Which legendary singer had top ten albums in the 70s with *Welcome to My World* and *Moody Blue*?

4 Which of these three top ten hits by Michael Jackson scored the highest chart position – *Off the Wall*, *Don't Stop 'Til You Get Enough* or *Ben*?

1980s

5 Which performer topped the charts in 1986 with *A Different Corner*?

6 Also from 1986, which group had top 20 hits with the songs *Panic* and *Ask*?

1990s

7 In 1992, Simple Minds made the top ten with a double A-sided hit of two of their earlier releases. One was *Love Song*, but what was the title of the other?

8 What was the title of the first single by Blur to make the top ten?

2000s–present day

9 Name the Barbadian singer who was featured alongside Shaggy on the 2001 number one hit, *Angel*?

10 Which female singer had a top three album in 2022 with the title *Love Sux*?

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Edited by **JANE HILL**

LETTER OF THE WEEK

Worthy winner of the Glitterball

My husband and I have watched *Strictly Come Dancing* (BBC1) since it started, and in our opinion this year's final (17 December) surpassed all others!

The finalists were *all* winners. However, we were so pleased the public chose Hamza Yassin as the champion. We know him from *Countryfile* – and what a gentleman and a lovely person he seems. He may not have been perfect on the night, but across the series his "journey" as a non-dancer was amazing. And when you watch him dance, "the clouds part and the sun comes out", as Anton Du Beke put it.

Strictly is so uplifting – the TV licence is worth every penny to keep family entertainment like this going for many years.

Ann and Ray Levett *Tiptree, Essex*

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STRICTLY SUNSHINE Hamza Yassin, with his dance partner Jowita Przystal, got the people's vote

ANDREW NICKOLDS 1949–2022

My co-writer and great friend of 42 years Andrew Nickolds died on 28 November. We wrote 90 episodes of *Ed Reardon's Week* together for Radio 4 and, in partnership with Nick Newman, 31 episodes of *Dave Podmore*, the useless county cricketer, also known as Pod. Andrew anchored the Pod show in the role of Andy Hamer, a supremely dull sports presenter who plumbed new depths of broadcasting banality.

FUNNY MAN The late Andrew Nickolds lit up Radio 4

Dave Podmore had a column in *The Guardian* and when the paper asked Andrew and me to come up with a literary equivalent – ie a hopeless, embittered writer – Ed Reardon came into existence. Twenty years on, we're still waiting to hear what they thought of our specimen column, but luckily in 2003 a young producer sidled up at a BBC Christmas party and asked us if we had anything. We were on the air within a year.

As Andrew and I began to work less in TV and more in radio we found the dip in remuneration was compensated by greater autonomy and we spent 25 years happily writing our radio scripts and columns – with very little interference from the 12-year-olds. I shall miss him.

Christopher Douglas *London NW1*

The new series of Ed Reardon's Week will air later this year.

ALL THE RIGHT NOTES

The Play What I Wrote (18 December BBC4) was so much more than a tribute to Morecambe and Wise. It was a fast-paced, surreal and occasionally poignant examination of the double act. And the cast – Thom Tuck, Dennis Herdman, Mitesh Soni, ably supported by that game newcomer Tom Hiddleston – delivered rapid-fire jokes and deft physical comedy. I was left breathless. If there was a join, I couldn't see it.

Henrik Hansen *Maidstone, Kent*

NOURISHING BREAKFAST

Nicki Chapman brings us a calm and gentle wake-up programme with her music and chats in the *Early Breakfast Show* (Sunday–Tuesday Radio 2). It's the best morning show since Vanessa Feltz left and I'm sure I'm not the only listener who thinks so.

Maureen Hillsdon *Oxford*

A MOVING MEMOIR

I'm writing this through tears. *A Heart That Works* (BBC Sounds), Rob Delaney's account of the short life and death of his lovely boy Henry, is eloquent, heart-rending and sometimes even humorous. Yes, hard to listen to, but I'm so glad that I did.

Our thanks go to him and his family for sharing their sadness and touching all of us who listen.

Rosemary Adams *Burton on the Wolds, Leicestershire*

CHEERING Jo Joyner and Mark Benton as Shakespeare and Hathaway

A HIGH-SPEC LOTUS

The White Lotus (Sky Atlantic) – what a feast. Original story, sumptuous setting, brilliant cast. Missing it already. Can we see season one again, please?

Mary Lawson *Epping, Essex*

Both series are available via Sky Go/Now.

TOP DOGS

I found *Coin Trusaidh/Muster Dogs* (BBC Alba/iPlayer) by accident, but it was such a delight. Who would have thought a show about five Australian farmers training their kelpie puppies to round up livestock would be so appealing? I loved it!

Hilary Gordon *Brampton, Cumbria*

CASE FOR IMPROVEMENT

What a joy to have *Shakespeare and Hathaway: Private Investigators* back – and with a Christmas-themed episode (16 December BBC1). It's just a shame they didn't overdub mention of watching the "Queen's speech" as the two walked away at the end. An easy enough tweak, but a little jarring, left as it was. Otherwise, a great episode!

Christine Wilson *Whiteabbey, Antrim*

Christine Wilson wins Strictly Come Dancing: the Most Glorious Collection – six discs featuring the show's most memorable moments.

BBC PHOTOSALES

MORE SLEUTHING
Mark Williams as Father Brown; and (inset) the composer of the music for the series, Debbie Wiseman

THE INSIDE WORD

'I love being in Kembleford!'

Fans of daytime drama *Father Brown* will be delighted to see it return for more 1950s clerical sleuthing (Friday BBC1). Composer **Debbie Wiseman** tells *RT*, "I love being back in Kembleford! I write a brand-new score for each episode in the series, so when all ten of these new *Father Brown* stories have been broadcast, I will have written the scores for 110 episodes, which I'm guessing is some sort of record!"

Mark Williams again plays the Father, and Tom Chambers is back as Chief Inspector Sullivan. But with Mrs McCarthy having left for Ireland, there is a new parish secretary – Mrs Devine (Claudie Blakley, below).

"The score is very character-driven," says Wiseman, "so having new characters to write themes for has been fantastic. Mrs Devine doesn't make sure Father Brown eats well, as Mrs McCarthy did – she is chaotic and she drives very fast. But she's got a fantastically inquisitive mind, which he loves, and she helps him to solve the mysteries. So she's a real partner in crime."

Brenda Palmer, played by Ruby-Mae Martinwood, who once featured in an episode about a borstal, reappears, too. "She's had a very troubled background. But Father Brown sees the good in everyone and brings Brenda to stay with them. I've written a playful, mischievous theme for Brenda using strings, whereas for Mrs Devine it's woodwind and horns to reflect her presence of mind. And, as always for Father Brown himself, I used the vibraphone. The music sets the period by being traditional. I don't use keyboards or synthesizers, but a lovely palette of sound – flutes and oboes and clarinets, bassoons and horns, and a lot of piano, which I play. Every episode feels fresh.

"It's fun to play around, too, and I do enjoy introducing red herrings. I'll sometimes make the music sinister to suggest someone innocent is a villain, or put something lyrical over the baddie to throw the audience in the wrong direction!"

Wiseman has also just finished the score for a feature-length Stephen Fry documentary for Channel 4 called *Willem and Frieda*, about an artist and a cellist in the Dutch resistance. And having written the music for the first two parts of the *Wolf Hall* trilogy, she says the death of author Hilary Mantel is "a terrible loss. She was mesmerising, with a brilliant mind. Later this year when they are in active pre-production on the final part, *The Mirror and the Light*, I'm sure director Peter Kosminsky and I will start work on it as he likes to begin the music very early on. It will be a tribute to the genius of Hilary."

NEW FOIL
Mrs Devine (Claudie Blakley) helps solve the mysteries

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CLAUDE LITTNER

The Apprentice's former wing man on survival – and staying friends with Lord Sugar

IAN DERRY

What's the view from your sofa?
I've got a cinema room – that's where I watch football and boxing. For general viewing, we've got a smaller lounge, which is more intimate.

What do you enjoy watching on TV?
I like watching *Channel 4 News* and anything that's business-related or political. My wife and I spend most evenings channel-hopping, trying to find a show we both like – which isn't very constructive.

Who controls the remote?
My wife isn't in earshot, so I'm happy to say that I'm always in control of the remote. When she's at home my tone might be quite different! The truth is, typically, we both like the same things. The one thing that she won't watch – but I'm addicted to – is *Love Island*.

You became Lord Sugar's aide on *The Apprentice* in 2015. This series you're taking a back seat after an injury caused by a bike accident in 2021. The crash was so serious doctors considered amputating your leg. What happened?
The accident was out of the blue – as most accidents are. I was cycling and my rear mudguard jammed the wheel and I went head over heels. I was in real trouble. The only wonderful thing was that the vehicle behind me was an ambulance. That saved my life – and certainly saved my limb. I was taken to a trauma unit and after numerous operations I'm OK again.

Has your sense of success changed over the years? Especially following your bike accident and your blood cancer diagnosis in your 40s.
Inevitably! I had a huge shock when I was told I had cancer and had six months to live. It was devastating for my parents, wife, family. My sister saved my life with her stem cells. Even though I was in my 40s I had a sense of my mortality. In my heart, I've never been the same since – I became a lot more sensitive to other people's needs and troubles. I love living. I love every day.

You were dubbed by one TV critic as a rottweiler in human form. Do you ever tire of being so ruthless?
When you've got 15 to 20 minutes to interview a candidate, you have to skip through the niceties and see whether they have business acumen and if their business plan stands up. By the time candidates get to the interview round they are really full of themselves. I don't blame them – they've gone through a lot to get to where they are. If I'm a bit harsh it's to test them and, most importantly, to find the best candidate for Alan Sugar.

Are you a fan of *Dragons' Den*?
Of course! Some years ago they invited me to join the panel. I was very keen but they phoned me up and said they'd had a change of heart. They wanted a woman instead. I said: "That's OK! I can put on a wig! That shouldn't inhibit me from being on the show!" But they chose Hilary Devey.

WHILE I'M WATCHING

SNACK OF CHOICE
I love peanuts and crisps. Chocolate is my real weakness. But actually, I'm on a bit of diet at the moment!

FIRST TV MEMORY
The Lone Ranger was my favourite show as a child. I didn't do programmes for babies – I went straight into the mature stuff, like cowboys and Indians...

You've worked with Lord Sugar for more than 30 years – chairing and managing a number of his companies. What's he really like?
Over the last 30-plus years, he has been fantastic to me. But I don't even know if he likes me! He's got a twinkle in his eye when he sees me – but that might just be indigestion, for all I know! I've been loyal, hard-working, I've never let him down, I've always done my best – and somehow or other we just gelled. Being a friend of Alan's is not easy – it doesn't happen overnight.

Why do you think *The Apprentice* has such longevity – and what can viewers expect from series 17?
Alan Sugar is the glue that sets the whole thing together. He's got a brain that works a little differently from everyone else. Trump and lots of other people have done *The Apprentice* – but no one has had the longevity of Sugar. This series is the same again – thrills, spills, disappointment, heartbreak, heartache, joy – and eventually, a winner comes forward!

KELLY-ANNE TAYLOR

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Great escapes

Whether it's the trip of a lifetime or a holiday closer to home, here are 14 breaks to banish the winter blues

We may have an uncertain year ahead, but there's one thing we can probably all agree on: a holiday is always something to look forward to. A to-heck-with-it major odyssey might be on the cards, or a nostalgic jaunt around Norfolk might be just what the getaway doctor ordered. But whatever your wanderlust – far horizons or something closer to home – you'll find a trip to tempt you on the following pages.

1 TAKE ME TO THE BAY

The Bay of Naples is the stuff of cinematic dreams, immortalised by the likes of Jude Law, Gwyneth Paltrow and Matt Damon in 1999's *The Talented Mr Ripley* (as well as featuring on the cover of this travel supplement). It's a canvas of Technicolor-blue sea, broccoli-like umbrella pines billowing on biscuit-beige cliffs and wildly tiled cathedrals in lively little coastal towns such as Ravello and Amalfi. Go for grandeur with a room in a swoony five-star – perhaps the sumptuous Capri Palace. And pack glam swimwear, as the beach clubs (not least the one at Le Sirenuse) are divine. From Capri you can sail to Naples – your best port of call for the ancient wonder of Pompeii.

VIVA ITALIA Main image: Capri. Below: Jude Law in *The Talented Mr Ripley*, shot around the Bay of Naples

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TIGHT FIT
Lisbon's famous yellow tram

2 LISBON BECKONS

The Portuguese capital is as romantic as it's underrated, tumbling from on high down to the broad blue Tagus estuary in a mosaic of neighbourhoods both trendy and traditional. To get the lie of the land, board the sunflower-yellow 28 tram – its route is essentially a tourist treat, ticking off the mighty cathedral and the famous lookout point Miradouro de Santa Luzia, with stirring views of scarlet rooftops and distant wave-capped Atlantic. Get your fix of food and wine at locally loved dining spot A Taberna do Mar. And stay up late with *fado* music at A Tasca do Chico in the Bairro Alto, or visit Clube Royale for gin cocktails and live sounds. Downtime? The seaside beckons, and we recommend the Estoril Coast, 35 minutes by train west from Lisbon. The Praia de Sao Pedro do Estoril is a good beachy bet, with rock pools at low tide that kids will adore.

VERDANT
Monte Palace tropical garden

3 MAD FOR MADEIRA

Bashed by the Atlantic, bathed year-round in sunshine, this volcanic Portuguese island, some 300 miles off the coast of Morocco, feels remote and wild, with vertiginous heights and dramatic drops to the coast at every turn. It's also a photogenic riot of exotic vegetation, from palm trees to evergreen forests, baby-pink hibiscus to spiky strelitzia. The capital, Funchal, is a pocket-size stunner made for ambling. Make de rigueur stops for seafood and wine at atmospheric taverns, where you might hear sobbingly melancholy *fado* songs performed live. Don't miss the Monte Palace tropical garden, or a day trip to Porto Moniz in the north, where the Atlantic ocean slams in, for fish at the Orca restaurant.

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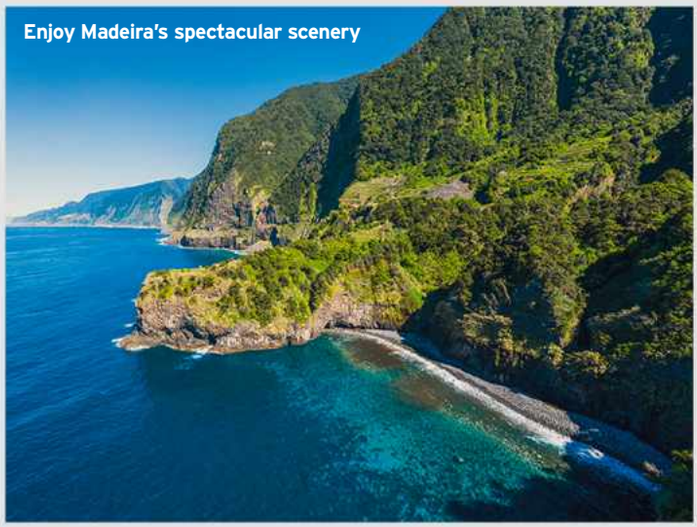

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Donegal Bay

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STEP LIVELY
The famous Amer stepwell at Jaipur

14 Great escapes FOR 2023

4 A PASSAGE TO INDIA

You could devote a year to this magnificent country and still not see everything, so it pays to think about which sights you want to tick off. Desert landscapes and ornate temples? Fly into Delhi and take two weeks exploring the chiselled, evocative cities of Rajasthan: Jaipur, Jodhpur and Udaipur (and add a detour into Uttar Pradesh for your close-up with the gawpingly gorgeous Taj Mahal). Pure air and mountains? Fly north to Rishikesh – yoga central – and get healthy in the Himalayas. For palmy, sandy beaches get down to hippy-happy Goa. And for the ultimate in tranquillity? A backwater boat voyage in serene Kerala: the perfect sanity-restorer.

5 MALTESE MAGIC

For too long dismissed among Mediterranean islands, this rocky cluster of history-laden siblings now steps out in style. Take the Maltese capital, Valletta: a baroque beauty of tall-walled narrow streets that are home to razor-sharp boutique hotels and designer restaurants. Visit the bijou opera house and architect Renzo Piano's imposing new City Gate. Take a day-trip to Mdina – the walled "silent city" – on its rocky plateau, to wander the tranquil ways and duck into the cathedral; then enjoy the panoramic views from the terrace of the Fontanella tea garden. A boat trip to the Blue Lagoon on neighbouring Comino is unmissable, while Gozo is a trip back in time, its patchwork of villages, churches and beaches recalling the 1950s.

BAROQUE GEM
Historic Valletta in Malta

6 STRAIGHT TO THE HEART

The real beauty of European river holidays? Just sit back, put your feet up and watch as the villages, vineyards, cities and sights all come to you. Case in point: Germany's epic Rhine, curving through landscapes topped with old castles and hills braided with vines. The best river holiday companies can reveal the most stunning parts, between Koblenz and Bingen, aka the Rhine Gorge. Or explore three countries – France, Germany and Switzerland – sailing from Trier along the magical Moselle. Then there's the Danube: it's a beauty, if not always blue, and grants access to capitals including Budapest, Bucharest, Vienna and Bratislava. Cancel that hire car and get ready to relax...

HEARTLAND
Bernkastel-Kues on the Moselle

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HOLIDAY CENTRAL
San Andres, Tenerife

7 AWAY WITH THE CANARIES

There's a good reason Tenerife – the definitive Canary Island – is a tourist smash: the broad beaches of the south are busy with happy families brandishing buckets and spades and splashing in the Atlantic when not relaxing in whitewashed pooled villas with red pantiles. For something more hidden – Tenerife's best-kept secret – drive into the heart of the island, focusing on brooding Mount Teide as you pass feathery palms and roadside bunches of bananas. Further north lies the former capital, La Laguna, a slice of old-school, real-feel Spain, lined with weathered mansions behind blistered doors. In the surrounding countryside, crumbling churches, centuries old, rise among laurel groves, and restaurants smell deliciously of garlic in which fresh prawns have been sizzled to a sheen.

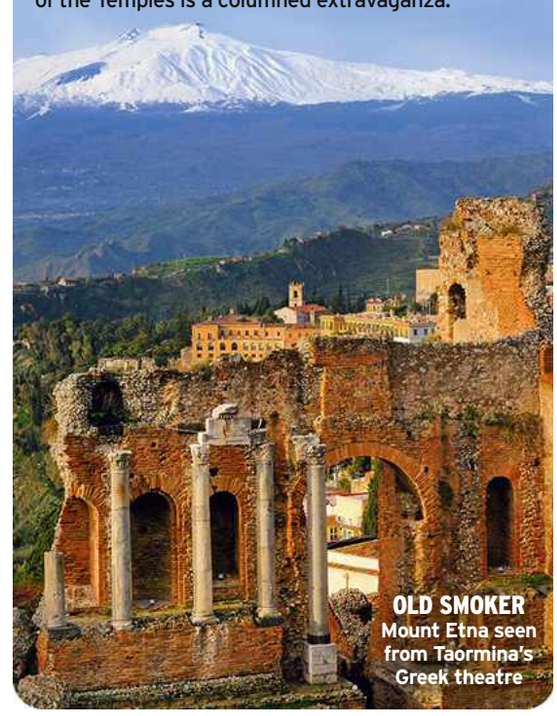
8 VALUE ADDED TRACKS

Thomas the Tank Engine lives! Head to Norfolk and you'll see what we mean. Heritage railways are big business, and merely hopping aboard returns you to a bygone era. Try the narrow-gauge Bure Valley Railway: this circular jaunt passes meadows and river bends as it pootles past Aylsham into the Norfolk Broads. For sea air, there's the Bittern Line: a delightful bumble from Norwich along the coast to Cromer and Sheringham, with its 1950s waiting room. Or there's the Poppy Line – aka the North Norfolk Railway – a short and nostalgic trundle beside the seaside.

GO NORTH
Passing the Weybourne windmill

9 SICILIAN CHARMER

Supreme glamour hangs around the clifftop town of Taormina. Its snaky ways are barnacled with beautiful dining spots and its superbly preserved Greek theatre always draws a crowd with balmy open-air concerts in season. To spoil yourself, take the funicular down to five-star Villa Sant'Andrea, perfect for dusk cocktails before dinner by candlelight. Mount Etna is unmissable as tour buses ascend to its lunar-like expanses of volcanic ash thrown up by regular eruptions. Got more holiday time? Palermo, the Sicilian capital, is an edgy, seductive whirl of backstreets and markets, while Agrigento's Valley of the Temples is a columned extravaganza.



OLD SMOKER
Mount Etna seen from Taormina's Greek theatre

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Tuscany sunset

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3* Hotel Cappelli, Montecatini Terme

This family-run hotel is close to the thermal spa and within walking distance of the resort centre. There are plenty of shops, cafes, bars and restaurants within easy reach. Facilities in the hotel include a lounge bar and outside terrace. Free wi-fi is available in the public areas. All bedrooms are air-conditioned and have an en-suite bathroom, hairdryer, telephone and TV. The hotel's restaurant serves traditional Italian and international cuisine.

Hotel Cappelli

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WILD WEST
Derryclare Lough in Galway

10 IRELAND FLING

They call it the Wild Atlantic Way: a twisty drive running for more than 1,500 miles along the Emerald Isle's western shores, from the Inishowen Peninsula south all the way to Kinsale, County Cork. It's a trip doused in frothing Atlantic and saline air, not to mention Guinness-dark nights in creaky pubs. How best to do it? For a start you don't want to do all of it (this is a holiday, after all). But in a hire car you can reel off a chunk to remember for ever. Cameras at the ready for the real highlights, among them Keem Strand, a creamy beach set against bottle-green hills in County Mayo; and blue Blasket Sound, County Kerry: a heart-stopping sight seen in sharp sun from the top of blustery Dunmore Head.

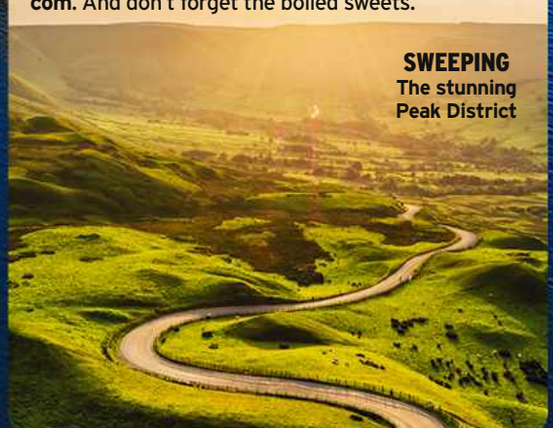
11 TAKING THE WATERS

North-east Italy's Veneto and Lombardy are blessed with places to stir your wanderlust. But only one place can induce gondo-lust and that's Venice. Come in summer to see the sights in Kodacolor sunshine. And take vaporetto day trips out to the atmospheric lagoon islands: Murano is famous for its glass, but arguably lovelier is silent Torcello, where the Basilica di Santa Maria Assunta glitters with mosaics. Moving on, Verona is for opera-lovers – performances take place in the Roman amphitheatre on hot summer nights – while the Italian Lakes will wow you. Lake Garda, for example, is glintingly glorious as you dine waterside in Desenzano on its southern shore.

JUST GRAND Venice is La Serenissima

12 THE GREAT BRITISH DRIVE

Despite its comparative small size, the UK majors in wilderness, and a car or motorhome gets to the parts some organised tours cannot reach. Picture the woolly Yorkshire Dales, all dry-stone walls and vast skies; or misty, boggy, beautiful Dartmoor. The swooning sweep of the Peak District is unlocked perfectly in a car; as is our sensational shoreline, from Cornwall to the Scottish isles. For more inspiration, try a specialist such as **ukbreakaways.com** or **shearings.com**. But if you'd rather someone else did the navigation, coach tours cover the country. Try **alfatravel.co.uk** or **nationalholidays.com**. And don't forget the boiled sweets.



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Valamar pool area

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14 Great escapes FOR 2023

13 A SWISS SPECIAL

Italy doesn't have the monopoly on picture-perfect lakes; neighbouring Switzerland can lay claim to some supreme beauties, too, including Lake Lucerne, named after the fairytale city on its northern shore. The setting is sensational, among towering meringue peaks that pull tourists – many of them skiers – in droves (not least because the world's steepest cog-wheel railway serves Mount Pilatus nearby. It's a great experience if you haven't got time to take in the dramatic Glacier Express, which runs between the ski resorts of Zermatt and St Moritz). Back at lake level, the attractions are many: voyages on historic paddle steamers of a summer evening; swimming; or sipping huge beers at waterside bars. There's culture – tour the Hergiswil glassworks, watching glassblowers at work and having a go yourself – and great Asian cooking at the Ladies Chef's Table at the Bürgenstock resort atop the Bürgenberg.

NATURAL HIGH Lake Lucerne from Mount Pilatus

14 CROATIAN COMFORTS

It's the Adriatic waters that captivate you first, their clarity helped by pale, bouldery shores, making Croatia a poster-perfect summer destination. The Dalmatian islands are deemed the main attraction: pick Hvar for herb-scented landscapes and a yacht-lined main harbour town (also called Hvar); or Brac, home to the snow-white sandy spit Zlatni Rat, as seen in all the adverts. Croatia's Istria Peninsula is holiday gold, too – its appeal lies in its Venetian-feel west-coast towns (chiefly Rovinj) and, by contrast, the resorts to the east, once part of the Habsburg empire and very Viennese. Opatija, with its grand hotels and calm bay, is your best bet. NICK REDMAN

ISLAND LIFE Stari Grad on Hvar

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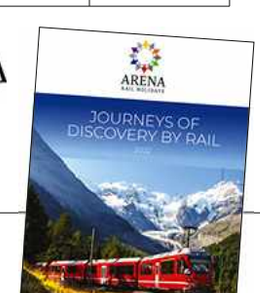

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